

Saint Paul's Leaflet

"WHAT WILT THOU HAVE ME TO DO?"

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No. 4

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES.

The Holy Communion will be celebrated each morning, except Good Friday, at 7:30. The other daily services will be as usual at 10 A.M. and 5 P. M. On Good Friday there will be a Children's Service at 9 A. M.; Morning Prayer and Sermon at 10; the Three Hours will be observed from 12 to 3 P. M.; Evening Prayer will be said at 5 and there will be a service of Meditation at 8 P. M. There will be three celebrations of the Holy Communion on the morning of Easter Day: at 7, at 8 and at 11. The service for the Church School will be that afternoon at 3:30. Evening Prayer will be omitted. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday in Easter Week there will be celebrations of the Holy Communion at 7:30 and at 10 A. M.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

At the regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary on March 13th, one of the members of the Vestry was present and gave an informal talk about Church matters which, up to this time, have been handled solely by the Vestry. From now on it is considered desirable that the responsibility for deciding some of these matters should be shared by the Woman's Auxiliary.

We discussed the question of Ways and Means to raise money for our general Church expenses, also whether we shall be able to meet our missionary apportionment for this year.

On March 20th, Mr. John A. Ely, Dean of St. John's University of Shanghai, gave us an interesting talk about the Church Educational Work in China at the present time.

The annual election of officers for the Auxiliary takes place on the first Friday in May. A full attendance is requested.

GRACE W. WAGNER,
Secretary.

PARISH ENDOWMENT FUND

S. Paul's Parish has no pew rents and is entirely dependent for its financial support upon the Sunday offerings and other gifts made by the people who attend its services. Some years ago, however, the Parish began the accumulation of an endowment fund, the interest upon which is not to be used until the principal reaches the sum of fifty thousand dollars. When this is attained the parish will have something to assist in meeting the greatly increased expenses caused by our enlarged activities.

The amount of the fund is at present \$37,000. Your Easter offerings will be added to the fund, and if generous will hasten the time when the income will be available for much needed purposes.

Payments for Missions to Diocesan Treasurer for month of March were as follows:

Nation Wide Campaign - -	\$2,276.05
Church Home at Angora - - - -	60.25
Credit on Diocesan books -	<u>2,254.99</u>
Total - - - - -	\$4,591.29

We find it very difficult to keep our mailing list correct to date. If those who receive the Parish Leaflet would drop us a post card when they change their address it would be a great help. It would take very little time and labor, and would be much appreciated by those who are responsible for the correctness of the list. It would also help if you would mail to the clergy the names and addresses of church people moving into your neighborhood. This would be much better than telling them, later on, there had been a church family living next door to you or across the street for a year or more and they had never been called on or noticed. The clergy, and others, I hope, are most anxious to extend a cordial welcome to newcomers, and your help in making them known will be heartily appreciated. Those who take the Leaflet from the pews, and are not receiving it by mail are asked to use the cards in the racks at the church entrance in making known their address.

THE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Class Shuffle-Board tournament, in which about 30 men took part, has just been finished, the winners being 1st, Frank Atkinson; 2nd, Robert J. Morrow; 3rd, Thomas Johnston, Sr. Each were awarded suitable prizes by Mr. Isaac Starr, our Class President.

The Pool Tournament, in which our younger members are taking part, is well under way and will soon be finished. Suitable prizes have been provided by Rev. John M. Chattin and are awaiting the winners.

On February 27th, we had a very successful party for Mr. Chattin, there being about 125 present. A delicious supper, prepared by Messrs. Henderson and Webster, assisted by our good lady friends, was enjoyed by all. During the course of the evening a Liberty Bond, in a handsome wallet, was presented to Mr. Chattin, he to purchase a book in remembrance of the Class with each coupon.

Last Sunday we enjoyed a "Health Talk" by Dr. James Empringham, there being 69 men present at the meeting.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

A NOTE OF SPECIAL THANKS

The Woman's Friendly are more than happy and grateful to report that they have received for the Rev. Mr. Persons' work at Yancey, Va., the sum of \$1,707.00 from St. Paul's Church through Mr. Chattin and the Society and we want to thank Mr. Chattin for his strong appeal in behalf of the work, and each and every one for their part in it. To know that Mr. Persons will be able to complete the Recreation Hall at once for his people who need a building so badly for amusement and diversion from the many evils that confront them, and to be able to put something else in their lives to take their place, will indeed be a most happy thing. Now they can have good Moving Pictures, Lectures, Radio and uplifting pleasures. It has made Mr. and Mrs. Persons very happy and all of us who are interested in the work. To know the happiness it will bring to these people of the mountains ought to make glad all who have taken part.

The Woman's Friendly are planning to have their annual rummage sale in May, but want to make it larger if possible this year, for most of the proceeds will go to Mr. Persons' work, as we want to do our part and educate one of the little mountain girls in the Industrial School. So we ask our friends who are always so kind to remember us when sorting out and in time of house cleaning to save us rummage of any and every kind. The time, date and place in May will be announced in due season. Again from the bottom of our hearts we thank you one and all for the splendid and wonderful response to the work so near to our hearts and it ought to make you very happy. C. P. PEPPER.

THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB.

The work of the Church Periodical Club, of which Miss Eleanor Stewardson is librarian for this Parish, is growing so rapidly that Miss Stewardson should have immediate assistance. If from five to ten of the younger women who are not already engaged in definite parish work would volunteer as assistants, two or three for certain months, it would be a great help, and most useful work it is. Then too we must consider the advance in the rates of postage which becomes operative about April 15th and plan some way to provide regular funds for this purpose. I am enclosing blanks for associate membership in the Club at \$1.00 per year, and hope a number of them may be returned to Miss Eleanor Stewardson, Montgomery Ave., Chestnut Hill before Easter. One hundred such members with their annual subscription of \$1.00 would solve the problem of postage.

AN APPEAL FROM BISHOP BEECHER OF WESTERN NEBRASKA.

Bishop Beecher who is assisting Bishop Garland in this Diocese for several months, has appealed to the Church Periodical Club for books to form Lending Libraries for the use of the Clergy and their families in his Diocese. Many of the clergy are in small town or rural districts far removed from any library, and you can easily understand what it would mean to them to have a number of good books sent to them from time to time to keep for a certain period and then to be passed on and replaced by others. Some one asked the Bishop what kind of books were wanted and he very aptly replied "The sort any gentleman or lady of refinement and education would appreciate." Miss Eleanor Stewardson will gladly forward any books left at the Parish House marked for Bishop Beecher.

HOME FOR CONSUMPTIVES.

We in St. Paul's have the reputation of being more interested in and giving more generously to objects at a distance than those at our own doors. Be that as it may here is an appeal for an institution in our own neighborhood in whom some of us are much interested and which should appeal to all who know its splendid work.

Here is a list of articles needed immediately, which I hope some of our readers may be able to supply: chairs of all kinds, 2 bureaus, 1 washstand, small tables and rugs for nurses' rooms. These may be sent direct to the Home at any time

HOLY BAPTISM.

"The Minister of every Parish shall often admonish the People, that they defer not the Baptism of their Children longer than the first or second Sunday next after their birth, or other Holy day falling between, unless upon a great and reasonable cause."—Copied from the Book of Common Prayer.

Holy Baptism will be administered at Evening Prayer on Easter Even, April 11th, at 5 P. M. or at any other time, upon request of parents.

CHOIR TRAINING CLASS.

Thirteen names have been enrolled in the Training Class and six of the boys who have attended the rehearsals regularly and who have made good progress will appear as regular choir boys on Easter Day.

The Choirmaster hopes that many other boys between six and ten years of age will join this Class which rehearses Friday afternoons at 5:30 for a half-hour. M. E.

AN APPEAL

A request has just come to us for clothing for a boy eight years old, son of a Clergyman in a poor parish. If anything is sent to 22 East Chestnut Avenue Mrs. Chattin will gladly forward it.

REPORT OF ST. PAUL'S SUN
DAY SCHOOL—1924.

Jan. 27—Sacrifice Week offering for Missionary Work	- \$104.90
May 18—Lenten Offering for Missions	- - - - - 565.85
Oct. 19—Japan Rebuilding	- 14.64
Nov. 23—Bishop Mize, Salina, Kansas	- - - - - 25.00
Balance to Jan., 1925	- - 355.49
Collected from Classes	- - \$1065.88

THE LENTEN OFFERING OF
THE CHURCH SCHOOL.

This is to remind you of the effort being made by the members of the Church School to increase the amount of their Lenten offering for Missions this year. In 1922 we gave \$316.28, in 1923 \$577.69, in 1924 \$565.85 a slight decrease. This year our aim is \$700.00. Perhaps this reminder may enlist the interest and cooperation of the parents who can do much to help and encourage the young people in their effort to raise the larger sum they have set before them as their goal. The offering at the Carol Service will be included in the amount sent to the Board of Missions. Will you not try and attend this Service, and make your offering as generous as possible? The Lenten offering counts on the quota of this Parish.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

Monday evening, March 2nd, we had a short business meeting and the balance of the time was devoted to basket ball, which seemed to be enjoyed by all.

Monday, March 9th, we had no meeting as we were invited to a party given by our very good friend Mrs. Edward S. Buckley. The evening was spent in talking over old times in the Friendly. Mrs. Buckley recited for us and two of our girls rendered vocal solos. We were then served ice cream and cake, after which we sang hymns for Mrs. Buckley. There were about twenty-five girls and Mrs. Chattin

present. We all had a most pleasant and enjoyable evening, and one long to be remembered. Our many thanks to Mrs. Buckley for such a lovely party.

Saturday, March 14th, from 2 until 5 P. M. we had a cake and candy sale in the Parish House to help raise \$90.00, our allotment for the Friendly House in Washington, D. C. We cleared over \$90.00 and we take this opportunity to thank our many kind friends for their donations, and also for coming to buy.

On Monday evening, March 16th, Miss Harriett Biddle very kindly entertained us by reciting poetry, which we enjoyed very much. We also had another very pleasant surprise that evening by being presented with a beautiful floor lamp for our room by Mrs. Nalle. It surely has brightened a corner in our room and we express our thanks and appreciation to Mrs. Nalle for such a lovely gift.

Monday evening, March 23rd, we had the pleasure of having Miss Lilly Cheston tell us about her trip abroad, which we thoroughly enjoyed, and on Monday evening next, March 30th, we are going to have a "Night in China" which we hope will be a success. CLARA HESSER LAWSON,
Chairman.

CAKE AND CANDY SALE.

The member of Mrs. Chattin's Bible Class will hold a cake and candy sale Easter Even, Saturday, April 11th, from two until five o'clock. The proceeds to be added to their Lenten offering for Missions. You can all help, either by donating cake and candy for the Sale, or by purchasing the good things they will have to offer. We appeal to our friends in the parish to help us make a success of this venture. We need you all.

The Rev. Malcome E. Peabody will take charge of the Parish as Rector on Low Sunday, April 19th, and will preach at both morning and evening services.

WHOM THE DAKOTAS
NAMED "ZITKANO
DUZAHAN" (*Swiftbird*)

In the days when the Sioux Indians were on the war path, and the United States troops tried in vain to quell them: when Custer and his gallant cavalry were massacred, and all the country rang with the horror of Indian war, a Bishop of the Church of God was sent to South Dakota. Fearless he walked with lifted Cross among the raging Sioux, and in the course of his life among them changed their rage to love till the Dakotas are today a Christian people. "He has done what the whole United States army could not do," said President Grant, "He has conquered the Sioux."

We of Saint Paul's have the great privilege of following in the footsteps of William Hobart Hare, Bishop of South Dakota, the Church's great Apostle to the Indians, for he was our rector from 1861-1863. There is no memorial to him in the parish and many of our people forget he ever served among us. The Chi Rho Guild, desiring to honor his name wish to place a tablet with his picture above the fireplace in the room most used by us all, a perpetual reminder to those who gather round the hearth of this our own great missionary bishop. We would name the room with the name given him by his beloved Dakotas, "The Swiftbird room" that his life may be a constant inspiration to all who look upon his face.

The tablet and picture might be given by a few, but we desire to make this an offering of love from the whole congregation, and to that end hope that many small gifts will make up the \$100. necessary to complete the memorial. Contributions may be sent to any member of the Guild, to our President James Chapman Weaver, 8301 Norwood Street, or to the undersigned. We hope all who read this will send something, and that no one will give over \$5.00. The tablet will be in place soon after Easter.

May we who follow after serve our

master with the same loyal devotion as did he whom the Dakotas named "Swiftbird." ELSIE DOUGLAS
30 West Chestnut Ave.

The two last lectures of Dr. Caley's course on General Church History will have to be postponed until after Easter, as Dr. Caley has lost his voice. The two concluding lectures should be of especial interest; the one Thursday April 16th is on The Middle Ages; A. D. 750 to A. D. 1300, and on Thursday, April 23rd, The Protestant Reformation, A. D. 1300 to A. D. 1550. Please keep these dates in mind, there should be a much larger attendance than heretofore.

The Preacher at the Three Hour Service on Good Friday will be The Rev. Robert Bakewell-Green, Rector of S. Stephen's Church, Norwood, Pa.

We are greatly indebted to Rev. Edmund Wood, of S. Timothy's Church Roxborough, for taking the week day services during Lent when the Priest in charge of S. Paul's was obliged to be absent.

PARISH REGISTER.

Baptisms.

Virginia Patterson Drace.
Helen Lee Jones.

Burials.

John Hawley Taussig.
Charles Bullen Dunn.
Thomas Carrick Jordan.

POSITIONS WANTED.

DRESSMAKER—Open for engagements.
Call Gtn. 7481

CHAPERONE. - Cultured woman desires position as Chaperone to young woman traveling in Europe. Miss Campbell, 235 W. Rittenhouse St., Germantown.

PARISH DIRECTORY

S. PAUL'S CHURCH,

Chestnut Avenue.

(The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion)

Priest-in-Charge

THE REV. JOHN M. CHATTIN

Telephone C. H. 1374. 22 E. Chestnut Avenue

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Assistant Organist—JAMES C. WEAVER

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James Hoag (Soloist)
Russell Kimes (Soloist)
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Charles Frank
Willard Frank
Robert German
Robert Hanna
Richard Hoag
George Kyle

Walter Kyle
Jack Kurtz
Norman Lightcap
Gordon Myers
William Ousey
Crofton Thompson
William Thompson
Paul Waldenmeyer
Richard Ward
Biddle Young
James Young

Altos—Arthur Emsley, (Soloist);
Ralph Davis

Leeming Chapman
Milton Small

Tenors—Louis Bacon (Soloist)
Walter Eagles

C. G. Fling
Harry Kennedy

Basses—Thomas Jackson (Soloist)
Thomas Johnston

Percy Hodson
Harold C. Henshaw

CHOIR TRAINING CLASS

Franklin Binford
Edgar Blair
Thomas Blair
Calvin Butler

Henry Getz
Joseph Huggins
Clement Kite
Richard Lavelle

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THE CHURCH SCHOOL.

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CHURCH SERVICES.

1st and 3rd Sundays in month; Holy Communion at 8 A. M.
Litany, Sermon, and Communion at 11; Evensong
and Sermon at 7.45.

2d, 4th and 5th Sundays in month; Holy Communion at 8
A. M.; Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11; Even-
song and Sermon at 7.45,

Saints days and Holy days: Holy Communion at 7.30
A. M. and 10 A. M.

In Lent Daily: 10 A. M. and 5 P. M.

Thursdays: Holy Communion at 7.30 and 10 A. M.

Fridays: Morning Prayer and Litany at 10 A. M.

Church School—Sunday morning at 9.45 o'clock.

Men's Bible Class—Sunday afternoon at 2.15 o'clock.

PARISH AGENCIES.

The Parish Council—Last Tuesday at 8.15 P. M.
Chairman, Mr. Joseph Wood Wagner.
Secretary, Mr. John Andrews Harris, Jr.

The Altar Society—Warden, Mrs. John Andrews Harris, Jr.
Secretary, Mrs. Joseph R. Carpenter, Jr.
Treasurer, Mrs. Walter S. Wyatt.

The Woman's Auxiliary—Friday morning. President, Mrs.
Wm. J. Haines.

Woman's Friendly—Wednesdays, at 8 P. M.

The Girls' Friendly Society—Monday Evening at 8.15.
Junior Branch—Saturday Morning.

Choir Rehearsals.—Thursday at 4.15 P. M.; Monday and
Friday evenings at 7.15.

The Chi Rho Guild.—Thursday Evenings.

Men's Bible Class, week day meetings, 2nd Thursday.

The Church Periodical Club—Librarian, Miss Eleanor
Stewardson

Bishop White Parish Library Association—Manager from St.
Paul's—

Prayer Book Society—Manager from S. Paul's—Mrs. Joseph
R. Carpenter, Jr.

CALENDAR.

April.

5. The Sunday Next before Easter (Palm).
6. Monday before Easter.
7. Tuesday before Easter.
8. Wednesday before Easter.
9. Maundy Thursday.
10. Good Friday.
11. Easter Even.
12. Easter Day.
13. Monday in Easter week.
14. Tuesday in Easter week.
19. First (Low) Sunday after Easter.
25. Saturday—S. Mark, Evangelist.
26. Second Sunday after Easter.

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Vol. XXXIII.

Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, May, 1925

No. 5

A MESSAGE FROM THE RECTOR.

You must let me tell you how thoroughly Mrs. Peabody and I appreciate the welcome which you all have given us to Chestnut Hill. We have been greatly touched by your cordiality and by the words and notes of welcome too numerous to mention. You have almost "made over" the Rectory for us. It has cost you time and thought, not to mention considerable expense, but if your object was to produce a house with all the conveniences and charms, you have been most successful. We already feel at home there and are getting very rapidly settled.

As far as the work of the parish is concerned I hope that everybody who is engaged in it will carry on with unabated zeal. While I am getting into touch with it all I can hardly take a directing part in it, but I trust you will feel free to call my attention to the needs of any part of it. I shall certainly appreciate instruction, too.

In calling me to be your rector you have honored me highly. For I believe that the opportunity for spiritual leadership at St. Paul's is a great one. I am undertaking the work with especial happiness, as a result of the many kindnesses we have received at the very outset.

M. E. P.

The Offering on Sunday, May 17th will be for Diocesan Missions.

THE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS.

Next month brings to a close the fourth year of our Class, the first meeting being held in the fall of 1921 with 37 men present.

Since then, under the splendid teaching of our loved teacher—Mr. Chattin—we have had a steady growth and today we have some 500 names on the roll, many of whom had not attended a religious service for years. Our meetings have been well attended, and we feel that much good has been accomplished.

We all feel very keenly the loss of Mr. Chattin for we had grown to love him so much. On Sunday, April 19th we had 94 present to greet the new Rector.

DAVID J. LAWSON,
Secretary.

Under the will of the late Charles B. Dunn, for so many years a vestryman of the Parish, the sum of \$10,000 was left in trust; the income to be paid to the Rector of the St. Paul's Church: "who shall have the right to expend the same at his sole discretion without any accountability, in and about the charitable and benevolent work of the said Church."

I would like to take this opportunity of saying that during my term of office, I have been many times to Mr. Dunn asking for his sympathy and support, and he has always most generously responded. This legacy is another evidence of his constant interest in the Parish.

(Signed) ISAAC STARR.
Accounting Warden.

THE PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY FOR INSURANCES ON LIVES AND GRANTING ANNUITIES

Attorney for

SAINT PAUL'S CHURCH -- CHESTNUT HILL.

Memorandum of Securities held 1925, Jan. 30th, subject to their order:

Par Value	Coupon Bonds.	Maturity.	Interest Periods
\$1,050	U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan 4 1/4 s	- - - 15 Sep. 1928	15 Mar. & Sept.
\$15,100	U. S. 4th Liberty Loan 4 1/4 s	- - - 15 Oct. 1938	15 Apr. & Oct.
\$9,200	U. S. 2nd Liberty Loan 4 1/4 s	- - - 15 Nov. 1942	15 May & Nov.

REGISTERED LOANS

\$10,000	North Pacific Rwy. Prior Lien & Land Grant 4's	1 Jan. 1997	1 Jan. & Apr. Jul. & Oct.
\$1,000	Union Pacific RR 1st Mge. & Land Grant 4's	1 Jul. 1947	1 Jan. & Jul.

Since the above report was submitted the Easter Offering for Endowment amounting to \$1160.58 has been received.

This amount, added to accrued income, has enabled the Trustees to purchase \$2000 U. S. Liberty 2nd, 4 1/4's making the total invested \$38,400.

The Accounting Warden acknowledges Bond No. 4352190 for \$50 U. S. Liberty 3rd 4 1/4 which was put into the plate on Easter day. This bond has been delivered to the Pennsylvania Company, Trustees and is included in the above.

One of the facts that must be recognized and provided for is that the Parish will be in need of from seven to eight thousand dollars before the end of 1925.

As all know, the past few years have been spent in completing and furnishing the memorial Parish House, a work which has been accomplished without a penny of debt; but in the meantime the Church building and new Rectory had fallen into such a state of

dilapidation that repairs were absolutely necessary. Recognizing this, the Vestry has authorized the Accounting Warden to borrow \$6,500.

As this is the first time in many years that the Parish has had any indebtedness, it is sincerely trusted that it will be paid off before the end of the year. As far as current expenses are concerned, the Parish has been running along with about the same expense account for some time; but with its constantly enlarging usefulness, it begins to look as if an appeal for more funds would soon have to be made.

It is difficult to estimate with any degree of accuracy what the income of a free church will be; but the following will give some idea of how we stand.

Estimated expenditure for eight months beginning April 1st:

Salaries	\$6,780.
Music	4,000.
Mission expenses	1,600.
Coal	1,000.
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	\$13,380.

To be received from envelopes, \$5,300.
 Quarterly subscriptions 1,746.
 Semi-annual subscriptions 537.
 Annual subscriptions 2,700.
 Cash offerings 2,000.

\$12,283.

There are numerous gifts which come in from time to time amounting to about \$1,000, which, as they are in no way pledged, are not counted in the above.

The number of individuals or families subscribing regularly to current expenses are as follows:

Envelopes	228
Yearly subscribers	49
Semi-annual subscribers	12
Quarterly subscribers	21
Monthly subscribers	2

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It would seem that with a communicant list of over six hundred, there might be more subscribers on whose regular contributions the Parish could depend.

(Signed) ISAAC STARR,
Accounting Warden

The offering on Good Friday for the Bishop of Jerusalem amounted to \$114.05.

Payments for Missions to Diocesan Treasurer for month of April were as follows:

Nation Wide Campaign - - \$1,178.35
 Credit on Diocesan books - 4,969.26

Total - - - - - \$6,147.61

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

The Annual election of officers for the Auxiliary takes place on Friday May first. Morning Prayer and Litany at 10 o'clock, Meeting of the Auxiliary at 10.30. A full attendance is requested.

GRACE W. WAGNER, Secretary.

THE FLOWER MISSION.

The time has again arrived to remind you of the privilege and opportunity afforded you by the members of S. Paul's Flower Mission who so cheerfully and regularly attend to the work involved in forwarding your generous contributions of flowers during the summer, sorting and bunching them ready for distribution in the institutions and homes of the city. Flowers, many or few, will be gladly received at the Parish House on Wednesday mornings before 10 o'clock, beginning May 13th.

Our greatest difficulty in former years has been to secure motors to take the flowers into the city. We are placing a list of dates on the Parish House door and hope twenty owners of motors will sign up for this duty. Only once during the summer should not be too much to ask, motors required from 11:30 to 1 o'clock.

THE CHI RHO GUILD.

Th Chi Rho Guild requests that all who desire to contribute to the Bishop Hare Memorial tablet send their contributions as soon as possible either to the President, James Chapman Weaver, 8301 Norwood Street or Miss Elsie Douglas, 30 West Chestnut Ave., or any member. The tablet and picture are now finished and we want to have them in place in the near future. This cannot of course be done until the money is at hand. We need eighty dollars and hope it will be given by many people in amounts not exceeding five dollars each. We of Saint Paul's should all have some part in this tribute of love to our own great Missionary Bishop. "He whom the Dakotas named "Swift-bird."

E. D.

THE GIRL'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

On Monday, March 30th, our "Night in China," proved to be quite interesting, due to the fact that Miss Lilly Cheston sent several curios and Mrs. Farnum came to our meeting and brought so many most interesting articles from China and was able to tell us all about them. Some of our own members read interesting articles from the Spirit of Missions.

On April 6th, being Monday of Holy Week, Mrs. Allen gave the girls a most inspiring talk on "How often do we think of God and how much time each day do we give to Him." So many of the girls asked questions and told of their own experiences and the talk proved to be very beneficial to all. We hope that Mrs. Allen will give such talks to us more often.

Monday, April 13th, being Easter Monday we had no meeting but on Monday, April 20th, the girls gave a miscellaneous shower to two of our members who expect to be married soon, Jennie Grimner and Eva Seka, which was quite a surprise and a great success. The best of wishes girls from the G. F. S. of St. Paul's.

On Monday next, April 27th, the evening will be devoted to Field Night, basket ball, etc.

CLARA HESSER LAWSON,
Chairman.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

The Woman's Friendly Society, after having medical advice, have decided to postpone their annual Rummage Sale until the autumn. Owing to small-pox conditions in the City it is deemed best for all concerned not to have the sale this Spring. We hope our many kind friends who have saved things for our Sale will remember us in the autumn. If too troublesome to store any articles in their homes they could be sent, or called for, to go to the old Parish House. Our nice leader, Miss Hebard, has very cleverly suggested that we have a Strawberry Festival

in June at the Parish House. It would be something quite different and also help fulfill our pledge to Mr. Persons for his wonderful work in the mountains of Virginia and help educate the little mountain girl Ruth in whom we are much interested. Since our last report we received through Mr. Chattin \$140.00 more for Mr. Persons, bringing the total amount from St. Paul's up to \$1817.00. The last meetings before closing in June will be devoted to sewing for the Colored Cripples at St. Michael's and the little girl Ruth. Our friends will be notified in regard to the Strawberry Festival and it will be announced also in the June Leaflet. The Woman's Friendly hope to pack two barrels the latter part of May; one for The Virginia Mountaineers and the other for Dr. Grenfel. Perhaps our friends who have any garments, hats, and shoes that might have been for the Rummage Sale would be willing to have them go to Labrador and Virginia instead, and could be sent to the Parish House by May 20th.

Mrs. Bruce Ford has most graciously asked the Woman's Friendly to her beautiful home in June for a picnic which we very deeply appreciate, and which will certainly give a great deal of pleasure. C. P. PEPPER.

CHOIR BOYS' OUTING.

You are all interested in the week's outing at the sea shore provided each July for the boys of the Choir as a token of our appreciation. The boys and men of the Choir cleared \$276.00 by the Concert given in the Parish House a few months ago, which we all remember with pleasure. Now we are asking you to add to the sum such amounts as you may see fit to provide the necessary funds. Checks drawn to St. Paul's Church and sent to Mr. Isaac Starr, Stenton Avenue and Spring Lane, will be greatly appreciated. The outing will cost about \$700.—less \$276. in hand—leaving \$424. to be made up.

THE CHOIR LUNCHEON

On Easter Day, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ford again invited the Choir to luncheon in the Parish House.

Large bouquets of flowers on the long table and a chocolate bunny at each plate told us all to find seats speedily. We were hungry after so much singing and the good things which Mrs. Ford had provided for us to eat disappeared rapidly.

After the last course, ice-cream and fancy cakes, was over Mr. Chattin said a few words as a "Good-bye" to the Choir. He said that he never made any farewells but that the Choir singers and their interests were so close to his heart that he wished to say a good-bye to us. He spoke with deep feeling and then blessed us with the Easter Benediction. We all were deeply touched. We shall miss both Mr. and Mrs. Chattin very much indeed and our love and happiest wishes will go with them and remain with them.

Charlie Frank, one of the younger boys was then appointed toastmaster and he arose to the occasion splendidly.

Mrs. Ford was called upon first and her few words were full of joy and welcome. The toastmaster remarked, "Even if Mrs. Ford is short on words, she is long on actions" and we all applauded with our so-mindedness!

Mr. Ford then gave the boys some sound advice and told amusing stories. Mr. Emsley and Mr. Gilbert and others also spoke briefly.

No idea of the harmony and joy of the whole affair can here be given but we want you all to know how thoughtful our Choir Mother, Mrs. Ford, is for our good times. We are exceedingly grateful. M. E.

Mrs. Isabelle Park, 43 East Chestnut Ave., is available for part time housework, from 9 to 3 daily. Good reference.

CHURCH SCHOOL LENTEN OFFERING.

We are happy to report an increase over last year for Missions, although we did not reach our goal, which was \$700. Still as this year's offering is the largest on record for our school we are very grateful. The amount given in 1922 was \$316.28, in 1923 \$577.69; in 1924, \$565.85. This year \$617.05. Let us hope next year we may reach the \$700.00 mark.

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Baptisms.

Harry Dewey West, Jr.
Thomas Lowder West.
Walter James Binns.
Everett Binns.
Dorothy Binns.
Merritt Binns.
Charles Albert Fisher, Jr.
Marie Louise Fisher.
Samuel Wilmot.
George Burdick Wilmot.
Margaret Sheppard Wilmot
Ellen Burdick Wilmot.
William Wilmot.
Robert Stewart Wilmot.
Sallie Moore Fisher.
Julianna Hatch Fisher.
John Henry Leapson, Jr.
David Nalle.
Anne Welsh Myers.
Henry Disston, 2d.
Thomas Potter Crolus.

Burials.

(Mrs.) Hettie H. Chapman.
Charles A. Potter.

BOY'S TUTOR—a young man just finishing his freshman year at Hobart College is eligible for a tutoring job this summer. He is an awfully good sort. Mr. Peabody would be glad if he could place him.

Two rooms and communicating bath with shower, in small private family; desirable locality; vacant after May 15th. References given and required. Phone Chestnut Hill 3134.

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Bishop White Parish Library Association—Manager from St.
Paul's—

Prayer Book Society—Manager from S. Paul's—Mrs. Joseph
R. Carpenter, Jr.

KALENDAR.

May.

1. Friday—SS. Philip and James, Apostles.
3. Third Sunday after Easter.
10. Fourth Sunday after Easter.
17. Fifth (Rogation) Sunday after Easter.
18. Monday—Rogation Day.
19. Tuesday—Rogation Day.
20. Wednesday—Rogation Day.
21. Thursday—Ascension Day.
24. Sunday after Ascension Day.
31. Whitsunday.

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Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, June, 1925

No. 6

RECTOR'S COLUMN.

The season of Trinity seems rather dull after the eventful period which immediately precedes it. Between Christmas and Whitsuntide all of the important teaching of the Church seems to be crammed. But the original planners of the Church year were wise in their generation. They have given us a period almost as long as the period of instruction to consider what we have learned and to put it into practice.

Could a more excellent program be devised for the summer time? Summer brings to most of us holidays, but it brings to all something of a let-down from winter's stern schedule of chilly breezes and work at high tension. But don't let the "let down" pervade our religion! Aren't we Christians in August as well as in March, on the golf course, aboard the racing craft, in mosquito infested woods, and on the boulevards of foreign capitals, just as much as in Lent when we *began* to have hopes for ourselves?

Call this a "week day thought," if you like. Here is a "Sunday thought" to match it.

There will be a Sunday service where you are this summer, for wherever people are the Church has gone too. It may fairly be objected that a "Sunday or two off do nobody any harm," and that "God won't be angry if He doesn't find me there," but after all

isn't the reason we go to Church, *that we may find Him?*

REV. JOHN M. CHATTIN

The compiling of the May issue of the Parish Leaflet was among the last acts of Mr. Chatten before turning the Parish over to the present Rector.

One can hardly realize that eight years have passed since he came to St. Paul's, and it is with sad hearts and a sense of something wanting that we miss him in his place in church, and fail to hear his familiar voice. For many of us, his going has been the severing of a relationship that had grown from respect to deep affection. He has relieved us in want, tended our sick and comforted our bereaved. He has baptized our children, married our sons and daughters, and buried our dead. He has patiently heard us in our distress, and rejoiced with us in happiness. Those who knew both Mr. and Mrs. Chatten best wish to put on record their deep appreciation of the good they have done among us and to assure them of lasting regard and affection.

Payments for Missions to Diocesan Treasurer for month of May were as follows:

Nation Wide Campaign - -	\$1,699.50
Diocesan Mission - - - - -	220.51
Credit on Diocesan books -	<u>6,736.66</u>
Total - - - - -	\$8,656.67

THE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS.

On Sunday, May 24th, we held our final meeting of this our fourth year of Class. There were 91 present and the meeting was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Since our organization in December, 1921, we have had very good attendances at our meetings, which will be seen by the following figures:

Year	Total Attend.	Average per Meeting
1921-22	- - 2086	- - 80 1-5
1922-23	- - 2971	- - 84 4-5
1923-24	- - 2490	- - 73 1-4
1924-25	- - 2098	- - 61 7-10

The Class will resume its meetings the first Sunday in October, when we hope to welcome all our friends back again and any other men of the community.

DAVID J. LAWSON,
Secretary.

UNVEILING OF TABLET TO WILLIAM HOBART HARE, D. D.

On the evening of Ascension Day, May 21, 1925, the Swift Bird Room was blessed and a tablet unveiled as a memorial to the late William Hobart Hare, D. D., Bishop of Niobrara, later South Dakota, and Rector of Saint Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill from 1861 to 1863. The room, located in the new Parish House and used mostly by the young people, has been completely furnished as a memorial to the Church's great missionary to the Indians.

Among those present were Miss Mary and Miss Elizabeth Hare, Doctor Hobart Hare and Hobart Amory Hare Cook, members of Bishop Hare's own family and many of the older members of the Parish who knew and loved him as Rector of our Parish.

Doctor Hare was the first speaker of the evening and he told of the early days with his father and the hardships of a missionary Bishop's life.

Our Rector, the Rev. Malcolm Peabody, newest Priest of the Diocese, in-

troduced the Rev. J. DeWolf Perry, oldest Priest of the Diocese, who gave his personal recollections and memories of Bishop Hare and a resume of his life as Priest and Bishop, emphasizing his splendid heroism under intense physical suffering and compared him to Sir Galahad, the perfect knight.

The tablet was unveiled by Hobart Amory Hare Cook, the great grandson of Bishop Hare and the room was blessed by the Rector and benediction pronounced by Dr. Perry.

The name, Swift Bird, was given to Bishop Hare by the Indians and in their language is called "Zitkano Duzahan."

ELIZABETH P. DONALDSON.

The Guild wishes to thank all those who have in many different ways helped to make possible the placing of the Tablet. It has been most inspiring to see the wonderful response which has come from all sides as a tribute of respect and love to Bishop Hare.

TO BE GIVEN AWAY.

The Vestry has authorized the Committee on Buildings and Grounds to dispose of the pile of wood formerly used in the construction of the Parish House and now lying in the foundation of the Gymnasium to be.

Any one can have it who will haul it away. Arrangement for carting can be made with Wm. C. Anson, 25 Springfield Ave., Telephone C. H. 1503. It would make excellent kindling wood if cut up.

Don't forget to pay envelopes up to date before going away for the summer. The Parish expenses do not take a holiday during the warm weather.

If any one in the Parish has a victrola which they are not using, it will be greatly appreciated in the Girls' Friendly Society room.

The offering on May 17th for Diocesan Missions amounted to \$133.33

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

We trust our good friends will remember the Strawberry Festival on Wednesday, June 10th, from 4 to 9 P. M. in the Parish House, and on the lawn, too—the weather permitting. We hope to have good strawberries, home-make cake and candy, ice-cream, and a flower table. Donations of any of these things will be most gratefully received on the morning of June 10th, at the Parish House. We wish to thank those (as if personally mentioned), for the lovely warm clothes, sweaters, shoes, etc., sent for the barrels which are going to Dr. Grenfell and to Mr. Persons' work at Yancey, Va. If you know what good these clothes do for Dr. Grenfell's work and how they help in the Clothing Bureau for the mountaineers it should make you very happy to have a part in it. The garments made by The Woman's Friendly this winter and spring from the Diocesan Supply Bureau went to the Episcopal Hospital, the City Mission, and other Diocesan work. The few remaining meetings will be devoted to work for the Colored Cripples at St. Michael's and the little mountain girl whom we wish to educate.

The last meeting for the summer will be June 17th, when Mrs. Bruce Ford has so kindly asked us to her lovely place for a picnic.

CELESTINE P. PEPPER.

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Joanne Grebe.
John Llywelyn Nevill Smythe.
Henry Percival Glendinning, Jr.
Robert Glendinning Frazer.
Edward Starr III.
Samuel Bell IV.

Marriage.

David Brady and Mary Jane Smith

Burials.

J. Walter Zebley.
Katharina Foster.

THE FLOWER MISSION.

A letter of thanks has already been received:

House of Rest for the Aged,
Germantown

The Board of Managers of the House of Rest acknowledge with thanks your kind donation of two lovely baskets of flowers. Each lady has a bunch for her room—very much appreciated. Signed:

May 21, 1925. E. SURMAN.

One swallow may not make a summer but one or two bunches of flowers go a long way toward making a summer happy for city dwellers. Here are two ways in which many of us can do our bit in the Flower Mission:

(1) Send flowers to the Parish House each Wednesdays morning at or before 10 o'clock.

(2) Sign up for one of the last three Wednesdays in August as "Expressman." We shall want your motor at 11.30 at the Parish House to take the flowers to the city. It will be back here by 1.30.

SILVER CLEANING COMMITTEE.

There will be four or five vacancies on the Silver Cleaning Committee after June first. Will any one wishing to join this committee for the summer please phone Chestnut Hill 0818. It is not arduous work, only a half hour once a month if our committee is full, so please lend a hand.

MRS. FARNUM,
Chairman.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

On Thursday evening, June 18th, at 8.15 o'clock, the G. F. S. will present, in the Parish House, a comedy entitled "How the Story Grew."

Admission free. Silver collection for the benefit of the work of the Society.

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KALENDAR.

June.

7. Trinity Sunday.
11. St. Barnabas.
14. First Sunday after Trinity.
21. Second Sunday after Trinity.
24. Nativity of St. John Baptist.
28. Third Sunday after Trinity.
29. St. Peter.

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Vol. XXXIII.

Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, October, 1925

No. 7

RECTOR'S COLUMN.

The beginning of a new year is always an inspiring time. October marks the beginning of the parish year. It is now that every organization recommences its meetings and makes up its plans. It is a great satisfaction for your new clergy to find in every one of the parish societies leaders who are so entirely qualified for their position. It makes them feel at liberty to devote themselves to the strictly religious work of the parish which they conceive to be their true function.

The work of the church school will be pushed with some vigor this year. It is children in the impressionable stage of life who are best able to absorb religious truth. With our excellent staff and the admirable co-operation we have found on every hand, we hope that we may develop a school which will merit your confidence and give to the children of the parish adequate instruction.

Will the parents be good enough to make special note of the earlier hour, 9.30, and the different meeting place, the church. We shall begin every Sunday morning session with a short service and address.

CONFIRMATION.

Bishop Garland will make his visitation this year on Sunday morning, November 29th. I am very anxious to present a large and representative

class made up of both young people and those who, after some waiting have decided to join the church. Lectures will be held every Sunday evening between now and the end of November at six o'clock. I hope that all who have reached the age of fifteen will be very much inclined to come. If any are in doubt, I wish they would come to the class at the earliest moment and talk matters over with me. M. E. P.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL.

The school is starting its first regular session this first Sunday, October 4th, in the high hope of making the work especially effective this year. Miss Katherine Van Dusen is the new secretary and will be assisted in her work by Miss Harraden, the Parish Secretary, who will have what we soon hope to make an efficient office under her direction.

Many of last year's faculty have returned with new spirit, intending to devote more time and interest to the work even than they have done before. It is hoped that many of them, will attend the School of Instruction for Teachers which will be carried on for ten successive weeks this autumn.

The service of Consecration, which takes place this morning, will remind us of the primary position that religious education must occupy in a church whose first concern is making Christ-known.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

At the Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary held last spring, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, Mrs. B. Franklin Pepper; First Vice-President, Mrs. Arthur E. Newbold, Jr.; Second Vice-President, Mrs. Edwin N. Benson, Jr.; Secretary, Mrs. Joseph Wood Wagner; Assistant Secretary, Mrs. Eugene V. Allen; Treasurer, Mrs. H. Frazer Harris; Assistant Treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Harris.

We are to be heartily congratulated on our new President. She is a most magnetic leader and will be warmly-welcomed by the loyal band of "stand bys." What I also crave for her is a large number of new active workers. We have the reputation of being one of the strongest branches of the Auxiliary in this Diocese and many give generously of their means who never come to a meeting. A smaller number give also of their time and come regularly to hear what is being done in all parts of the world for the Master. May I urge those who may not have thought of it in this way to look upon the time spent in these meetings as part of their tithing to the Lord? It is a gift of time, so precious to us all in these busy days, and if we come this winter in that spirit we will be amply repaid.

KATHARINE W. HAINES

WEEK DAY SERVICES.

Week Day Services have commenced and will continue throughout the season—Holy Communion on Thursdays at seven-thirty and ten, also on Saints Days at the same

hours. Morning Prayer and Litany on Fridays at ten.

MISSIONS.

The Missionary Apportionment of this Parish for
1925\$26,000.00
Amount credited on books
of Diocesan Treasurer
Sept. 1\$11,217.32
Due December 31, 1925 ...\$14,782.68

MR. BIRCKHEAD.

The parish is to be congratulated upon the arrival of the Rev. Malbone H. Birckhead as curate. He comes to us after considerable experience both in the fields of school-teaching and pastoral work. A few of us know him already and the rest will soon learn to call him friend, for his work will be largely of a pastoral nature that will bring him sooner or later to every house in the parish. Mr. Birckhead's special responsibility will be with the Men's Bible Class.

"IF ANY BE SICK."

The clergy wish to be informed of the names of all who are sick in the parish. It would very much assist in the work if we could be informed from the house where the illness exists. By people sometimes forget so that we should be glad to have the information come from any source. Won't you keep this matter in mind?

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

The first meeting of the season will take place on Monday, the 5th. It will begin with a service in the Church promptly at 8 o'clock.

THE CHI RHO GUILD.

Delegates from the Guild consisting of our President, James Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Irvine, and Miss Douglas attended the Sectional Conference of the Diocesan Young People's Fellowship at the Church House Thursday, September 24th. After supper plans for the annual Conference of the Fellowship were discussed. It is a great privilege to be members of the Diocesan organization, and will mean much as time goes on and the sense of co-operation increases.

Plans for the Guild work have not yet been completed, but we are looking forward to an early opening and new life of usefulness and worship and service.

The enclosed letter from Bishop Burleson concerns all those who took part in making possible the Bishop Hare Memorial and the naming of the "Swift Bird Room."

Missionary District of South Dakota.
Sioux Falls.

August 25, 1925.

Mr. James C. Weaver, Pres.,
8301 Norwood Ave.,
Chestnut Hill,
Philadelphia, Pa.

My Dear Sir:

I am most grateful for your kind letter with the enclosed check. It makes me very happy to have Bishop Hare's work in this wide Western field so cordially remembered by his old parish in Chestnut Hill, and I thank Miss Douglas and the Chi Rho Guild for suggesting this disposal of the balance left over from the placing of the tablet.

I have devoted the amount you sent to help in providing a home for the Rev. Philip J. Deloria, one of Bishop Hare's devoted clergy. Forty-five years ago Bishop Hare

ordained him and for thirty-five years he has been the Superintending Presbyter of the Standing Rock Reservation. Now at the age of seventy-two he is returning to his old home at White Swan on the Yankton Reservation to take up less arduous work, and I have built him a house which he will occupy during his declining years. Your money will help do this and I know it is a thing Bishop Hare would greatly have appreciated.

Thanking you again for the kind thought, I am,

Faithfully yours,

(Signed) HUGH L. BURLESON.

The amount sent Bishop Burleson was \$35.80. An account of the Memorial appears in the South Dakota Churchman for September.

PARISH REGISTER.

Burials.

Katharine Johnstone Wharton.
Mary Lawn.
Clara Waterman Knight Potter.
Edward Hough Trotter.

BRASS CLEANING COMMITTEE.

In order to take care of the increasing work of the Altar Society it will be necessary to form a Brass Cleaning Committee. The work will not be arduous and will give an opportunity to those who cannot give much time to render a much needed service to the Church. Will those who would like to join, kindly give their names to the Rector or to Mrs. J. A. Harris, Jr., the Warden.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Painter, 34 West Graver's Lane, teacher of Piano and Theory, will have time for a few more pupils. Phone C. H. 2434.

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CALENDAR.

October.

4.—Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity.

11.—Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity.

18.—St. Luke, the Evangelist.

18.—Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity.

25.—Twentieth Sunday after Trinity.

28.—SS. Simon and Jude.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN.

The recent General Convention of the Church in New Orleans seems, by all reports, to have been an outstanding success. A great deal of business was accomplished and that of a constructive sort. The single minded enthusiasm of all the delegates for the Church's work seems to have been the key-note of the gathering. The subscription on the part of all the Dioceses to make up the deficit of the National Council is quite typical of the spirit which moved all.

The manifestation of such good will and corporate loyalty of such an emphatic nature is surely an indication of guidance by the Spirit of God. After the somewhat theological discussions in the Church during the past two years, spirited discussions on points of difference might easily have occurred and paralysed the Convention. As it is, the Church goes forward into the next triennium with a carefully thought out program behind which the power of the whole Church stands.

The nature of that program indicates the growing sense of responsibility in the Episcopal Church for the application of the Gospel to the problems of life. At home, for instance, the departments of Religious Education and Social Service are striking out into quite new fields of endeavor; while abroad, the work of Evangelism is to be pushed with increased energy. That St. Paul's is to have a large share in this work, both spiritual and financial, is a fact that will give us the highest satisfaction.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

The 26th is Thanksgiving Day. Special services will consist of Holy Communion at 7.30 and Holy Communion and address at 10 A.M.

BISHOP'S VISITATION.

Bishop Garland will make his annual Visitation to the parish on Sunday, November 29th, when he will confirm the class at the eleven o'clock service. There is an excellent representation in the class from the younger generation. I hope that in another year we may have a larger number of older people coming forward.

MISSIONS.

Amount credited on books of Diocesan Treasurer	
October 1	\$12,543.92
Paid during October	\$2,122.61
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	\$14,666.53

SUMMARY.

Apportionment	\$26,000.00
Paid to November 1	\$14,666.53
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Amount due Jan. 1, 1926	\$11,333.47

NOTICE TO ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTORS.

The Envelopes will be mailed to you during November. Please notify the Accounting Warden of any change of address.

It is a great piece of good fortune for us to be able to welcome Bishop Motoda and to hear him preach on Sunday morning, November first. He is the recently consecrated bishop of North Tokio and one of the first two Japanese priests to be advanced to the Episcopate. He has served for many years as a priest and thoroughly knows his subject.

Armistice Day, November 11, falls on Wednesday this year. There will be celebration of the Holy Communion at 7.30 and 10 A. M.

1926 BUDGET.

The following Budget as passed by the Vestry at their October meeting was presented at the Parish meeting held on October 22nd. The Budget as a whole was approved of though it was suggested that certain items might receive further study.

Salaries:

Rector	\$6,000.00
Curate	3,200.00
Sexton	1,500.00
Extra Help	500.00
Secretary	1,560.00
Accounting Warden's Office	120.00
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	12,880.00

Pension Premiums \$700.00

700.00

Music:

Boys and Men	\$4,063.00
Salary of Choirmaster	1,500.00
Assistant Organist	300.00
Sheet Music	200.00
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	\$6,063.00

Current Expenses:

Taxes	\$725.00
Insurance	500.00
Coal	1,200.00
Light and Power	300.00
Gas	25.00
Telephone	150.00
Printing	900.00
Care of Organ	120.00
Church School	1,000.00
Stationery and Postage ...	250.00
Miscellaneous Expenses ..	1,000.00
Altar Guild	400.00
Ordinary Repairs	500.00
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	\$7,070.00

Special Funds:

Sinking Fund and interest,	\$1,325.00
Choir Outing	700.00
Sexton's Outing	100.00
Parish Activities	300.00
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	\$2,425.00

Forward Work, Parish Needs:

Repairs and Alteration on Old Parish House	\$2,500.00
Alterations in Heating	150.00
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	\$2,650.00

Missions:

Estimated Apportionment, Episcopal and Convention Fund	1,000.00
Sustentation Fund	300.00
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	\$27,300.00

SUMMARY.

Missions	\$27,300.00
Expenses of Parish	29,138.00
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	\$56,438.00
Forward Work, Parish Needs	2,650.00
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	\$59,088.00

UNDELIVERED CERTIFICATES

The Rector has come into possession of certain baptism and confirmation certificates, dating back in some cases to 1915. They are all properly made out and signed but no address has ever been found for the owners.

If you could inform him of the whereabouts of any of these people he will gladly mail the certificates at once.

The addressless owners are: Anna May Boland, John Richard Boyd, Anna Simpson Broad, Christine Cromwell, Louis O. Desforbes, Robert Hamilton, Ruth Edna Kelly, Martha Nixon Miller, Emilie Potter Noble, Eleanor Montague Northrop, Edith Long Snyder, Dorothy Johnson Thies, Sarah Millward Walthour, Charles Alfred Wilson, Mrs. Agnes Wilson, John Castor Wilson.

CHOIR TRAINING CLASS.

Since there will be no vacancies for new boys at present, the Training Class will not be resumed until after Christmas.

MORITZ EMERY, Choirmaster

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

All women of the Parish are cordially invited to the meetings of the Woman's Auxiliary on the first Fridays of November and December and after January first every Friday at 10:30 o'clock.

MRS. FRANKLIN PEPPER.

A Devotional Day for all the women within the Convocation of Germantown will be held on Thursday, November 5th, in the parish of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, beginning with a service in the Church at 10:30 A. M.

The Rt. Rev. Thomas C. Darst, D. D., of the Diocese of East Carolina, will conduct the Day. Bishop Darst made the address in New Orleans, at the closing service of the Woman's Auxiliary—on October 22nd. Coming to us so soon after General Convention, we may expect a wonderful day of information and inspiration.

The charge for luncheon is fifty cents. It is very much hoped there will be a large attendance from St. Paul's. Please notify Mrs. Franklin Pepper, Chestnut Hill 1647, by Monday, November 2nd, if you intend to be present.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

The Women's Friendly organized for the Season on Wednesday, October 14th. We had the pleasure of having the Rector present and he opened the meeting with prayer for our work. The Society is going to have an additional pleasure this winter in having with them Mrs. Birkhead, who has already been a great pleasure to them. The members have been so troubled over their dear friend Miss Hebard's illness, but are now rejoiced to hear she is expected home very soon from the hospital and we hope to have her again in our midst before very long. The sewing now being done is for our usual Fair, to be held on Wednesday, December 9th, in the Parish House and we hope our friends will bear it in mind and come and we expect to have things suitable for Christmas presents and attractions for the children. New members are cordially invited to join The Women's Friendly any Wednesday evening at 8 P. M. and have a "Cup of Tea."

CELESTINE PAGE PEPPER.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

The Girls' Friendly Society have resumed their weekly meetings, under the leadership of Mrs. E. Y. Allen. On Monday, Oct. 5th, we had a short service in the Church, a business meeting and then a social hour during which refreshments were served and on Monday, Oct. 12th, we held the first of our monthly suppers, which was attended by twenty-seven girls and which seemed to be thoroughly enjoyed by all. These suppers will be held the second Monday evening of each month at 7 o'clock.

On Monday evening, October 19th, most of our time was devoted to smocking, and having been able to secure two girls to teach us, we were all given the necessary attention. During the smocking lesson Mrs. Nalle very kindly read a story.

We will hold our first Corporate Communion on Sunday, November 1st, at eight o'clock and everybody is urged to be present.

On Saturday, November 21st, the Friendly will hold a Cake and Candy Sale in the Parish House and we hope that all our good friends will donate cakes, candy, etc., and will also come and buy. Do not forget the date Saturday, November 21st, from 3 P. M. until 9.30 P. M.

Also, girls, do not forget the next supper date, Monday evening, November 9th, at 7 o'clock.

Anyone wishing to buy Christmas cards can secure same through the Girls' Friendly; they are both pretty and inexpensive.

CLARA H. LAWSON, Chairman.

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Baptisms.

Sarah Meade Price
Joan Baker Eaton
Edward Biddle Clay II
Mary Drayton
Esther Virginia Larzalere

Marriages.

Benjamin Franklin Pepper—Anna Blair Harris
George Lawson Wrenn II—Mary Trotter Goodman
Donald Clarke Rubel—Julia Davis Lee
Alfred R. Hunter—Virginia L. Carpenter
Shirley Carter McCall—Elizabeth Dulles Bartow

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- I. All Saints' Day (Twenty-first
Sunday after Trinity)
8. Twenty-second Sunday after Trin-
ity.
11. Armistice Day.
15. Twenty-third Sunday after Trin-
ity—St. Machutus
22. Sunday next before Advent—St.
Cecilia
26. Thanksgiving
29. First Sunday in Advent.
30. St. Andrew, Apostle.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN.

The men of the Parish will make the house to house canvass during Sunday, December 6th, and the week following. Our aim is *to secure every adult member of the Parish as a regular contributor*. What great advantages the success in this task has in store for us! It will mean not only the guaranteeing of our Budget for the year, but it will draw everybody together in a common task. Certainly we shall succeed, for here is the chance for the fine spirit of the parish to manifest itself. Everybody can at least *give something regularly* for the Church's Work.

At its last meeting the Vestry made certain small changes in the Budget. The item for "Forward Work" (\$2650.00) was taken out and an equivalent amount divided between the items "Sinking Fund" and "Miscellaneous Expenses." This would have kept the sum total the same, but for a careful study of the Music appropriation which has made possible a reduction of \$500.00 in it and in the total Budget.

How successful the special appeal has been to make up our deficit in the Missions Quota is shown by the fact that fifty-one contributors heard from to date have subscribed the sum of \$5557.25. It gives me particular satisfaction not only to receive such a fine response at a time which some of you may find inconvenient, but also to feel that so large a number of

St. Paul's people are heart and soul behind the great work that the General Church is doing.

CHRISTMAS.

CHURCH SERVICES.

Our celebration for Christmas this year will commence with a Watch Night Service on Thursday, the 24th, commencing at 11.40 P. M. On Christmas morning the services will be as usual, Holy Communion at 8, Holy Communion and Sermon at 10 o'clock.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL.

The School will hold its Carol Service and Pageant on Sunday afternoon, December 20th, at 3.30. We have decided to make it a giving Christmas this year. The various classes are planning to undertake certain group tasks, but in addition to this it is suggested that each child bring a present worth not more than 50 cents to present at the Manger. These gifts will be taken to the St. Barnabas Church School in Germantown and will be presented there by a committee of our children. The Rev. Ernest S. Thomas, rector of St. Barnabas will be present at our service and will officially receive the gifts.

HOUSE COMMITTEE.

All reservation for the Parish Building should be made through Mrs. Francis S. McIlhenny. Telephone Chestnut Hill 0252.

CHURCH SCHOOL CONFERENCE.

The District Sunday School Association has been invited by the Rector to meet here on Tuesday, December 8th. The meeting will start with a service at 5.30 which will include a sermon by Mr. Peabody. At 6.30 supper will be served in the Parish House and at 7.30 the Rev. Paul Micou, formerly Assistant Secretary of Religious Education of the National Council will lecture on "The Use of the Imagination in Teaching Children in the Church School." A conference will follow the lecture. It is hoped that all members of the Church School staff will be present, but any members of the Parish are most welcome. Will those who wish to come kindly inform the Rector or Miss Katherine P. Van Dusen, the Church School secretary?

MEMORIAL FLOWERS.

It is the custom in a number of churches to give people the opportunity on the various Sundays of the year to supply Memorial Flowers. This custom has to some extent obtained with us at St. Paul's. Thus during November the Sunday Altar Flowers were given by the following:

All Saints' Day—Mrs. Frederick Packard in memory of Mrs. George Willing.

November 8th—Mrs. Mahlon H. Kline.

November 15th—Mrs. Edward Hopkin "In Memoriam."

November 22nd—Mrs. Jacob Diss-ton.

November 29—Mrs. Mahlon Kline in memory of her husband.

In some cases the flowers have been given apparently with no memorial in mind. But the opportunity is now presented for any to give who so desire. A list will be found at the back of the church upon which those who wish to give flowers may sign their names in the vacant space following any Sunday that they choose.

This plan is not dictated by an economical motive, but with the desire of enabling people to keep green the memory of loved ones departed.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

Miss Anna Harraden, the Parish Secretary, may be found in the office every day between 10 and 1 o'clock and between 2 and 5 o'clock. The telephone number is Chestnut Hill 3917.

WOMAN'S FRIENDLY.

The Woman's Friendly will hold a sale of Aprons, Dusters, Bags, Toys, Home-made cake and candy on Wednesday, December 9th in the Parish House from 3 to 9 P. M.

Donations of any of the above articles will be most gratefully received at Parish House on December 8th and 9th.

There will be attractions for the children, including a Christmas Tree with mysterious packages thereon, and a toy table as well. Afternoon tea and ice cream will be served.

We hope our good friends will come and help to make it a success in giving "Christmas Cheer" to those in need and to aid in carrying on the work of the Society. C. P. PEPPER.

MISSIONS.

Amount credited on books of Diocesan Treasurer	
November 1 - - -	\$14,781.53
Paid during November -	3,406.10
Total - - - - -	\$18,187.63

PARISH REGISTER.

Baptisms.

Sonia Allen
James Yarnall Brinton

Confirmations.

Edith J. Cadwallader
John Churchill
Delphine Clarke
Ralph Davis
Mildred Dickinson
Phoebe Dunn
C. Bradford Fraley, Jr.
Dorothy D. Fraley
Jane G. Galloway
John R. Griffith
Alison R. Harrison
James G. Hogg
Josephine Johnson
Mary Johnson
May Bell Krumbhaar
Charles D. Latta
Deborah D. Meryweather
Alice K. Muir
Mildred Packard
Mary E. Perot
Elizabeth Platt
Frances M. Sadtler
William Henry Snyder, Jr.
Francis P. Steel
Josephine A. Swope
Elizabeth B. Taussig
John H. Taussig
Mary K. Wainwright
Janet H. Wear
Mrs. F. Whittaker

Marriage.

Roy Millet Snyder—Lidie Baker
Johnson

Burials.

Beulah Wolf
J. John Sandiford

OUR CHOIR AT "THORNTON ABBEY."

On November 14th, twenty-five men and boys from St. Paul's Choir presented a concert at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Thornton, of Haverford.

The Abbey, profusely decorated with autumn flowers and having perfect acoustics, made an ideal place for music.

The choir was fortunate in being able to secure Jimmie Weaver to play their accompaniments and Karl Gilbert "The Choir Violinist," to play two groups of solos.

The many guests were most attentive and enthusiastic, which helped the performers to sing and play truly gloriously.

A bountiful supper followed the music. The hosts evidently knew the boy-capacity for more; for several of the youngsters were heard to say "I was served three times to everything!"

Souvenirs in the form of scout knives and wallets were given to each participant of the program and the happy evening ended. M. E.

BOOK RACKS.

With a view to equipping the church properly, we have ordered a book rack for each of the pews which is now without one. As soon as these are installed there will be a thorough overhauling of the Prayer Books and Hymnals in the church. New ones will be supplied where necessary and old or damaged ones will be removed.

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CALENDAR.

December

- 6.—Second Sunday in Advent
- 13.—Third Sunday in Advent
- 16.—Ember Day—Wednesday
- 18.—" "—Friday
- 19.—" "—Saturday
- 20.—Fourth Sunday in Advent
- 21.—St. Thomas. Apostle—Monday
- 25.—Christmas Day—Friday
- 26.—St. Stephen, Martyr—Saturday
- 27.—St. John, Evangelist, First Sunday after Christmas
- 28.—Holy Innocents—Monday
- 31.—New Year's Eve—Thursday

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This confidence in men together with this method of His was officially adopted very early in the Church's history and made practical for Christians in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Each time we receive it we make a fresh start and we make it with the knowledge that this time we shall run a little further in the race that is set before us than we have ever gone before. As the years go on the soundness of this religious proposition becomes more and more manifest.

There are in this parish a number of people who thoroughly believe in the Divine Help which they receive through Holy Communion, but it has surprised me to find that there are many who feel it unnecessary to re-

ceive the Sacrament except on the great feasts. May I here suggest that this new year will be for each of us the most fruitful in our lives if we decide at its outset to make our Communion *regularly each month*? It will give us the assurance that God wipes out old accounts against every one of His children who, admitting his failure, looks up and cries, "Oh Father, give me another chance."

PARISH CANVASS.

The response of the parish to the slogan "Make the business of the Church businesslike" has been extremely encouraging. The work of visiting was done most cheerfully and effectively by some forty-five men of the Church who have brought in to date at least two hundred new subscriptions and a total of at least \$45,000 towards our budget for 1926. This is a splendid showing and all those who have had a part in the work deserve great commendation. Results like this could only come from generous hearted people.

It should be remembered, however, that the full budget of \$59,088 has not yet been raised. We have great hopes of coming closer to it when we have heard from two classes of pledgers who are thoroughly "good prospects."

(1) There are a number of regular givers through the envelopes during the last year who have *not yet* sent in their pledge cards for 1926. (2) Then there are a number of possible new ones who told the canvassers that they would mail their cards in the near future. It would help very much indeed if these people *could* mail their pledges at once to the Accounting Warden. We should then know how much we have to count on for 1926.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

The Woman's Friendly Society want to thank the Congregation most heartily for the wonderful help and support given them at their Fair and to tell them how much Christmas Cheer they have helped to give in so doing. Donations were sent to the following: The Evergreens, Chestnut Hill, for stockings; to Mrs. Spadone for work among her very needy in the city; St. Agnes House; St. Michael and All Angels for the Colored Crippled Children's Christmas; the Galilee Mission; for Christmas at Bear Mountain Mission, Amherst, Va.; to the Rev. Mr. Persons for educating the Little Mountain Mission Girl, Ruth; to the Salvation Army for Christmas Dinners; also to Christ Church, Millwood, Va., for their Colored Sunday School Christmas Festival; a number of Christmas baskets were sent out on Chestnut Hill beside a number of presents and gifts of appreciation. The amount realized from the Fair was about \$456.00 with donations and over \$384. was cleared. The money given to the various missions and all the donations will appear in the Treasurer's Annual Report in the February Leaflet.

About \$50.00 is retained for materials which are gotten from the Diocesan Supply Bureau for the different Missions for which the sewing will be done for the rest of the season. The Society wants to thank every one for their continued help and interest without which they could not carry on this work, and to wish all their good friends the Very Happiest of New Years.

C. P. PEPPER.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

Beginning Friday, January 8th, and every Friday thereafter, the Woman's Auxiliary will hold its meeting at 10.30 o'clock. All women of the parish are cordially invited to attend.

MISSIONS.

The effort which we made to fulfil our quota for the Missionary work of the Church has also been greeted with great generosity. Within six weeks about \$8,000 has been raised, with the result that we are today within a few hundred dollars of our goal. The books of the Diocesan treasurer will be open until January 10th so that we will have until then to make our payments. If there are any who have not yet given who would like to contribute anything it would assist in the making up of the last \$1,000 which we have not yet fully in hand.

PARISH REGISTER.

Baptisms.

Nina Cooke.
Michael R. Holl, Jr.
Ethel E. Shantz.
Minturn T. Wright.

Marriage.

Dallas Lore Sharp, Jr.
Helen Sherman Griffith

CALL C. H. 0503.

The following "poem" came recently from a sick man who had learned its moral and was informing the rector of his illness. The sentiment is excellent, the expression supreme!

If the parish as a whole would take this to heart and telephone (for number see above) the clergy when they are "sick abed" it would make us feel that you realize the power of religion not only to minister to souls but to make bodies whole also.

ARE YOU SICK ?

Mrs. Huff is up the Miff Tree
On a seat fixed good and firm;
And she'd like to tell the Rector
A few things and make him squirm.

Mrs. Huff was sick abed, sir,
Yes, sir, sick abed a week!
And the Rector didn't call, sir,
Never even took a peek.

Wasn't that enough, enough, sir,
To provoke a saint to wrath,
And to make a Christian Pilgrim
Wander from the Churchly path ?

When I asked her if the Doctor
Called to see her, she said, "Sure,"
And she looked as if she thought I
Needed some good strong mind cure.

Then I asked her how the Doctor
Knew that sickness laid her Low,
And she said that she had called him
On the 'phone and told him so.

So the Doctor called to see her,
But the Rector didn't go,
For the Doctor knew that she was ill
And the Rector didn't know.

Now the Doctor gets his bill paid
With a nicely-written check,
But the Rector, for not knowing,
Simply gets it "in the neck."
A. Q. BAILEY

ALTAR FLOWERS.

A number of people have taken advantage of the opportunity to sign up on the various Sundays of the year. On these days they will undertake to supply flowers for the Altar as a Memorial to those who are departed.

A number of Sundays are still vacant. Would you be kind enough to scan the list at the rear of the Church to see if you should care to choose a Sunday. We should like to have the list completely filled by the end of the month.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

On Monday, January 4th, the Girls' Friendly Society will have a Song Recital and Chorus led by Mrs. Philip Davis.

January 11th there will be a supper followed by a talk by Miss Martha Smith.

January 18th there will be a Birthday Party.

January 25th there will be a speaker to address the meeting.

FOUND.

A purse containing a sum of money in gold, some months ago. It was advertised at the time, but no claimant has appeared. The rector would appreciate any information that would lead to discovery of the owner..

WANTED.

In Chestnut Hill—Position as nurse or chambermaid by Protestant girl recently come to this country. Sister has held position in same family in Chestnut Hill for more than seven years and can be interviewed. Write Fanny McKnight, 203 W. Chestnut Avenue, Chestnut Hill.

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KALENDAR.

January.

1. Circumcision—New Year's Day.
Friday.
3. 2d Sunday after Christmas.
6. Epiphany—Wednesday.
10. First Sunday after Epiphany.
17. Second Sunday after Epiphany.
24. Third Sunday after Epiphany.
25. Conversion of St. Paul. Monday.
31. Septuagesima Sunday.

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Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, February, 1926

No. 2

RECTOR'S COLUMN.

The Treasurer's Report for 1925, printed in this issue of the Leaflet, though satisfactory in some respects shows the Parish in debt to the extent of \$5500. This has recently been reduced to \$4500. and provision for further reduction has been made in our 1926 Budget. The debt was incurred by unusually heavy repair expenses. The full payment of the sum asked of us for Missions in 1925 has been made but it required a special appeal at the end of the year which was most gladly and generously subscribed.

These observations are pertinent in recalling the size and make-up of our budget for 1926. It is smaller than our expenditure for 1925 but, nevertheless, includes the full Missionary Quota and carries a larger appropriation for the Church School. The canvass to raise it succeeded in securing over 200 new subscribers. It also supplied us with some \$47,000. worth of our Budget for 1926. This is a larger sum than has ever been in sight at this date before and represents a splendid effort on the part of the Parish, but it still fails to meet the Budget by about \$12,000. (Before making this announcement we have carefully looked up all prospective pledgers.)

While giving all possible credit for the efforts already put forth I wish the Parish to realize that the Budget has not yet been raised. Believing that people wish us to carry on the work at as high a standard as possible, we are proceeding with the program for which the Budget provides. *This leaves the way open, therefore, for the making of pledges by new contributors or an increase of pledges by those al-*

ready contributing. But until the Budget is fully raised the special appeal method of raising money cannot be dispensed with. When the new way is successfully consummated the old can be set aside.

LENT.

Ash Wednesday falls this year upon February 17th. As our plans are not fully developed I shall not inform you of them now except to say that the emphasis is to be laid upon Worship and Education.

There will be an adequate series of services in the first place. But each member of the congregation will be invited also to read at least three books, a list of which will be presented for choice and copies of which will be supplied to all who want them. Then we shall hold on the first four Wednesday nights in March a series of meetings in the Parish House preceded by supper and addressed by four speakers whom we have been at some pains to secure.

PARISH REGISTER.

Baptisms.

John Christian Bullitt,
November 29, 1925.
Virginia Lee Hooper,
November 29, 1925.
Robert Andrews Reath,
November 29, 1925.
John Henry Schwehm,
November 29, 1925.
Harold Mott Willcox, Jr.,
January 24, 1926.

Burials.

Mrs. Sallie M. Gardiner,
William K. DeVictor.

THE CHURCH BUDGET.

Amount 1926 Budget	
Missions	\$27,300.00
January 30, paid	
Diocesan Treasurer, for Episcopal and Convention Fund .	\$770.29
Sustentation Fund, 187.33	
On account of apportionment, 3,258.76	
	<u>4,216.38</u>
Due to be paid by	
December 31, 1926 . .	\$23,083.62

ALTAR GUILD REPORT.

Receipts	\$716.82
Expenses	506.12
	<u>210.70</u>

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

The Annual meeting of the Woman's Friendly Society for election of officers and general business was held on January 13th with a good attendance of members. The meeting was opened by the President in her customary way with a short service of prayer. The Treasurer's report for the past year told of a balance of \$102.03 in the treasury. All officers by suggestion and general approval were re-elected, they were, Mrs. David Pepper, President; Miss Mary E. Hebard, Vice-President; Miss Catherine McKelvey, Secretary, and Mrs. George Grebe, Treasurer.

The President thanked the members for their work and co-operation during the past year, and the members, in turn voiced much appreciation of the leadership and the many beautiful things done for their happiness by the kind thought and interest of Mrs. Pepper and Miss Hebard; one expression of which was a "Book Party" with prizes and delicious refreshments on January 6th, which every one enjoyed.

The work at present is on baby clothing purchased from the Diocesan Supply Bureau which will be sent to the City Mission and the Episcopal Hospital.

The Society continues to grow in numbers and interest. Some of the members come quite a long distance, from East Germantown, Roxborough, and West Philadelphia. The evenings pass all too quickly; every one enjoys the social cup of tea or coffee and there is always an extra cup in the pot and a warm welcome for the visitor and stranger.

CATHARINE MCKELVEY,
Secretary.

The Treasurer's report for 1925 follows:

RECEIPTS.

Jan. 1, 1925, Balance in Treasury	\$169.18
By Dues	27.60
By Strawberry Festival (personal donations and sale) . .	179.50
By Fair (personal donations and by sale)	463.53
By Special Donations	3.00

Total \$842.81

EXPENDITURES.

Expenses	210.46
Personal Gifts	84.75
Gifts to Parish	75.10
Gifts to various mission and charitable causes	370.47

Total \$740.78

Receipts	842.81
Expenditures	740.78

Balance \$102.03

MRS. GEORGE GREBE,
Treasurer.

Any one desiring fine laundry work and a capable person to cook dinners or serve them, please phone C. H. 3752—Mrs. David Pepper, or C. H. 3917—The Parish Office.

ANNUAL REPORT OF ACCOUNTING WARDEN.

REPORT OF EDWARD P. MOXEY & CO., CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS.

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STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

January 1, 1925 to December 31, 1925, Inclusive.

Balance cash on hand January 1st, 1925 \$4,295.58

RECEIPTS.

Parish Support:

Plate Collections	\$3,064.22
Pledges	20,850.91
Repair Account	944.86
Interest on Deposits	91.85
	<u>\$24,951.84</u>

Special Parish Purposes:

Communion Alms—Rector's Fund . . .	\$1,977.62
Choir Outing	774.00
Endowment Fund	1,115.58
Parish Activities	91.92
Furniture Account	125.00
	<u>4,084.12</u>
Offerings for Nation Wide Campaign	\$25,890.27
Offerings for Foreign Missions	174.39
Offerings for Domestic Missions	781.49
Christmas Offering	824.98
Gifts Pledged and Unpledged	422.49
	<u>28,093.62</u>
Borrowed from Pennsylvania Co., etc.	6,500.00
	<u>63,629.58</u>

\$67,925.16
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Total Receipts carried forward \$67,925.16

Total Receipts brought forward..... \$67,925.16

DISBURSEMENTS.

Current Parish Expenses:

Salaries of Clergy and Laymen	\$9,134.33
Pension Fund	528.80
Music	5,368.52
Operating Expenses	5,751.59
	<u>20,783.24</u>

Special Parish Activities:

Communion Alms	\$1,985.67
Endowment Fund	1,165.58
Repairs and Improvements	8,134.22
Parish Activities	178.30
Episcopal and Convention Fund	873.55
Support of Sunday School	492.26
Sustentation Fund	219.24
Choir Outing	700.00
Furniture Account	532.50
	<u>14,281.32</u>

Expenditures for Nation Wide Campaign..	\$24,570.40
Expenditures for Foreign Missions	174.39
Expenditures for Domestic Missions	881.47
Expenditures for Gifts	572.49
	<u>26,198.75</u>
Interest on Borrowed Money	\$167.92
Repayment of Borrowed Money	1,000.00
	<u>1,167.92</u>
	<u>62,431.23</u>

Balance December 31st, 1925 \$5,493.93
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This Balance is made up of the following credits:

Furniture Account	\$202.09
Missions 1926	1,196.57
Choir Outing	74.00
Christmas Offering	824.98
Rector's Fund	8.05
Expenses	3,188.24
	<u>\$5,493.93</u>

The amount credited to Expenses 3,188.24
Consists of:

Balance December 31, 1925	\$1,536.59
Amount paid in 1925 for 1926 Budget	1,651.65
	<u>\$3,188.24</u>
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Respectfully submitted,
ISAAC STARR,
Accounting Warden.

THE CHI RHO GUILD.

The Chi Rho Guild has entered its new year and is endeavoring not only to increase its membership, but also to provide something interesting and benefitting to all its members. So with that aim in view we have arranged a program for January, February, and March which includes questions and subjects pertaining to our Christian life.

It is my earnest endeavor to have all members of the Guild take an active part in its functioning. This results in the discussion of these subjects by a few previously appointed individuals whose purpose is to give a comprehensive talk which leads up to a general discussion by the whole group. In this way each member shares a responsibility for their particular topic and enables us to strengthen our group by earnest co-operation.

The program for February and March is as follows:

Feb. 7—Business meeting and concert, followed by Supper. Meeting at 4.30, supper 6.00. In charge of Mrs. Woodruff and James Weaver.

Feb. 14—Talk by Social worker at the Chestnut Hill Hospital.

Feb. 21—How can we use Lent? Rev. Nathaniel Groton.

Feb. 28—Favorite Hymns. A General Discussion.

March 7—Proposed changes in the Prayer Book. Talk by Rev. Wood Stewart.

March 14—What the Church is doing in certain Foreign Fields. Discussion George Moore, Ethel Boyer.

March 21—Interdenominational Sunday. Speaker (to be secured.)

March 28—The meaning of Holy Week. Talk by Rev. Mr. Birkhead.

All meetings except the Supper meeting Feb. 7th will be held in the Swift-bird Room at 3.30.

We are anxious to have a good representation every Sunday afternoon, especially so on the days when we have invited speakers.

All the younger members of the Parish will be most welcome, and their support is needed to make the Guild a success. Let us make this organization a big thing. Let it be a support to Church and then allow it to extend into the community so that Saint Paul's may be proud of the Chi Rho Guild. A. L. HARSHAW, *President*.

C. P. C.

The annual report of the Church Periodical Club is a good one. It shows that a lot of useful work is being done in sending out magazines to institutions and individuals of the Church. St. Paul's stands high up on the list of the parishes in this Diocese in C. P. C. work.

Our activities could be considerably widened, however, if the members of the parish could supply us with more magazines. If such magazines are left in the downstairs room of the Old Parish House at regular intervals they can be used to the greatest advantage.

If you have a magazine that you wish to give, would you kindly connect with Miss Alice T. Dashiell, 264 S. 16th St., Philadelphia, telephone Locust 5308.

The report follows:

Magazines sent to Institutions in bulk	895
Magazines sent direct by donors ..	109
Donors of above magazines	41
Books sent	20

Financial Statement:

Received from all sources:	
Balance	\$13.09
Donations	89.50

	<u>102.59</u>
Less expenditures	79.32

Balance	23.27
Expenditures:	
Annual dues	10.00
Xmas presents & donations	49.65
Mailing and expressing magazines	19.67
	<u>\$79.32</u>

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CALENDAR.

February.

2. Purification of the Blessed Vir-
gin Mary—Tuesday.
- 7 Sexagesima Sunday.
- 14 Quinquagesima Sunday.
- 17 Ash Wednesday.
- 21 First Sunday in Lent.
- 24 St. Matthias—Wednesday.
- 28 Second Sunday in Lent.

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No. 3

RECTOR'S COLUMN.

Do you remember the story of the Irish proprietor who as he was going over his property one summer and ran into 80 year old Patrick? "You still here, Pat?" he exclaimed.

"Begorra, your honor," replied the old fellow. "Any year if I don't die in March, I don't die at all!"

There is considerable reason in Pat's prejudice against the month of March. It is certainly slow in passing and rarely seems to be making any effort to act like the lamb. Many people show their contempt for it by a retreat to places where June perpetually reigns.

But there is something to be said for March. Those who miss it don't get half the *lift* out of springtime that we do who have borne the burden and chill of its murky season. How can they? The brightness of every morning owes at least half its brilliance to the gloom of the past night. It is a law of life, surely, that the real thrills are all earned.

Now this is not an argument in favor of cultivating misery. It sounds a bit like making a virtue out of grim necessity. But it is merely a statement that a drab time may prepare us, if we will let it, for keen appreciation of a joyous time to come. Lent is such a drab time. It is a period of self-denial. The Church has always kept it by "prayer and fasting." Our emphasis in this parish this year is

along definite lines of intellectual and spiritual effort. Many of us have gladly grasped the opportunity to do a piece of refining work on ourselves. That is a sound decision. Don't let us weaken on it, but carry through a bit relentlessly the plan we adopted on Ash-Wednesday. We shall be glad if we do. God does not reward His children with goodies. But to those who have kept their Lent He certainly reveals a fuller knowledge of His Risen Son on Easter Day.

FOR MISSIONS IN 1925.

The official report of the Diocesan Treasurer showing the amount contributed by the various parishes in 1925 for the work of the Church in the Diocese and of the General Church shows that this parish has contributed the second largest amount of all parishes printed in the list. Our total was \$37,212.65. Of this amount \$26,000 represents our quota payment, \$2,000 was for forward work, and \$9,000 for "specials." This is an exceedingly satisfactory showing and entitles every member of the parish who had a bit in it to the thanks of the General Church. I know of few ways in which money can be more usefully invested than in the mission work of the Church. It is a source of great satisfaction to me that so many members of the parish feel the same way about it.

WEDNESDAYS IN MARCH.

On the first four Wednesdays in March there will be heard four representatives of the Church's missionary effort. I have been at some pains to select men of experience and speaking ability.

Dr. Pott, president of St. John's College, Shanghai, is easily one of the distinguished educational leaders of modern China. He makes the opening address on March 3rd.

Mr. Tsen is a Chinese priest of the Church selected for preferment who has been sent to this country for a year of study.

Dr. John Wood is the executive secretary of the Department of Missions who knows more about the work of the Mission Field than anyone else in the Church.

Mr. Schmuck is a recently appointed secretary of the same department who knows his subject and presents it well.

Before the first meeting we shall have a supper in the Parish House at 7 o'clock. On each occasion the speaker will be introduced promptly at 8.30. Our purpose is to follow the talk with questions and a conference. Here is an opportunity to find out from authorities the policy and many details of the missionary activity of the Church. We contribute a good many thousand dollars each year from this parish for the purpose. Let us be as intelligent as we can in the cause in which we take such a lively interest.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

The Woman's Auxiliary meets every Friday at 10.30 o'clock. All women of the parish are cordially invited to attend.

WOMEN'S FRIENDLY.

The women are very grateful for the Church and Missionary services on the Wednesday evenings in Lent, as they have a special opportunity of attending before meeting for their regular business and sewing.

There are many demands on the Society's activities at the present time. Last month two barrels filled with clothing, toys, books, etc., were sent to the Mission Station at Yancey, Va. for the work which the Rev. Mr. Persons is doing there. Now an urgent appeal is being made for clothing of all kinds for the city Mission and for clothing for two grown-up colored crippled boys, small men's size would do.

The Society feels that friends of the congregation have never failed to respond to a worthy appeal and, therefore, make this request in the confidence that it will be fulfilled.

Bundles left at the Parish House marked "For the Women's Friendly Society" will be gladly forwarded to the proper places and would be much appreciated. C. McKELVEY,

Secretary.

LENTEN SERVICE NOTICE
CORRECTION

I regret that the February issue of the Leaflet escaped into print with the notice of last year's Lenten Services. This was an error on the part of the management which is in this issue corrected. The official list of Services is contained in the Lenten Card which was mailed to every address on the Parish List.

THE ANTIQUITY OF
ANGLICANISM.

"When, therefore, the organized Christianity of England subtracted the pope, the Church returned to its primitive condition. It had lived six hundred years without the pope; it had then lived nine hundred years with the pope; it has since lived nearly five hundred years without him, as before. Here, for illustration, is a church wall; after a good while, ivy is planted beside it, and grows so thickly over it that not a stone is visible; but this is found to be bad for the wall, and the ivy is cut off. Thus over the Church of England grew ivy of the papal domination. In the sixteenth century it was removed. People used to say, when such things were matters of controversy, Where was your church before Henry VIII? It was like asking, Where was the wall before the gardener cut the ivy? It was just where it has always been."

From "The Episcopal Church" by the Very Reverend George Hodges, D. D.

SUMMER TUTORS.

Are you looking for a tutor for your boy or girl this coming summer? Last year I secured a young man to be the companion and play director of a group of boys. It was a most successful arrangement. There is another boy, a member of my former parish, now in college, who is looking

forward to entering the ministry, for who I should also like to secure a similar position. I have also had an application from a missionary bishop in behalf of his niece, now a freshman at Bryn Mawr, who would like to take a similar summer job in the care of girls. If anyone is interested, I should be glad to hear from them. M. E. P.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY
LAND 1926.

Under the spiritual direction of the Rt. Rev. Ernest V. Shayler, D. D., Bishop of Nebraska, there will be a Churchman's pilgrimage to the Holy Land starting on April 8 from New York on the White Star Line Steamer "Megantic."

Bishop Shayler in 1924 was a member of the Pilgrimage of Anglican clergyman and laymen to Palestine. He was so impressed with the results gained by going with such a group both as concerned the Holy Land itself and the contact with the leaders of the Greek church, that he has undertaken himself to be the leader of this tour.

It will be necessary to act immediately if the opportunities of the trip are to be enjoyed. The rector will be glad to give further information.

FOUND.

A pair of spectacles in black and white horn rims in the church about a month ago. May be claimed by applying to the sexton or rector.

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CALENDAR.

March 7.—Third Sunday in Lent
" 14.—Fourth Sunday in Lent
" 21.—Fifth (Passion) Sunday in Lent
March 25.—Annunciation—Thursday
" 28.—Sixth (Palm) Sunday in Lent
March 29.—Monday before Easter
" 30.—Tuesday before Easter
" 31.—Wed. before Easter

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RECTOR'S COLUMN.

We have devoted Lent in this Parish to informing ourselves upon various religious subjects. This is probably a sound policy. Inspiration—to accomplish is more likely to come when we know, when it comes, it finds more intelligent expression.

In no connection is this process more clearly justified than in dealing with the mysterious achievement of Christ during Holy Week and Easter Day. To the mind uninformed of His Purpose and Story during this period "The Easter Season" provides simply a convenient excuse for exhibiting Spring millinery. But the soul who has undertaken to "Stand with Him, wounded, scourged, and crucified" has earned his title to a share in the supreme achievement of Christ, the triumph over all the sins and failures of life—and even the conquest of death.

To the uninitiated these last phrases mean very little. But to anyone who during Holy Week reads day by day the Passion Story (St. Luke chap. 22 and 23, or St. John chap. 18 and 19) and who on Good Friday watches through the hours of sorrow, the dawn of Easter will bring Peace out of pain, and out of darkness the breaking of Everlasting Light.

BAPTISMS, EASTER EVEN.

At 5 o'clock on Saturday before Easter we shall hold the special service of Baptism at which I very much hope all unbaptized children and infants in the parish will be presented. If each person who knows of a child as yet unbaptized would bring this fact to the notice of the parents, they would surely be doing a great service both to the family and to the parish. M. E. P.

SERVICES FOR HOLY WEEK AND EASTER DAY.

Monday	{ 7:30 Holy Communion
Tuesday	{ 5:00 Evening Prayer
Wednesday	{ 7:30 Holy Communion 8:15 Evening Prayer
Maundy	{ 7:30 Holy Communion
Thursday	{ 5:00 Evening Prayer 8:15 Holy Communion
Good	{ 9:30 Children's Service
Friday	{ 12:00 Three Hour Service 5:00 Evening Prayer
Easter Even	{ 7:30 Holy Communion 5:00 Holy Baptism

EASTER DAY - APRIL 4

Holy Communion 7 and 8.
Holy Communion and Sermon 11.
Carol Service 3:30.

Please notice the Holy Communion at 7:30 on Maundy Thursday and the Children's Service at 9:30 on Good Friday. These do not appear on the Lenten Calendar card.

ANNUAL ELECTION.

The annual election of the Vestry will take place in the Parish House on Easter Monday, April 5th, at five P. M.

The members of the Parish are asked to come and record their votes. The polls will be open from 5 to 6 P. M.

EASTER DAY OFFERING.

The offering at all services on Easter Day will be for the Parish Endowment Fund. This Fund which started some years ago with a comparatively small sum, now stands at \$40,180.97. When it reaches \$50,000 it will be available for use in any way that we choose.

NEW CHOIR MASTER.

The Parish extends a cordial welcome to Mr. Francke C. Morley, the new organist and choirmaster. Mr. Morley has had many years of experience as the director of a boys' choir and has many pupils in his vocal studio in town. He has come to us provisionally for three months.

The resignation of Mr. Emery and the choir men is most regrettable in many ways. But we are grateful for their service and wish them good fortune wherever they may be.

Our present task is the building up of a new choir. To Mr. Morley who is undertaking it we pledge our full support.

"PATRIOTS' DAY" APRIL 14.

The law makes it necessary for all who would vote in an election to register beforehand. Registering therefore is the plain duty of every citizen. But there are special occasions when this duty becomes particularly emphatic, as, for instance, when an election represents a moral issue. At the spring primaries this year various moral issues are involved. Failing to vote at such a time amounts to a resignation from duties both civic and Christian.

In Ward 22, where most of the members of St. Paul's live, not half of the voters are registered. This is an unfortunate commentary upon the irresponsibility which is doing so much to undermine the fortunes of democracy.

Each of us rightly feels that we have a voice in the government. This means to us a right to criticise as well as a right to vote. But surely he or she who fails to vote, especially when there are real issues to vote upon, should either register and vote or else forever hereafter hold both his or her peace!

PARISH REGISTER.

Baptisms.

Thomas Gardner Aspinwall

Burials.

Mrs. R. Bayard Bowie

Randal Morgan

"TO THE CHURCH"

The National Council at its last meeting took action along the lines of the policy laid down at General Convention which directed that no more deficits were to be permitted. The subscription of all dioceses to the 1926 Budget having failed to balance that Budget by \$200,410, the Council cut the Budget to correspond to expected financial support in the following ways:

National Headquarters	\$34,250
National Church Organizations ..	55,125
Foreign-born American Work	6,000
10 per cent Reduction in Continental	
Dioceses	72,118
2 per cent Reduction in all Foreign	
Fields	32,917
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	\$200,410

MR. CHAPMAN—ON APRIL 18.

It is a great pleasure to announce that the preacher on Sunday morning, April 18th, will be the Rev. John H. Chapman, late rector of this parish. Mr. Chapman's health is very much improved. His preaching at St. Stephen's church during Lent has made the present rector conclude that his revisiting his old parish was possible and therefore a matter of primary necessity!

CAKE AND CANDY SALE.

The Chi Rho Guild will hold a Cake and Candy Sale on Saturday afternoon, April 10th, from 3 until 6:30 o'clock. The proceeds of this sale will be used to help defray the expenses of the Provincial Conference of Young People's Fellowships which is to be held in Philadelphia April 23-25.

KALENDAR.

- April 1.—Maundy Thursday
 " 2.—Good Friday
 " 3.—Easter Even
 " 4.—Easter Day
 " 5.—Easter Monday
 " 6.—Easter Tuesday
 " 11.—1st. Sunday after Easter
 " 18.—2nd. " " "
 " 25.—3rd. " " "
 —St. Mark, Evangelist

EMPLOYMENT WANTED

A young man connected with the parish is looking for a position as chauffeur. He has driven all makes of cars. If interested, kindly apply to the Rector.

Situation wanted as chambermaid by young Irish Protestant, with good reference from last employer in Ireland. Apply Chestnut Hill 3246.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN.

My first year as your rector has just come to its close. It has been a very happy and profitable year for me. I cannot let the occasion pass without telling you how thankful I feel for the splendid support you have all given me. The cordiality of your reception has been followed up with a willingness to work or give at every point where work or gifts are called for. While realizing of course that your service is to the *Church itself* I still wish to tell you of my appreciation of your generosity and patience in availing yourselves so loyally of whatever leadership I have been able to supply. With such a spirit as yours surely we shall make progress in the direction of the things about which we care most.

MISSIONARY QUOTA.

It is a great pleasure to be able to announce that the Parish having pledged toward its Missionary Quota in the first three months of the year \$6,501.00 has actually paid to the Diocesan Treasurer \$7,729.07. This is quite typical of the Missionary enthusiasm of St. Paul's people and if equalled in each quarter will just a little more than make up our Quota. Let not our success, however, lead us to relax our efforts for there is great need for all we can give.

MORE CLERGY NEEDED.

The summary of statistics of our church for 1925 compared with those for 1924 shows a marked gain in the following departments:

In communicants a gain of 27,078 or 2.35 per cent and in subscriptions a gain of two and a half million dollars

or 6 per cent. These are satisfactory increases but they are balanced by an increase in Church School scholars of only 0.2 per cent and in the clergy of 0.3 per cent. There are happily fewer burials but there are also fewer marriages and fewer church school teachers.

The least encouraging sign is the small increase in the clergy. Our church has for some years been very much handicapped by this factor. When the church is adequately manned it will be able adequately to fulfil its task.

THE DIOCESE AND THE GENERAL CHURCH.

General Convention has decided that in order to prevent further deficits the Church's annual budget shall be balanced at the beginning of each year by the sum of money pledged by the various dioceses for her work. In February of this year, therefore, there came to the National Treasurer definite promises in answer to the "quota expectations" for which he had previously asked the Dioceses. The total of pledges failed to meet the proposed budget of \$200,410 and the 1926 budget as adopted now stands reduced by that amount.

This Diocese which has always subscribed so generously was among those unable to assume the full quota expected of it this year. Of the \$316,000 asked a sum total of but \$200,000 was pledged by the various parishes. Due to pressure from those who are most concerned with mission work that pledge was later raised to \$250,000. The Bishop has appointed a committee to help in raising the extra

\$50,000 and indeed of the full \$316,000 if possible.

Manifestly St. Paul's parish is doing its part, for the \$26,000 which we have pledged represents more than one-tenth of the sum for the whole diocese.

This notice represents no appeal. It is simply made to explain the present position of our parish and our diocese with reference to the financial position of the General Church which needs all that it has asked of every diocese in order to do its work properly.

ENDOWMENT FUND.

The Pennsylvania Company. Trustee for the Endowment Fund. Memorandum of Securities held March 8th, 1926:

U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan ...	\$1,100.00
U. S. 4th Liberty Loan ...	15,100.00
U. S. 2nd Liberty Loan ..	11,200.00
Northern Pacific Railway	
Prior Line 4s	10,000.00
Union Pacific R. R. 1st Mtg.	
4s	1,000.00

\$38,400.00

Uninvested interest and Principal

1,645.71

40,045.71

GIRL'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

On Wednesday evening, May 12th, at 8:15 o'clock the Girl's Friendly Society will present a one act comedy entitled "How the Story Grew." The play will be followed by dancing and there will be refreshments for sale. The money realized by this entertainment is to be used for the Girl's Friendly National Center in Washington and for the Consumptive Home in Chestnut Hill. Much time and thought has been spent in planning this entertainment and the G. F. S. is counting on the backing of the Parish to help make it a success. Tickets may be procured from any member of the Society.

FLOWER MISSION.

The Flower Mission will start this year on Wednesday, May 26th, when all those who would like to send flowers to the various settlement houses in town may do so if they will leave them at the Parish House before ten o'clock. The Mission extends all through the summer so that regular weekly contributions of this sort will be of the greatest help.

We had some difficulty last year in securing workers to arrange and do up the flowers. People were very kind, however, about sending their motors for transportation purposes. We need five workers during the heavy part of the season and one motor from 11.30 A.M. to 1 P.M. for each Wednesday.

Lists are posted in the back of the church for those to sign upon who wish to help in either of these ways.

Here is an opportunity to confer a great blessing at very little cost to any one of us.

MR. SUTER TO PREACH.

The parish will have the privilege of hearing the Rev. J. W. Suter, Jr., Secretary of the Department of Religious Education in the National Council on Sunday morning, May 9th. Mr. Suter who has recently come into his office, has done outstanding work in Religious Education. I have asked him to tell us something of the present efforts to make religious education as thoroughly high grade as that which children receive on week days. The church is making rapid progress in this direction.

MAY 23, WHITSUNDAY.

The third of the great feasts of the Church is Whitsunday. Holy Communion will be celebrated at the eleven o'clock service. I wish to draw especial attention to the date, realizing that it is not a feast which receives public acclaim as do Christmas and Easter; but it has, nevertheless, traditionally received from the Church almost equal emphasis.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

The members were given a very pleasant entertainment by the Vice-President, Miss Hebard, at her home on the evening of April 14th when she had a man who did marvelous and mysterious tricks that were both interesting and amusing for the first part of the evening, and then with her usual generosity she had tables laden with delicious refreshments which everyone present did ample justice to. All felt grateful to our hostess for a very happy time.

The meetings have been well attended and the women enjoyed the Church services and the Missionary lectures on the Wednesdays of Lent before beginning their active work and the business of the evening.

According to custom the Society intends having a Rummage Sale in May, and will give a large portion of the proceeds toward the Missions' deficit. We hope that our friends of the congregation will remember at housecleaning time that everything to be cleared out can be sold at a "Rummage Sale," and will be called for upon receipt of a post card or other notification by the Society.

Articles of warm clothing in good condition will be reserved to help in filling a barrel that we intend sending the latter part of May to Dr. Grenfell for his mission work in Labrador. Garments for that purpose would be much appreciated and may be left at the Parish House marked "For the Labrador Barrel."

CATHERINE MCKELVEY, Secretary.

EASTER OFFERING

Easter Offering for the Parish	
Endowment Fund.	\$1272.46
Good Friday Offering for	
Bishop of Jerusalem	177.50

The Church School Lenten Mite Box Offering amounted to \$488.00 this year.

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Baptisms.

George Vaughan Stron
Suzanne Alice Bromiley
Robert Pitfield Kulp
Frances Elizabeth Godfrey
Jean Evelyn Forbes
Martha Wright Harvey

Marriages.

Ralph Nicholson—Jane E. B. Harvey

Burials.

Andrew McCrea
Mary M. Watmough
Nellie Packer Abercrombie

PRIMARY DAY, MAY 18.

The wide spread appeal to register had excellent success. The ordinarily small number coming out to register in April was swelled almost to equal that of an autumn Registration Day. Now the opportunity comes for following up our registration with our vote at the Primary on May 18th.

The polls will be open from 7 A.M. to 7 P.M. so that it will be possible for everybody to find some moment in the day to get out and vote.

POSITIONS WANTED.

Position as chauffeur. Apply to Oliver Amile, 9200 Germantown Ave., Chestnut Hill, care of Mr. George Read.

Young North Ireland Protestant wishes position as private chauffeur. Can furnish reference for ability and character. Please apply to Henry Redmond, 458 Ledem St., Jenkintown. Telephone Ogontz 1787 J.

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CALENDAR.

May 1.—SS. Philip and James. Saturday

May 2.—4th Sunday after Easter

May 9.—5th (Rogation Sunday) after Easter

May 13.—Ascension Day. Thursday
May 16.—Sunday after Ascension Day.

May 23.—Whitsunday.

May 24.—Whitsun Monday.

May 25.—Whitsun Tuesday.

May 30.—Trinity Sunday.

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"WHAT WILT THOU HAVE ME TO DO?"

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No. 6

RECTOR'S COLUMN.

The prospect of Summer is surely an entrancing one. To most of us it brings a bit of vacation, but to everybody it brings something of a let-up from the "winter's grind," the joys of out-doors, and the promise of relaxation. All that is "good as gold." The very joy of looking forward to it has something in common with our hope of Heaven. The day when we lay down our work for a fortnight has in it at least the savour of the day when we lay it down forever. That is a good thought—forseeing Heaven in our Holidays!

Of course whether we *find* Heaven or not when we get to them is quite another thing. It involves us with the wretched rules that govern human life and mundane matters of a most unheavenly sort. It calls into play any wisdom that we have about us regarding the nature of true happiness and how to get hold of it.

Undoubtedly one of the surest and straightest paths to holiday happiness is the one with a slight up-grade to it, not a grade that calls for all our weight in the collar, but one that still keeps a minimum of harness on our backs. Getting "turned out to pasture" has its great value for a week, but its sweetness soon fades and then a terrible tragedy occurs. The grass in the next meadow looks greener!—the charm is broken.

Here is one suggestion for a holiday that is graded slightly up-hill,—a book, The Book, or part of it. A great deal that is both intelligent and attractive has been written about The Book of late. I am now getting into form a list of suggestions concerning the study of it which I trust may be of use to various members of the Parish. The list will be ready next Sunday.

The choice of books on the subject and methods to pursue will be somewhat varied so that one can elect his own angle of up-gradient. What of this plan for summer strengthening and holiday happiness,—the reading and study of the Bible?

IN THE CONFIDENCE OF A PERFECT FAITH.

In the death of William Potter, Chestnut Hill has lost one of its most beloved and respected citizens.

He was a member of St. Paul's Church for thirty-one years, and served faithfully as vestryman from 1894 to 1924. His was that vital sort of faith which led him daily to fulfil in his life the religion he so thoroughly believed. Christianity thus illustrated in terms of consecrated service not only enables a man to accomplish a work of great usefulness but helps the rest of us live.

In the sorrow for his loss the parish suffers with the great community he served, but our dominating thought can only be one of thanksgiving for his life.

CHURCH SCHOOL GRADUATION

On Sunday morning, June 13th, at eleven o'clock we shall welcome the members of the Church School and award their prizes during the course of the service. We did this same thing last year on the occasion of their commencement. The plan has the advantage of giving recognition to the school as well as informing the parish as a whole concerning its work. The sermon will be on the subject of Religious Education and the whole service, of course will turn on this subject.

DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION.

It is a great satisfaction after a careful consideration of various candidates to be able to announce the acceptance by Mrs. Annie H. Brown of the position of Director of Religious Education in the parish. Mrs. Brown is probably as well qualified a person for this work as it would be possible to get. She comes from a position in the Department of Religious Education in the Diocese of Massachusetts where she has worked with Mr. Suter for three or four years. Previous to that she held a similar position in the Church of Our Saviour, Longwood, Mass. This parish in many ways resembles our own.

Mrs. Brown will have as her task the building up of the Church School in every possible way. She will be ready to help the teachers with advice and instruction when desired. She will manage the administration in a far more efficient way than it is possible for the rector to do and will expand the functions and usefulness of the school in various directions. In parishes where Directors have been engaged who were well fitted for their position the work of the Church School has had a very rapid and at the same time healthy growth.

Mrs. Brown will start work in the middle of September.

THE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS.

On Sunday evening, May 23rd, we held our final meeting of this our fifth year of the Class. Instead of the usual afternoon meeting, a memorial service was held in the Church at 7.45 P. M. which was attended by 90 of our men and their families, in memory of our departed members, seven in number, as follows:

John Clymer	Squire Leaming
Harry Fry	Charles Millman
Thomas Hannan	Richard Moore
	Clifford Raser

Mr. Birckhead, who as our teacher,

we have all learned to love, gave us an inspiring message. Prayers were said for the departed by Mr. Peabody.

The entertainment given on April 29th was a big success and we wish to thank most heartily our good friends who so liberally purchased tickets and sent us donations of money. The proceeds amounting to \$230.00 have been placed in a fund for assisting any of our members when in distress and many other worthy objects.

Our Sunday afternoon meetings will be resumed the first Sunday in October.

D. J. LAWSON, *Secretary.*

GIRL'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

The G. F. S. wishes to thank all those who so loyally supported its play and entertainment. It is most gratifying to announce that we cleared over \$115.00. Of this sum our quota is to be sent to the G. F. S. National Center in Washington, a contribution is to be sent to the Bontoc School in the Philippines, and the rest is to be given the Consumptive Home as the nucleus for an "Elevator Fund."

The play has since been repeated at the Consumptive Home and at the First Presbyterian Church in Chestnut Hill.

On June 5th the G. F. S. of this parish are having a picnic for the G. F. S. of Old St. Peter's, Philadelphia.

On June 7th the final meeting of this season is to take place. This is to be known as "Mothers' Night" a time at which we hope to have all mothers of Friendly girls present.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY.

The Woman's Friendly thank the congregation most heartily for the many nice things they sent for the Rummage Sale, and for their never failing kindness. Including some good donations about \$211.00 was cleared. Four barrels of clothing, etc. left from the Sale will go to Mr.

Person's Mission at Yancey, Va. A number of warm articles of clothing and woolen scarfs and sweaters have been received for Dr. Grenfell's Mission. Any one wishing to add to the box can send to the Parish House marked for Dr. Grenfell before June 5th.

The meetings close for the season on June 16th with a Picnic at the Roumfort Inn. Again we thank our good friends for helping us to carry on the work.

C. P. PEPPER

EVENING SERVICE.

Sunday evening services will be continued during the month of June but omitted after that until the first Sunday in October.

The parish this year will take part in the Union Services undertaken by all the various churches in Chestnut Hill for ten Sundays beginning with July 4th. On that day the union service will be held at St. Paul's. We shall also have the union service here on Sunday, September 5th. During the intervening weeks the services will be held at the following churches:

July 11—Methodist

" 18—First Presbyterian

" 25—Baptist

August 1—Lutheran

" 8—Trinity Presbyterian

" 15—Baptist

" 22—First Presbyterian

" 29—Methodist

All members of St. Paul's are cordially invited to these services and it is hoped that a number of us may be present on each occasion.

FLOWER MISSION.

The work of the Flower Mission which started on May 26th, will continue on every Wednesday morning during the months of June, July, August, and September. A number of people have already very kindly volunteered their services, but we should be very glad to hear from others who feel that they can give the

time between the hours of ten and twelve just on these Wednesday mornings.

It goes without saying that all who can send flowers may be sure that they will be most thoroughly appreciated and made the best possible use of.

The work of the Mission is under the direction of Mrs. John Gilpin, president, Mrs. Howard S. Kneedler, vice-president and secretary. Will any who wish to help kindly report either to the church office (Tel. C. H. 3917) or to Mrs. Kneedler (Tel. C. H. 1332)?

WAR RISK INSURANCE.

The Veterans' Bureau has sent a notice to all clergymen asking them to bring to the attention of World War Veterans in their parishes the following facts concerning U. S. Government Life Insurance:

(1) World War Veterans who held War Risk policies at one time can reinstate this insurance now, but must apply before July 2, 1926.

(2) The reinstatement for insurance may be made by mail, but it would probably be wiser for one desiring to do so to go himself to the Veterans' Bureau on 20th and Arch Sts., Philadelphia.

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Baptisms.

John Maitland Brewer Churchill
James Martin Stewart

Marriages.

William B. Severn, Jr. and
Eleanor F. Coleman

Burials.

Mrs. Louisa Hesser Drakeley
George Drakeley
William Potter
William J. Spadone

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Joseph Huggins	Ernest Williams
Carl Liberg	James Young
Norman Lightcap	Biddle Young
Crofton Thompson	

Altos.

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Robert German	Archibald McKown

Tenors.

Walter Aldridge	William F. Hahn
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Basses.

Fred Barber	Norman D. Sherman
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Saints days and Holy days: Holy Communion at 7.30 A. M.

Thursdays: Holy Communion at 7.30 A. M.
Friday: Morning Prayer and Litany at 10.
Church School—Sunday morning at 9.30.
Men's Bible Class—Sunday afternoon at 2.15.
Week day meetings, 2d Thursday evening.

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CALENDAR.

June 6 —1st Sunday after Trinity
June 11—St. Barnabas—Friday
June 13—2nd Sunday after Trinity
June 20—3rd Sunday after Trinity
June 24—Nativity St. John Baptist—Thursday
June 27—4th Sunday after Trinity
June 29—St. Peter, Apostle—Tuesday

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RECTOR'S COLUMN.

I received in the mail the other day a card from the Rector of our church in Littleton, N. H., announcing the hours of Sunday services for the summer. In the same envelope came quite an elaborate circular illustrating the natural beauties of the state and inviting one to visit them. The combination of Church and State advertising naturally suggests the question "Is this an effort on the part of some enterprising hotel keeper to attract good Church people or is the Rector of Littleton enabling New Hampshire to recreate the souls of its visitors?"

I have a feeling that the latter guess is correct. If it is, then the Rector of Littleton is "onto his job." He knows that a holiday that leaves out worship has failed to recreate soul. And surely he is right, for it is this stepping up of "morale" that justifies our holiday.

How closely the recreation of morale is associated with worship. There may be things that we meet on a holiday that don't help much. But if we be determined to make the very best use of our time we shall certainly profit by the stepping-up which God gives through holiday worship.

Almost every Episcopal Church celebrates the Holy Communion at an early hour on Sunday. At St. Paul's the service is at 8 A. M. It will be easy even if we plan to go off for the whole day to attend at this hour. But every Protestant Church holds service at a later hour in the morning. Wherever we may be we shall find "the faithful" gathered together. We may have to drive some distance. This results, so prairie dwellers tell us, in an increased blessing. But wherever we are shall we not make the effort to get

to Church somehow sometime on Sunday. It will make all the difference to our holiday. But quite apart from that we are members of the Church. We became so knowing that we undertook a way of life. That WAY involves worship whether at home, abroad, or at a summer hotel!

STAFF VACATIONS.

The vacations of the various members of the staff will be spread through the summer as follows:

Mr. Birckhead who commenced his vacation June 14th, will return at the end of July but will be absent at camp for a week with the choir boys before taking charge again on August 8th.

The Rector will probably leave about July 14th and return on September 18th. The parish secretary will be absent during the same period.

For the period intervening between July 14th and August 7th the Rev. Alexander Zabriskie, of the Alexandria Theological Seminary, will be in charge. He wishes to be of service to anyone who desires to see him and can be secured at telephone number Chestnut Hill 4889 at any time.

It is a great comfort to our Rector to leave the responsibility for the parish in the hands of so able a preacher and so conscientious pastor as Mr. Zabriskie. The parish will thoroughly enjoy his brief ministry.

The entire staff, including Mrs. Brown, will be back at work on Sunday, September 19th.

SUMMER BIBLE STUDY.

Did you get one of the pink cards with the recommended list of books or leaflets for Summer Bible Study? A

number of the little books have already been ordered, but in case you have not put your order in, it is not too late to do so.

In explanation of the card (a copy of which appears below) let me say that taking the first suggestion would involve the daily reading of a page or two of the little book and the Bible references contained in it. The work is so wisely and attractively planned however, that if you but give a regular 15 minutes a day to it you will accomplish something really worth while by the end of the summer. The second suggestion refers to 2 short, well written pamphlets, the reading of which with its accompanying explanation will give you a very fair grasp of the meaning and value of that book of the Bible which it covers.

Among the books of Reference G. A. Smith's "Historical Geography" is not only the authority on this subject but is written in a style so charming that it resembles a truly literary novel.

1. AN OUTLINE BIBLE STUDY COURSE.

(American Institute of Sacred Literature, University of Chicago)

Of the sixteen courses those particularly recommended are:

a. How to Enjoy the Bible - T. G. Soares.
b. Jesus of Nazareth, How He Thought, Lived, Worked, and Achieved. - E. D. Burton.

2. POPULAR RELIGION LEAFLETS.

The Story of Jonah - J. M. P. Smith
The Letter to the Galatians - Matthews and Goodspeed

(A brief but enlightening introduction followed by a translation in idiomatic English)

3. BIBLE STORIES FOR CHILDREN.

The Garden of Eden - George Hodges
The Castle of Zion " "
When the King Came " "

(A wide choice of subjects. Well told. Excellent for reading aloud.)

BOOKS OF REFERENCE.

A Book about the English Bible, J. H. Penniman

Macmillan. \$1.75

Studies in the Gospels - J. DeW. Perry
Jacobs. \$1.25

Historical Geography of the Holy Land. G. A. Smith

A. C. Armstrong & Son or Doran. \$6.00
Book of Isaiah and the Book of the Twelve

Prophets - - - G. A. Smith
Holder & Stoughton, \$1.25
Spectacles for Bible Readers.
Mass. Manuals. Book 12. 20c. 1 Joy St.,
Boston (Contains many suggestions together
with a full list of books for Bible Study.)

GARDEN PARTY A SUCCESS.

Due to the whole-hearted support of the various parishes of the Convocation of Germantown the Garden Party held at "Wyck" during May was a success both social and financial. The large number of people who came helped so to swell the receipts that over \$1500. was cleared. It will be used to help pay the mortgage of St. Gabriel's Mission. Many thanks are due to those members of St. Paul's who helped either by their work or their presence.

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Gail Goodin
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Phyllis May Langford.

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Annette Wright Newhall.
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Katharine Shippen Dunn.
Hans A. Christiansen and
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Burials.

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Biddle R. Marsden.

SUMMER SERVICES.

The summer schedule of services beginning July 4th will consist of the usual services on Sunday morning at 8 and 11, but the services on Sunday evening and on week days will be omitted.

We are co-operating this year with the Union Services on Sunday evenings to be held in the various nearby churches. The first one will take place at St. Paul's on July 4th at 8 P. M.

THE CHURCH AND THE SESQUI.

The Bishop has appointed a committee in charge of the relation of our church to the Sesqui-Centennial. The committee has erected a booth in the Palace of Education in order to make an exhibit of the work which the Church is doing. In consideration of the intimate relation of our Church to the historic times which are being commemorated this effort seems entirely appropriate.

Then too, in the hope of assisting the difficult social problems involved with a large crowd of visitors the "Church Mission of Help" has established a temporary office in South Philadelphia, and the Girl's Friendly Society has undertaken a special work with the same problems in view.

The Diocese has no funds to apply to the expenses which this work will incur and has asked the various parishes for contributions. St. Paul's has been asked for \$250.00 as our share. We shall devote the loose offering on Sunday, July 4th, to this very important cause.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following letter tells of the appreciation of the children whom our Church School invited out to a Picnic at Mr. Jacob Disston's place on June 12th. The words about the flowers give some indication of the good use to which our "Flower Mission" gifts also are devoted.

My dear Mr. Peabody:

Thank you for the check received on Thursday.

The children certainly had a wonderful time, and are still talking about it.

It seemed to me the flowers had never been quite as beautiful. The extra bunches we brought were all distributed that evening to homes where they were much appreciated. One bunch of lovely yellow roses I sent to a dying woman in the hospital.

Her husband said, "They gave her more pleasure than she had shown for some weeks."

With many thanks to all who helped make the day so delightful.

I remain,

Sincerely yours,

ANNA C. NORRIS.

Deaconess-in-charge.

Saint Agnes House,
Philadelphia.

Dear Mr. Peabody:

As an older Auxiliary member may I thank the young officers who have made this year's Parish meetings such a satisfaction?

The cry everywhere is for new and younger members and I know of no Parish in this Diocese where the young married women have come forward as generously as they have at St. Paul's—giving not only of their means but what is much more valuable their time and thought. It is a perfect joy to see the row of young officers—and watch their keen interest in our Speakers and intelligent comments on methods and means of help. May they long serve the Parish and only resign when their younger sisters—or daughters—are ready to take their places!

Sincerely,

K. W. HAINES.

Cheltenham, Pa.

"CAMP TINICUM."

The Germantown Y. W. C. A. has a camp in Bucks County open from June 26th to September 7th at which girls and young women of Germantown and Chestnut Hill are welcome for vacations or week-ends. The terms are most reasonable and the Camp well run. Any one interested can find out by calling Miss Stewart, of our own Parish at the Y. W. C. A. Building, 5820 Germantown Ave. or make reservations by writing direct to Miss Helen Hayes, Camp Tinicum, Ottsville, Pa., R. F. D. 2.

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July 11—6th after Trinity.

July 18—7th after Trinity.

July 25—8th after Trinity.
St. James, Apostle.

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION.

The series of Church School text books officially put out by our Church is called "The Christian Nurture Series." Notice the title. It includes the word 'Nurture' which means "nourish." This word was used by St. Paul in the directions he gave to the Church people of Ephesus. He told them to bring up their children on the *nourishment* which the Gospel will give to their souls. And from Apostolic times down to our own the Church wherever it was alive has persistently held that the child's soul and mind need the nourishment of the Gospel of Christ. Without it no child can grow up straight and strong.

But to advocate good teaching without offering it is such a poor, limping policy. And yet isn't that just what the Church has done? We all know the free and easy atmosphere that has traditionally surrounded "Sunday Schools." "A pleasant time" was generally "had by all"—except the wretched teacher who had a very poor time as the result of his lofty ideal of the proper standards for the Church's school.

A change of attitude of late has replaced this futile lack of plan and aim with a far better system. Schools are becoming organized. Teachers are taking special courses of training to enable them to teach properly. Dioceses have a Department of Religious Education directed by a staff who are becoming experts in the new field.

Bishop Garland has recently appointed the Rev. F. E. Seymour to take charge of this Department for our own Diocese. The Department of Religious Education in the Diocese of Massachusetts until recently was

under the direction of the Rev. J. W. Suter, Jr. who was called from there to take charge of this Department of the National Church Council in New York. Many of us will recall his excellent sermon at St. Paul's last spring.

During his years in Boston Mr. Suter had as assistant, a field worker, Mrs. A. H. Brown, whose business it was to visit the various Diocesan *Church Schools*, (we don't call them "Sunday Schools" any more!) survey their work, interview the staffs, and by recommendation and suggestion help them on toward better things. The knowledge and tact which such a task requires is quite obvious. When Mr. Suter went to New York Mrs. Brown was left in charge of the Department and managed the work of the whole office.

It is this Mrs. Brown, I am happy to say, whom St. Paul's has secured as the Parish Director of Religious Education. It has cost your Rector some loss of reputation around Boston. One voice at the recent Wellesley Conference was heard in the revilement of "Some horrid *old* Philadelphia clergyman who has *stolen* our Mrs. Brown." (I look forward to spending most of my time around the Mid-Atlantic states for the next little while.) But Mrs. Brown is here and at work on the Church School and at the service of parents or children or anyone in the Parish at her office in the Parish House (Tel. C. H. 3917) any day—morning or afternoon—except Saturday. I wish that people would drop in to see her. So does she, though she will probably not have to depend on visits in order to keep busy!

The Parish promises to have a first class School in the near future which will "nourish" the children who come to it to "ask for bread." I believe that

you all want a first class Church School. All of us who are working in it think that soon this will be a reality.

ABOUT BAPTISMS.

The clergy are always prepared on Sunday morning after the 11 o'clock service to baptize children who are brought by their parents at that time. But we are also glad to arrange for baptisms at special hours which may prove more convenient.

The Church has always urged people to bring their children at an early age to receive this Sacrament on the ground that the Christian community wishes to include every child from the earliest possible moment. But it has also had in mind the thought of the child's Christian education. The new methods of educators are proving to us that a child is never too young to begin his education. The Little Helpers' Department which follows up children from the day of their baptism is the practical way that St. Paul's has adopted to act upon this advice.

The following law passed by the Colonial Assemblies in the winter of 1661-62 quotes the opinion of our fathers on this subject. It sounds less reasonable than our present appeal but who will doubt that it was effective:

"WHEREAS, Many schismatical persons, out of their aversion to the orthodox established religion or out of the new-fangled conceits of their own heretical inventions, refuse to have their children baptized. Be it therefore enacted, that all persons who in contempt of the divine sacrament of baptism, shall refuse when they may carry their child to a lawful minister in that county, to have them baptized, shall be amerced two thousands pounds of tobacco, half to the informer, half to the public."

CONFIRMATION CLASS.

The Bishop will make his Visitation this year on Sunday evening, November 7th. This is earlier than usual so that I am calling together at once

all members of the parish who are considering joining the Church.

There will be a number of older ones who will want to take this opportunity to join the Church and a still larger number of young people coming forward. I wonder if every person in the parish of 15 years and more who is not yet confirmed would seriously consider the step which will initiate them into full Church membership. Of course I will gladly talk over the matter with anyone who is puzzled over the question.

The next meeting of the class will take place on Sunday, October 3d, in the Parish House at 5 p. m. M.E.P.

CHURCH SCHOOL OPENING.

"Sunday morning, October 3rd, at 9:30 in the Church"—that is the date, hour, and place. We want every one of our old pupils and have informed them by mail to this effect. We also want all of the new pupils who are planning to come this year. And we want them to begin on the first Sunday.

In June there were 397 children of 17 years and under in St. Paul's Parish. Of that number 173 were members of the Church School. Of course the others were all receiving adequate religious instruction either at boarding school or at home. But if for any reason any parents are now ready to share their responsibility with the Parish Church School, we should like respectfully to call their attention to the above notice.

THE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS.

The Men's Bible Class will resume its Sunday afternoon meetings on October 3rd under the leadership of Mr. Birckhead and Mr. Starr. All the men of the community are cordially invited to attend. The hour is 2:15 P. M.

A social meeting was held Thursday evening, September 30th, at which time officers for the ensuing year were elected. Refreshments were served by Jim Henderson's Social Committee.

DAVID J. LAWSON, *Secretary*.

DIOCESAN NORMAL SCHOOL.

The work of training teachers for work in the Church School is making rapid strides in this diocese. A Normal School in two sessions is regularly held each year. The program for the current session looks particularly attractive. The first session opens October 7th and runs for ten successive Thursdays excepting Thanksgiving Day.

The evening is divided into three periods in each of which a series of lectures on various subjects is offered.

The first period begins at 5:15 and is followed by supper at 6:10. The second period begins at 6:50 and the third at 7:45. The evening is brought to a close by a forty minute lecture beginning at 8:50.

A number of the teachers in our school as well as other members of the parish took the course last year. I very much hope that the number may be increased this year. Learning how to teach is a helpful preparation to teaching others how to learn!

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

The Woman's Friendly will resume their meetings on Wednesday, October 13th, at 8 P. M. in the Parish House. The Society plans to hold the annual Bazaar in early December and the work will be for that object up to that time. New members are most cordially invited to join and will receive a hearty welcome and a cup of tea on any Wednesday evening in the Parish House at 8 P. M.

C. P. PEPPER.

NEW TELEPHONE.

The pay station telephone in the Old Parish House is to be replaced in the near future with a business telephone, owing to the shifting of the Parish Office to this building. Members of the parish can call Miss Haraden, the secretary, at this number which we shall know in a short while.

Mrs. Brown, the new Director of Religious Education, now occupies

the office with telephone C. H. 3917. She will be very glad to talk at any time to teachers or parents who wish to call her up. All business concerning the Church School will be handled over this line.

GIRL'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

The Opening Service of the G. F. S. will be held Monday evening, October 4th, at 8:15 o'clock in the church.

WEEK DAY SERVICES.

Beginning with October the regular schedule of week day services will be resumed. Holy Communion will be celebrated on Thursdays at 7:30 and 10 o'clock and on Saints' Days at 7:30. Morning Prayer and Litany will be read on Fridays at 10 o'clock.

The usual Sunday evening services also will again commence at 7:45.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Baptized at Northeast Harbor, Me., by the Rector:

William Richardson Grant
Marian Denison Van Pelt

Burials.

John Black
Alice G. Buckenham
James Cresson Parrish

NOTICE.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Painter, teacher of Piano and Theory. John M. Williams, book fresh from the press, especially for boys. Thorough foundation. Monthly recitals. Studio, 34 W. Gravers Lane. Telephone C. H. 2434. Consultations Monday mornings.

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Mrs. Bruce Ford, Choir Mother.

CALENDAR.

October.

October 3—18th Sunday after Trinity.
October 10—19th Sunday after Trinity.
October 17—20th Sunday after Trinity.
October 18—St. Luke, Evangelist.
October 24—21st Sunday after Trinity.
October 28—SS. Simon and Jude.
October 31—22nd Sunday after Trinity.

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Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, November, 1926

No. 9

RECTOR'S COLUMN.

November seems to be the month this year which the Church has set aside to ask for support in every field of its activity.

PARISH. We shall hold a canvass on November 14th in the hope of establishing the business of the Parish on sound budget lines. This we aimed to do last year but failed to raise our full budget by a margin of over 20 per cent. Those who have pledged and contributed regularly during the year will not be canvassed, nor indeed will any new subscribers whose pledges are received before the 14th. The budget as approved by the Vestry appears in this issue of the Leaflet. Letters are now in the mail more fully explaining our plans. I am sure that the Parish approves of our gradually expanding work and will see that it is carried out.

NATION AND WORLD. Our Quota for the work of the National Church has been included in our Parish Budget. We undertook this plan a year ago, with excellent results. Our theory was that the work of the whole Church was quite as much our responsibility as that of our own parish. The regularity of payments has enabled us almost to pay the proper proportion of our total on the first of every month. This is surely a businesslike way of carrying on the Church's business.

DIOCESE. "Every Parishioner a Partner." This is the slogan for a united effort which will be made throughout the Diocese (between November 26th and December 6th) to raise a Fund for the Diocesan Institutions and Missions. The figure aimed at is \$3,500,000. The period for payment runs throughout five years. The object is to supply equip-

ment for work already undertaken that will enable the Diocese to do first-class work.

If her work is worth doing, the Church above all other organizations is committed to carry it on in the best way possible. Surely here, too, the cause justifies the appeal and the appeal bespeaks our whole-hearted support.

M. E. P.

CONFIRMATION NOVEMBER 7

Bishop Garland will make his annual visitation on Sunday the 7th of November and confirm the class at the 7:45 service in the evening. As he will have a special message for us and in view of the large number in this year's class I trust that we may have a fine congregation on that occasion.

M. E. P.

A CHURCH SCHOOL NEED.

A small processional Cross and two wooden table Crosses are needed for the Primary and Kindergarten Departments of the Church School. Possibly some members of the parish may wish to present these to the school either as memorials or because of their interest in the religious training of children.

ALTAR GUILD.

More workers are needed for the Brass cleaning and Altar Vestments' Committees. Will any who wish to help in this very important work kindly give their names to the Rector or to the Warden, Mrs. J. A. Harris, Jr., telephone C. H. 4818.

On Thanksgiving Day the services will be as usual with Holy Communion at 7:30 and also at 10 o'clock with a short address.

PARISH CANVASS.

The house-to-house canvass of the Parish will take place on Sunday, November 14th. The work will be done by the men of the Parish. Our aim is twofold, (1) to secure every member as a contributor, (2) to raise the full figure of our Budget.

Letters will be received on Monday making clear the details of our plans. If each one would fill out and mail back the card enclosed to him as soon as possible he would be doing much to assist us in this most important task.

The Budget for 1927 is as follows:

For Current Expenses:

Salaries	\$15,860.00
Music	6,263.00
Coal	1,200.00
Church School	1,000.00
Printing	700.00
Taxes	725.00
Insurance	600.00
*Repairs	3,500.00
Cleaning	1,200.00
Light and Power	300.00
Gas	25.00
Telephone	250.00
Care of Organ	120.00
Postage	250.00
Miscellaneous Expenses ..	1,000.00
Altar Guild	400.00
Sexton's Outing	100.00
Parish Activities	600.00

\$34,093.00

Sinking Fund and Interest 1,225.00

\$35,318.00

For Missions:

Estimated Apportionment,	26,000.00
Episcopal Convention Fund	1,000.00
Sustentation Fund	300.00

\$27,300.00

For Ourselves	35,318.00
For Others	27,300.00

\$62,618.00

*This item includes \$1,000 for resurfacing the road.

PRAYER BOOK CHANGES.

The several changes in the Prayer Book service ratified at the last meeting of General Convention we are now quite justified in using. The Bishop in his last Convention address expressly requested that the various parishes should adopt these changes, especially those in the service of Holy Communion.

Of course it has been my design to comply with this request from the beginning. I have only hesitated to introduce them in the hope of being able to put a Revised Prayer Book containing such changes into the hands of the congregation. I have just received word, however, that such a book will not be published.

We shall therefore, introduce the revised service of Holy Communion on the third Sunday of the month, November 21st. Little booklets containing simply the changes may be purchased at Jacob's bookstore, also at the church on that day. I will also publish them on a leaflet which will be distributed through the pews.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

A Devotional Day for the women of all the parishes in the Convocation of Germantown will be conducted by the Rt. Rev. Paul Matthews, Bishop of New Jersey, at Grace Church, Mt. Airy, Tuesday, November 9th. Holy Communion 10:45 with address, Intercessions 12:30, luncheon 1 P. M., conference 2 P. M. and question box. Those planning to be present will kindly send word at once to Mrs. E. Wheeler Jenkins, 334 E. Gowen Ave., Mt. Airy.

USE OF PARISH HOUSE.

Will all heads of organizations or others desiring to secure rooms in the Parish House for meetings and so forth kindly inform the Parish Secretary, telephone C. H. 0359. The official calendar is hereafter to be kept in her office.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY.

The Woman's Friendly Society will hold their annual Bazaar on Wednesday, December 8th from 3 to 10 P. M. in the Parish House and will have useful as well as fancy articles, aprons, dusters, bags, home-made cake and candy, jellies, etc., also articles suitable for Christmas presents as well as attractions for the children.

The Society resumed its meetings on Wednesday, October 13th, with a large attendance. We hope our friends and those interested will drop in and see us on any Wednesday evening at 8 P. M. C. P. PEPPER.

PARISH REGISTER.

Baptisms

George Mitchell Isbell
Katherine Elizabeth Joerger
Barbara Louise Leapson
Lynford Lardner Starr

Marriages

John Lester Miller
Jane Vanuxem Goodman

Burials

Robert S. Dunmore
Mrs. Esther Gowen Hood

ALL SAINTS' DAY.

November 1st is All Saints' Day. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7:30 and again at 10 o'clock. At this latter service will be read out the names of all those who have been buried from St. Paul's since this Day last year.

SPANISH LESSONS.

An experienced teacher, having diplomas from Madrid, desires a few private pupils in afternoon or evening. Conversational lessons a specialty. Reduced rates for groups of four. Address Mademoiselle Gauthier, care of Springside School, Chestnut Hill.

LOST

A black taffeta umbrella which was left in the umbrella stand outside the church on Sunday morning, October 17th. Will finder kindly return to sexton or leave same at rectory?

CHURCH SCHOOL.

The following have had "perfect attendance" for the first four Sundays of October:

Camilla Allen	Jacob S. Disston, 3rd.
Peter Hay	Aubrey H. Williams, Jr.
Ruth Henderson	Howard B. Liggett, 3rd.
Betty Morton Kulp	Virginia Meryweather
Jeanne Reynolds	Carol Leiper
Betty Haag	Mary Endicott Peabody
Julie Fisher	Elizabeth Pearson
Jefferson Craig	Edgar Blair
Sally Disston	William Thompson
Lucy Disston	Pierre Fraley
Virginia Blair	Richard Lavelle
Sallie Fisher	Harry A. Pearson
Louise Liggett	Mary Linden Crawford
Mary Ellison	Deborah Disston
Sallie Birkhead	Jane Leiper
Bessie Stewart	Adelaide Ward
Stephen Pearson	Margaret Williams
Paul Kurtz Newhall	Frances Wright
Duncan Hay	Effie Disston
John Huggins	Sophie Disston
Stephen Wright	Rachel Randolph
Hugh Thompson	Katharine Stone
Mortland Henderson	Robert J. Morrow
Joseph Huggins	Phyllis Dickinson
David Lawson	Betty Liggett
Endicott Peabody	Mary Meryweather
Jimmy Stone	Anna Newbold
Robert Van Anglen	Ellen Newhall
Philip Whittaker	Priscilla Pemberton
Harriet Buchenhorst	Alice Coward
Helen Swain	Anna Coward
Eliza Disston	Margaret Huggins
Jane Jordan	Polly Leiper
Franklin Binford	Mary Lightcap
Thomas Blair	Sadie Williams
William Disston, Jr.	Janet Millman
William Hay	William Doughten
Clement Kite	Charles Latta
Frank Shuman	Edward Myers
Stanley Pearson	Arthur Newbold
Tommy Reath	Russell Redhouse
Jessie Disston	William Swain
Edith Henderson	Harry Harris
Calvin Butler	James Redhouse
Henry Getz	Marjorie Newhall
Edward Hart	Helen Shuman
Norman Lightcap	Phoebe Dunn
George Thompson	Mildred Mathers
John W. Whittaker	Genevieve Shuman
Doris Hanan	Irma Shantz
Gladys Le Brun	Isabella Thompson
Marion Le Brun	John H. Thompson

The fifth grade boys have had every member of the class present, on time, every Sunday.

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Mrs. Bruce Ford, *Choir Mother.*

KALENDAR.

November.

- 1—All Saints' Day—Monday.
- 7—23rd Sunday after Trinity.
- 14—24th Sunday after Trinity.
- 21—Sunday next before Advent.
- 25—Thanksgiving Day.
- 28—1st Sunday in Advent.
- 30—St. Andrew, Apostle.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN.

Advent points to Christmas. It presents the figure of John the Baptist by Jordan. With finger aloft in warning he cries "Repent, Prepare, Messiah comes."—And then Messiah does come. This year on Christmas Day God will offer His Son anew to the world.

So for His Sake Christmas is always "a good time, a kind time" as Dickens says. But it is also a tremendously *critical* time, for there is always a chance that people *may* receive Christ on His own conditions. That would change things. It would make some difference in the way we kept Christmas and the holidays, for instance.

There is a good deal of talk these days about our "Materialism." They say it blinds us to the Presence of Christ among us and deafens us to His Words. One sometimes begins to wonder how much real religion there is in our present method of keeping Christmas. Why not try a few tests?

1. Make a list of people who dread the season. Here are three candidates: Postmen, shop clerks, fathers (with small bank accounts and some with big ones.)

How many more can you think of?

2. Pick over your Christmas cards. Count ten for every religious picture, and one for each of the others (pointsettias, coaches, puddings, etc.) Then compare your totals and see which kind wins.

3. (Here is a private test.) Say as you plan each entertainment and as you buy each gift, "In the Name of Jesus Christ, my Lord."

"Christmas Holidays" has a joyous ring to it. May our mirth abound! But as we celebrate let us not leave out the Maker of the Feast. The

Child whose coming instituted our festival invites us at "Christ-Mass" to share first in His Celebration.

If we prepare for the season with Him uppermost in mind, and then open the season in Communion with Him, shall not our holiday merry making re-echo His Spirit from end to end.

PARISH CANVASS.

The results of the Parish Canvass although still incomplete are in two respects most encouraging. Ninety-nine members of the parish who did not give regularly last year have become subscribers in 1927. A total of 509 subscribers have passed in their pledge cards. The total amount pledged is somewhat larger than it was at this time last year.

There are still a number of regular subscribers who have not handed in their pledges. When we hear from them, we shall have a complete report to present.

1926 INCOME vs. EXPENSES.

It is exceedingly satisfactory to report that we have already paid our full quota to the Diocese and National Church of \$26,000 for 1926. Money paid in by individuals and the Woman's Auxiliary has enabled us to pay our year's subscription in eleven months. We believe that we shall be able to meet our Parish expenses also on January 1st provided all subscriptions pledged for the year are paid. It is quite a triumph for the Budget System that it has done away with any deficit the very first year. The outlook for 1927 although promising shows that we are still several thousand dollars under our new Budget. I wish that any who intend to sub-

scribe would send in their pledge cards at once. We certainly wish to avoid anything like a deficit in 1927. Should anything like a surplus occur as was the case in the Mission account this year, the Vestry will use their best judgment in the use of the funds which will thus be at their disposal.

PRAYER BOOK CHANGES.

We have recently adopted the changes authorized by the last General Convention in the Holy Communion Service. These changes appear below. A copy of them has been pasted in the back of every Prayer Book in the Church. Other copies may be had from the Parish Secretary:

Ten Commandments—The comments may be omitted.

A Gradual Hymn—may be sung between the reading of the Epistle and Gospel.

After the Gospel—may be said, "Praise be to Thee, O Christ."

Proper Prefaces—have been added for certain holy days.

Prayer of Humble Access—will be read immediately before the Communion.

Lord's Prayer—will immediately precede the Prayer of Humble Access.

Gloria in Excelsis—the words "that take away the sins of the world have mercy upon us" appear only once.

THE BISHOPS' CRUSADE.

A campaign of Evangelism will be held throughout the Church during the Epiphany season. Its object is the re-inspiration of every Church member with the task and the opportunity that our religion affords. Its method will involve a six days' Crusade in each diocese by two crusaders selected by the National Commission on Evangelism and follow-up work by the various clergy of the diocese on the six days following. It is hoped that we may both intensify our own convictions and also draw others into the circle of the Church's influence.

We have been asked to prepare for

this Crusade by prayer. The collect of the Commission follows. I wish that each one of us might use it daily between now and the opening of the Crusade:

COLLECT FOR THE BISHOPS' CRUSADE.

Almighty God whose Son Jesus Christ came to cast fire upon the earth; grant that by the prayers of thy faithful people a fire of burning zeal may be kindled and pass from heart to heart, that the light of thy Church may shine forth bright and clear; through the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES.

The Church School Carol Service will be held Christmas Eve, Friday, December 24th, at 3:30 o'clock and will be followed by a short pageant or play, in the Parish House.

We shall have the Midnight Holy Communion the night before Christmas as we did last year.

The services on Christmas Day will be Holy Communion at 8 o'clock and Holy Communion and address at 10 o'clock.

WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Since the meetings began in October the members have been making articles for our "Annual Bazaar" which is to be held December 8th from 3 to 9 P.M. in the Parish House.

There will be dusters, towels, bags, fancy articles suitable for Christmas presents, toys, a Christmas tree and attractions for children. Home-made cake and candy, afternoon tea, hot chocolate, and ice cream will be served.

Donations of any of these things would be much appreciated and may be sent to the Parish House on December 7th and 8th. The object of this sale is to provide funds which will be used to help bring relief and cheer to needy families in their own homes, and to persons in Institutions—and we trust that our friends of the congregation will help us to make a "Glad Christmas" for many.

CATHERINE MCKELVEY, *Secretary.*

CHURCH SCHOOL

PERFECT ATTENDANCE—OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER.

Henderson, Ruth	Henderson, Edith
Kulp, Betty	Meryweather, V.
Reynolds, Jeanne	Lightcap, Norman
Haag, Betty	Thompson, George
Fisher, Julie	Whittaker, John
Craig, Jefferson	Hannan, Doris
William, A. H., Jr.	LeBrun, Gladys
Disston, Sally	LeBrun, Marion
Disston, Lucy	Leiper, Carol
Disston Jacob S. 3rd.	Peabody, Mary
Stewart, Bessie	Pearson, Elizabeth
Pearson, Stephen	Thompson, William
Newhall, P. Kurtz	Lavelle, Richard
Thompson, Hugh	Pearson, Harry
Henderson, M.	Leiper, Jane
Huggins, Joseph	Ward, Adelaide
Lawson, David	Disston, Effie
Peabody, Endicott	Randolph, Rachel
Van Anglen, Robert	Stone, Katherine
Whittaker, Philip	Morrow, Robert
Buchenhorst, H.	Dickinson, Phyllis
Swain, Helen	Liggett, Betty
Disston, Eliza	Meryweather, Mary
Jordan, Jane	Newbold, Anna
Shuman, Frank	Newhall, Ellen
Pearson, Stanley	Pemberton, Priscilla
Reath, Tommy	Huggins, Margaret
Redhouse, James	Leiper, Polly
Shuman, Helen	Lightcap, Mary
Dunn, Phoebe	Doughten, William
Mathers, Mildred	Myers, Edward
Shuman, Genevieve	Newbold, Arthur
Thompson, Isabella	Redhouse, Russel
Thompson, John	Swain, William
Fisher, Sallie	Binford, Franklin
Ellison, Mary	Hay, William
Huggins, John	

PERFECT ATTENDANCE—NOVEMBER.

Newhall, Barbara	Lavelle, Helen
Meryweather J.	Roth, M. Elizabeth
Van Anglen, Walter	Gilchrist, E. Jr.
Booth, Amy	Bishop, Barbara
Dickinson, Anne	Shantz, Betty
Oppenlander, Betty	Booth, Mary
Earle, Jane	Waterman, Anne
Glassey, Patty	McIlhenny, Louise
Napier, Arthur	Churchman, Beatrice
Gibb, James, Jr.	Hammond, Suzanne
Downs, T. McK., Jr.	Kite, Sally
Stem, Billy	Gilchrist, Allan
Newhall, John	German, Elizabeth
Leiper, Edith	Nimon, Mary
Booth, Eleanor	Coward, Anna
Godfrey, Betty	Bradford, James, Jr.
Butler, Edith	Cadwallader, Edith
German, Robert	Shuman, Horace
Lackman, Richard	Swartley, John
Shantz, Irma	Thompson Rolland
Birckhead, Olivia	Gilchrist, Edgar
Churchman, Marion	Kite, Clement

Miss Keenan's class, 3G-I, has had every member present every Sunday.

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Baptisms.

Anne Clement Robinson
Janet Catherine Sieber
Charles Ross Smith
Barbara Fiske Whitney

Confirmations.

Mrs. E. B. Clay
Mrs. Charles Buchenhorst
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Harold Eugene Hart
George F. Knorr
Mrs. Edwin Lavino
William George Lavino
Mrs. Charles Lightcap
Sidney J. Repplier
Mrs. W. Harold Sieber
Ada Binns
Edith Butler
Alice Coward
Anna Thompson Coward
Dorothy Gertrude Glassey
Harold Atlee Haines, Jr.
Henry Alfred Harris
Richard Hogg
Margaret Clark Huggins
Mahlon Kline Jordan
Richard Lackman
Charles Hulse Landreth
Mary Lightcap
Richard James Moore
Harrison Pease
Caroline Audrey Rust
Henry Randolph Rust
Irma Shantz
Genevieve Shuman
Helen Shuman
Edward Swain, Jr.
Isabella Fyffe Thompson
John Thompson
Mary Elizabeth Watt
Agnes Sarah Williams
Margaret Edith Williams

Burials.

Margaret Hellings

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Franklin Binford	Richard Ward
Edgar Blair	Thomas Blair

Altos.

A. W. Specht Robert German

Tenors.

Edward G. Holloway H. Tomlinson
Louis H. Dow

Basses.

Howard F. Story Leonard Davies

Fred A. Barber

Crucifers

Hawley Taussig William Huggins

Mrs. Bruce Ford, *Choir Mother.*

KALENDAR FOR DECEMBER.

5—2nd Sunday in Advent.
12—3rd Sunday in Advent.
19—4th Sunday in Advent.
21—St. Thomas, Apostle—Tuesday.
25—Christmas Day—Saturday.
26—St. Stephen, Martyr
1st Sunday after Christmas
27—St. John, Evangelist—Monday
28—Holy Innocents—Tuesday
31—New Year's Eve—Friday

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"WHAT WILT THOU HAVE ME TO DO?"

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Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, January, 1927

No. 1

RECTOR'S COLUMN.

THE BISHOP'S CRUSADE.

"The Episcopal Church is a sleeping giant. When it awakes it will remove mountains." This is Billy Sunday's estimate of us. It is a conditional compliment and therefore a useful one. It also points out that many of us are dormant Christians. This is near enough true to be provocative.

Bishop Darst has been so provoked that he has persuaded the entire Church to make an effort to shake off its drowsy sleep. We are going to try to do just that in the Bishop's Crusade—right away too—in Epiphany in fact. The opening day is Friday, January 7.

The *Aim* of the Crusade is (1) to get every Episcopalian to rededicate his life to Jesus Christ and (2) to undertake definite steps by which the Christian life may become established in him.

The *Plan* for St. Paul's Parish begins with (1) A day of Intercession on January 7th beginning with Holy Communion at 8, carrying on with continuous prayer by groups throughout the day, and closing with a Preparation Service for a Corporate Communion of the parish on January 9th. (2) On January 23d and 24th the Rev. George E. Norton of Rochester, N. Y., is coming to us for a two days' conference. We have been selected as the central church for this immediate community and will welcome the representatives of neighboring parishes. The hours for

conferences and mass meetings will be announced very shortly. (3) During Lent we shall continue our study of Personal Religion, especially with a view to finding a practise of it which is appropriate for our own use.

I very heartily bespeak the full cooperation of the parish in this movement. You have all backed the present administration so thoroughly along every kind of line, that in this great spiritual undertaking which may involve the whole church in a new lease of life, I feel more confident than ever in counting on your cooperation.

LARGE SUMS FOR DIOCESE.

The result of the Diocesan Campaign is on the whole very satisfactory. True, the total aimed at was not raised, but practically \$2,000,000 did flow in and that after but two months of preparation. When Bishop Lawrence planned to raise the Pension Fund of \$3,000,000 he prepared the minds of the *whole* Church over a period of *two* years. Our showing in this diocese is by comparison remarkable.

The part played by St. Paul's was thoroughly creditable. We stood third in the list of parishes on amount subscribed, and tenth in number of subscriptions made. The latter figure gives quite as great cause for enthusiasm as the former. Both were produced by the fine sense of responsibility of the parish for the Church's work and the unrelenting labors of the canvassers.

The many congratulations which I have received from all sides, including those of the Bishop and the Central Committee, I hereby pass on to you to whom they rightly belong. St. Paul's may well be proud of her showing in the Diocesan Campaign.

CHURCH SCHOOL—PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

(Figure after name indicates number of consecutive months.)

Binns, Dorothy, 1	Gilchrist, Allan, 2
Binns, Everitt, 1	Gilchrist, E., Jr., 2
Binns, Walter, 1	Godfrey, Betty, 2
Bishop, Barbara, 2	Goodman, Elizabeth, 1
Blair, Edgar, 1	Goodfellow, Thorp, 1
Blair, Thos., 1	Grant, Francis, Jr., 1
Booth, Henry, 1	Grant, Patricia, 1
Booth, Mary, 2	Haag, Betty, 3
Bradford, Gregory, 1	Hammond, Suzanne, 2
Bradford, Jas., Jr., 2	Hannan, Doris, 3
Brunt, Lucinda, 1	Harris, Harry, 1
Brunt, Thomas, 1	Hart, Edward, 1
Buchenhorst, Harriet, 3	Hay, William, 3
Butler, Calvin, 1	Henderson Edith, 3
Butler, Edith, 2	Henderson, M., 3
Cadwallader, Edith, 2	Henderson, Ruth, 3
Cheston, Annette, 1	Huggins, John, 3
Churchman, Marion, 2	Huggins, Joseph, 3
Cost, Edward, 1	Huggins, Margaret, 3
Coward, Alice, 1	Jordan, Jane, 3
Coward, Anna, 2	Kulp, Betty, M., 3
Craig, Jefferson, 3	Lackman, Richard, 2
Crawford, M. L., 1	Lawson, David, 3
Dickinson, Anne, 2	LeBrun, Gladys, 3
Dickinson, Phyllis, 3	LeBrun, Marion, 3
Disston, Deborah, 1	Leiper, Carol, 3
Disston, Dorothea, 1	Leiper, Jane, 3
Disston, Effie, 3	Leiper, Polly, 3
Disston, Eliza, 3	Lightcap, Mary, 3
Disston, J. S. 3rd, 3	Lightcap, Norman, 3
Disston, Jessie, 1	McIlhenny, Louise, 2
Disston, Lucy, 3	Mather, Mildred, 3
Disston, Sophie, 2	Meryweather, Juliana, 2
Downs, T. McKean, Jr., 2	Meryweather, Mary, 3
Dunn, Phoebe, 3	Meryweather, Virginia, 3
Earle, Jane, 2	Millman, Janet, 1
Ellison, Mary, 3	Murray, William, 1
Fisher, Julie, 3	Myers, Edward, 3
Fisher Sallie, 3	Napier, Arthur, 2
German, Elizabeth, 2	Newbold, Anna, 3
German, Robert, 2	Newhall, Barbara, 2

FACULTY.

Birkhead, Mrs. M., 1	Frazier, Miss C., 3	Peabody, Rev. M. E., 3
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Brown, Mrs. A. H., 1	Harraden, Miss A., 3	Redhouse, Mr. H., 3
Cheston, Miss C., 1	Hart, Miss C., 1	Roth, Mr. Chas., 3
Cheston, Miss L., 2	Keenan, Miss F., 3	Roth, Mr. F., 3
Cornog, Mrs. J., 1	McLaughlin, Mr. E., 2	Smythe, Miss B., 2
Dashiell, Mrs. P. T., 2	Malin, Mr. P. M., 3	Strawbridge, Miss L., 3
Douglas, Miss E., 3	Morgan, Miss E., 3	Van Dusen, Miss K. P., 2
Dunn, Miss H., 2	Morgan, Mr. M., 1	Weill, Miss L., 1
Earle, Miss M., 2	Moore, Mr. R., 3	Williamson, Miss K., 2
Fraley, Mrs. B., 2	Nalle, Mrs. R., 3	Willing, Mrs. C., 1
Frame, Mr. J., 3	Peabody, Mrs. M. E., 3	Wistar, Mrs. C. C., 1

Miss Williamson's class, 4 G, and Mrs. Fraley's class, 3 G-2, had every member present every Sunday in December.

THANKS TO THE BUDGET.

The current financial year closes for St. Paul's with a small balance in hand. It means that our normal income has been sufficient to cover all expenses. We have not had to depend upon "the generosity of the few at the last moment." We have not even asked for special subscriptions during the year. This is a self-respecting position for the Church to be in. It is due to the generous and far-sighted support by the parish of the Budget system, which is justified thereby in a single year.

The Budget for 1927 has not yet been fully subscribed. We have in hand pledges for \$49,095 as against a total of \$62,618 to be raised. The Rector and Vestry very much hope to see the full amount pledged before 1927 is very old.

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Baptisms.

Philip Hovey Davis
Joseph Mickle Fox
Francis Innes Gowen II
Edward Joseph Lavino II
Anna Hunter Wright

Marriages.

Edward Walter Madeira and
Alice Thompson Downs

Burials.

Emma McNamee

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

On Monday evening, January 3d, Miss Mary Williams will talk to the members of the Girls' Friendly Society on her work in the Alaskan Mission field. All women of the parish are cordially invited to attend this meeting at 8.30 P. M. in the Parish House.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY.

The Woman's Friendly wish to thank the congregation for helping to make their Fair a success and in giving Christmas cheer to many people. Over \$400. was realized. The details of which will be published in the February annual report. C. P. PEPPER.

CHRISTMAS 1926.

We had a splendid Christmas this year. The Church was crowded at the midnight service and well filled on three other occasions. Five hundred people made their communion. Surely blessings of the great season have been ours.

The offertory for the Floating Debt of the parish amounted to \$848.25.

AFTER COMMUNION.

O Thou Blessed Lord Jesus, who hast this day vouchsafed to come to me, I most humbly beseech Thee, leave me not, but abide with me forever. Precious above the price of the whole world is every moment in which Thou speakest to my soul. Oh, increase these moments of joy, until no voice is heard but Thine.

Abide with me, Lord; for without Thee all is cold and comfortless to my soul. With Thee, who art Light and Love, all is light and joy.

Abide with me, Lord, in all I say, do, think, feel, and enjoy.

I fear my own unsteadfastness; abide with me, Lord, and rivet me to Thyself.

The foe is strong, and I through my sins am weak; abide with me, Lord, and be Thou my strength.

I am ever subject to weariness and change; abide with me, Lord, with whom there is no change. Temptations and trials would shake my endurance; abide with me, Lord, and bear them in me as Thou didst bear them for me.

I am often distracted by labor and toil; abide with me, Lord, for I commit my work to Thee. I often despond and fear that I shall fall; abide with me, Lord, and make me feel Thy nearness. Be Thou my refreshment in weariness, my comfort in trouble, my refuge in temptation; in death, my life, in judgment my redeemer. Abide with me always, that I may abide in Thee. O good Jesus, Thou God of my salvation
Amen

FOUND.—A pair of shell-bowed spectacles in front of the Church door. Owner may have same by calling at Secretary's office.

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Ernest Williams	Richard Neal
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Henry Getz	Richard Ward
Joseph Huggins	Joseph Higgins
Walter Buch	Sherwood Flood

Richard Lavelle

Second Trebles

Henry Sheetz	Carl Liberg
William J. Rainey, Jr	

Counter Tenor

A. W. Specht	Robert German
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Edward G. Holloway	Louis H. Dow
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KALENDAR FOR JANUARY.

- 1.—Circumcision—Saturday.
- 2.—Second Sunday after Christmas.
- 6.—Epiphany—Thursday.
- 9.—First Sunday after Epiphany.
- 16.—Second Sunday after Epiphany.
- 23.—Third Sunday after Epiphany.
- 25.—Conversion of St. Paul—Tuesday
- 30.—Fourth Sunday after Epiphany.

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No. 2

RECTOR'S COLUMN.

KEEPING THE PEACE.

What should be the Church's attitude towards keeping the peace? Have Christian people any responsibility in the matter? If they have, what are they going to do about it?

Without doubt war has been unpopular in this country since 1918. I am very doubtful, however, if the cause of this unpopularity has been a devotion to Christian principles. It is much more likely due to a revulsion from the sufferings of the War and a disappointment over its fruits. There can, however, be no doubt that the religion of Jesus Christ envisages a world where fellowship and love have replaced contention and selfishness. Toward the establishment of such a condition we as members of the Christian Church are undoubtedly pledged.

This much seems perfectly clear. What is not so clear is our duty under such a policy when particular situations arise. A particular situation is now on the hands of the State Department, I refer to the situation in Nicaragua and Mexico, which may conceivably develop to a point where armed intervention is ordered by the Government. Is it not our duty as Christians, let

alone our duty as citizens *before it is too late*

1. To find out what the actual situation is (a Weekly News Bulletin published by the Foreign Policy Association, E. 18 41st St., N. Y. gives more accurate foreign news than I have been able to find anywhere else)
2. To inform our senators and representatives and even the President concerning our opinion.

Personally I have grown to feel increasingly that the Christian people of the world are responsible for the peace of the world. They are to some extent making their opinion heard but there are opinions from other sources, principally commercial, which are very much more vocal in the lobbies and coat rooms of Congress. Are we content that our government officials shall be influenced by those to whom military intervention means financial profit and not by those who having a deep founded desire for peace, after a careful consideration of the facts, are registering their Christian conviction?

This is very definitely not an appeal to the Church to enter politics. It is an effort to suggest ways in which Christian people can make their faith felt in life. Must not the Christian be a better citizen because of his belief?

BISHOPS' CRUSADE

The first step has been taken to inform people and clergy of the aims of the Bishops' Crusade, and to inspire us in its promotion. The particular form that the work will take, however, is to be left to the discretion of each parish.

Your rector has in mind certain plans, but before announcing them would like the advice and help of those in the parish who are particularly interested. He is, therefore, calling a meeting of any who wish to assist in the formation of the Parish Program for the Bishops' Crusade on Tuesday evening, February 1st, at 8.15 in the Parish House. He is anxious to hear suggestions and hopes that people will come and make them.

ANNUAL REPORT OF CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance brought forward ..	\$14.27
Received from all sources .	15.00
Total Receipts	\$29.27
Total Expenditures	\$29.51
Deficit	\$.24

Expenditures.

Postage	\$2.40
Freight and Express	4.71
Annual dues	10.00
Magazine Subscription	7.50
Christmas toys	4.00
New Year cards .....	.90
Total Expenditures	\$29.51
Current Periodicals sent regularly 106	
Donors of above periodicals	41
Books	84
Odd magazines and papers	675

THE ADVANCE OF ISLAM.

Many Christians do not realize that Islam is threatening the life of Christianity in the Near East. Mr. George M. Lamsa says that this is the case. He is a member of the ancient nation of Assyria who is carrying on the work of his Church in the city of Nineveh.

Our own National Council has recently sent missionaries to the Near East. They are our first point of contact with the Mohammedan world.

It is well that we should hear early in the game about the cause in which we have recently engaged. Mr. Lamsa is coming to St. Paul's to address us on Sunday, February 20th, at the 11 o'clock service. He has recently been at the Church of the Redeemer, Bryn Mawr, where the people heard him gladly.

ALL-DAY MISSIONARY MEETING.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese will hold an All-Day Missionary meeting at Holy Trinity Church on Wednesday, February 2nd. Holy Communion at 10 A. M. followed by Missionary addresses on Diocesan, Colored, Domestic, Foreign, and Indian Missions. A box luncheon will be served in Holy Trinity Parish House from 12.30 to 1.45. Speakers: Rev. C. W. Schreiner, Bishop Rowe of Alaska, Bishop Atwood, late of Arizona.

OUR ENDOWMENT FUND.

St. Paul's Church is very fortunate in possessing an Endowment Fund which now totals about \$43,000. The interest from it, however, will not be available until the Fund reaches the figure of \$50,000. This leaves \$7,000 still to be made up. The accrued interest will manage this for us in three or four years. If we wish to make an effort, however, in the meantime to secure the desired \$7,000 we could at once make available for current expenses \$2,500. The Vestry wishes the Parish to know the situation.

ANNUAL REPORT OF ACCOUNTING WARDEN

For the Year Ending December 31, 1926.

RECEIPTS.

Balance January 1, 1926 .	\$5,493.93
For Expenses	28,087.33
Missions	21,667.43
Endowment	1,291.96
Parish Activities	417.72
Rector's Fund	1,374.76
Sinking Fund	1,432.10
Interest on Deposits ..	85.89
1927 Missions	100.00
Gifts	732.14

\$60,683.26

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries	\$14,515.71
Music	5,707.67
Coal	1,449.00
Church School	861.48
Printing	511.89
Taxes	686.69
Insurance	609.34
Repairs	2,576.53
Altar Guild	400.00
Light and Power	275.16
Gas	28.30
Telephone	171.62
Organ	120.00
Stationery	40.02
Rector's Fund	1,382.81
Parish Activities	542.82
Sexton's Outing	100.00
Choir Outing	128.40
Missions	22,864.10
Pensions	805.00
Sinking Fund	2,257.08
Miscellaneous Expenses ..	1,119.98
Gifts	732.14
Endowment	1,272.46
Balance Jan. 1, 1927	1,525.06

\$60,683.26

Books have been audited by
Edward P. Moxey & Co.,
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Respectfully submitted,

ISAAC STARR,
Accounting Warden.

St. Paul's has had an excellent year financially. We have virtually lived within our Budget, nor have we had to "pass around the hat" for a special contribution to make both ends meet. This was due to the large amount of money pledged towards the Budget in the Parish Canvass. Of course the Budget system is the only businesslike, self-respecting way for a Church or any institution to carry on its business.

Our Budget for 1927 calls for \$62,618.00. The Parish Canvass has provided about \$52,000 pledged towards this sum. This is a good showing, but

we should not lose sight of the fact that our Budget is not fully pledged. A number of regular supporters in 1926 are continuing their support at the same figure for 1927 but we have not their pledges and so have not included their gifts in the total pledged. From this and other sources sufficient funds will probably come in during the year to balance the Budget. We should aim, however, another year to secure the full figure of the Budget in pledges at the year's outset. This is the only proper way to operate the Budget system.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

At the Annual Meeting held on January 12th all officers were re-elected; no other nominations being made.

The Society continues to grow in numbers and interest. Average attendance at the weekly meetings has been about 25. The meetings are opened by the President, Mrs. David Pepper, or Vice-President, Miss Hebard, with a short service of prayer. Then the members sew or knit while business is discussed; and sometimes an interesting story is read. Tea, coffee, and cake are served by a committee of three, in turn and this brings the meeting to a pleasant social close.

During the year barrels of clothing have been sent to Dr. Grenfell's Mission in Labrador and to Yancey, Va. and many garments made for Diocesan Institutions and Missions. A fuller account of the work done will be found in the Treasurer's report.

The Society women feel deeply grateful to all kind friends who helped make this work possible.

CATHERINE MCKELVEY, *Secretary*.

Treasurer's Report for 1926.

Receipts:

Jan. 1—Balance in Treasury	....\$103.20
Dues for 1926	..... 27.50
May 15—Received from Rummage Sale	..... 230.05
Dec. 8—Received from Fair	..... 439.80

Total Receipts 800.55
Donations and Disbursements	.. 764.02

Balance in Treasury 36.53
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Disbursements:

Feb.—Flowers for sick	
Mar.—Fruit, Easter Baskets 34.25
Apr.—Personal Gifts	
May—Ice cream for St. Michael's and the Evergreens	..... 36.00
Summer Outings:	
June—Gifts of Appreciation	..... 3.50
To St. Paul's Budget	..... 150.00
Gifts towards Special Things in Parish	..... 20.00
Dec.—Christmas Dinners, Baskets of fruit, and personal gifts on Chestnut Hill	..... 60.95
Christmas Stockings for Consumptive Home	..... 50.00

All Saints' Home, Elkton, Va. (for Christmas and special case)	..... 75.00
St. Agnes' House for Christmas	..... 25.00
Salvation Army Christmas Dinners	..... 25.00
Christ Church (colored) Sunday School Christmas Festival, Millwood, Va.	..... 15.00
Galilee Mission for Christmas	..... 25.00
St. Michael's for Christmas	..... 15.00
Episcopal Hospital for Christmas 25.00
Running Expenses 559.70
Total \$764.02

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Marriages.

Pemberton F. Shober to
Georgiana F. Harris.

Burials.

Noel Duhring
Sarah Polk Blake
Elizabeth Moore
Sophia Watmough Williamson
Howard B. Liggett, Jr.
Evelyn Quintard Jackson Cox
Janet Cleary
Margaret V. Young

The Church School attendance list will appear in the next issue of THE LEAFLET.

POSITIONS WANTED.

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A young woman, a member of our own Church, wishes a position as chambermaid or children's nurse.

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KALENDAR FOR FEBRUARY.

2—Purification of Blessed Virgin Mary—Wednesday.

6—5th Sunday after Epiphany.

13—Septuagesima Sunday.

20—Sexagesima Sunday.

24—St. Matthias—Thursday.

27—Quinquagesima Sunday.

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Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, March, 1927

No. 3

RECTOR'S COLUMN.

This Lent will without doubt make an outstanding impression upon the whole Church. It is the season during which the people already instructed in the aims of the Bishops' Crusade will try to fulfil them in their lives. It will be a time of genuine effort for all who are "in earnest" about religion.

Shortly after "The Leaflet" reaches you, you will also receive by mail a card containing a description of our Lenten services and a list of books.

(This information is also printed elsewhere in "The Leaflet.") There is a letter in the same envelope suggesting three ways of keeping Lent.

Not *all* the aims of the Crusade, of course, can be attained of a sudden.

Rather the strategy of the "limited objective" is that which you will find suggested. The particular "course of training" that I mention may not appeal to you, or you may be inclined to adopt only a part of it. And yet I do believe that all three parts of the course are tremendously important.

We are seeking INSTRUCTION in religion now-a-days. If we get it and fail to follow it up with WORSHIP and EVANGELISM, it will avail us little. Our hold on the Faith will be insecure and uncertain.

It need not be so. It lies within our own power to change our own mind and heart. Most people think Christian Faith is a Gift. It is far more truly the result of Work. Here is a chance to work along lines that are neither unnatural nor unattractive.

CHURCH PERIODICALS

Every professional man takes in what is known as a "house organ," that is, a periodical dealing with his

chosen calling. He does not consider this an extra, he knows that it is necessary if he is to keep abreast of the times.

How many of us church people are taking in a religious "house organ"? Yet we have taken Christianity as our "profession." This is the very word used in the baptismal service. How can we be kept abreast of the times in religion without reading what Christian leaders are thinking and doing?

Beside the books in our Loan Library there will be offered every Sunday in Lent copies of "The Churchman" a weekly Church paper, a religious "house organ." Some of us have never seen a copy. Others who have done so and not yet subscribed will be agreeably surprised to find how much it has improved in content and appearance within the year.

NOT LESS SERVICE BUT BETTER.

Dean Hodges, a pioneer in the organization of the modern parish made it his rule to devote his mornings to the whole parish and his afternoons to the individuals in it. It is a sound program for the parson to-day. Your clergy believe that such a plan adopted here would operate for the greatest benefit of the parish in the long run.

May we, therefore, request that except in cases of great emergency the parish demand that between the hours of ten and one the clergy shall devote themselves to study and to those things which contribute to the general welfare. If it is necessary to send us messages between 10 and 1 o'clock, Miss Harraden, the Parish Secretary, will gladly take them at Tel. C.H. 0359.

It is not that people have been in-

considerate of our time. They have been most considerate. We even wish that they would call for us more frequently especially in cases of illness. Our one thought in making this request is that we may simply become of greater use in the important work to which we have been called.

THE CHILDREN'S CORNER.

In front of the organ and to the left of the pulpit there has been set up a Children's Corner. Carefully chosen and frequently changed pictures, books, and prayer cards are placed there. The Corner is to be used at any time during the week, on Sunday before and after the Church services. The books are to be read, the prayers said at the kneeling desk, and the smaller cards and pictures handled. A Children's Corner is a way of helping children to love the church, to feel at home there, and to develop the habit of using the church at any time for personal devotions. The success of the Corner depends upon its use and not on the beautiful things placed there.

If parents come with their children, worship will probably become a much more living experience. They might kneel in one of the pews while the child kneels at the prayer desk and enjoys in his own way the attractions of the Corner. Boys and girls are welcome without older people for it is their own place in the church.

During Lent there will be a "story hour" every Saturday at twelve o'clock in the Children's Corner.

DR. BURLESON'S DEFINITION OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions is not a select body of a few women in each parish whose time and tastes lead them to join together to do some missionary work. It is as leaven that leaveneth the whole, an influence reaching to the women who sits in the pew behind you and the pew in front. It is a body resting not

until all are interested and brought into that organization to which they really belong by virtue of their baptism—the great Missionary Society of the Church.

LENTEN SERVICES.

(Until Holy Week)

ASH WEDNESDAY—MARCH 2

7.30 Holy Communion
10.00 Service of Preparation for Lent
8.15 Evening Service and Address by Dr. Foley

MONDAYS at 5.00

A Series of Lecture-Conferences in the Parish House by the Rector:
March 7 Jesus Teaching about God.
March 14 Jesus as Healer. March 21 Jesus Teaching upon Sin. March 28 Jesus as Son of God. April 4 The Choice of the Cross.

TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS at 5.00
Evening Prayer with volunteer choir.

WEDNESDAYS at 8.15

Evening services and a series of addresses on "Personal Religion" by the Rev. Dr. George C. Foley, Professor of Theology at the Philadelphia Divinity School. Subjects: 1. Personal Religion, just what it is and what it involves. 2. Conversion, Repentance, and Faith. 3. What is Christian Discipleship? What does it mean "To Follow Christ," to imitate His Example? 4. "Teach us to pray." 5. The Devotional Use of the Bible. 6. The Means of Grace—the Holy Communion, etc. The singing will be led by a volunteer choir of trained voices.

THURSDAYS at 5.00

Children's Service led by Mr. Birchhead.

WEEK DAY MORNINGS

Thursdays and Holy Days 7.30—Holy Communion

Fridays 10.00—Morning Prayer and Litany

CHURCH SCHOOL— PERFECT ATTENDANCE (Through Feb. 20th.)

Figure after name indicates number of consecutive months.

Binford, Franklin 2	Leiper, Polly 5
Buchenhorst, H. 5	Lightcap, Mary 5
Crawford, Mary 3	Lightcap, Norman 5
Cost, Edward 3	Mathers, Mildred 5
Craig, Jefferson 5	Meryweather, M. 1
Disston, Effie 5	Morrow, Robert 2
Disston, Eliza 5	Myers, Edward 1
Disston, J. S. 3rd 5	Newbold, Anna 1
Disston, Jessie 3	Newbold, Arthur 1
Disston, Lucy 5	Newhall, Barbara 5
Downs, N. 3rd 1	Newhall, John 4
Downs, T. McK., Jr. 4	Newhall, Marjorie 1
Dunn, Phoebe 5	Newhall, Paul 5
Ellison, Mary 5	Peabody, Endicott 5
Earle, Jane 1	Peabody, George 1
Fisher, Julie 1	Peabody, Mary 5
Fisher, Sallie 1	Pearson, Elizabeth 5
Gilchrist, Allan 4	Pearson, Stephen 5
Gilchrist, Edgar 1	Pemberton, Pris. 5
Gilchrist, Ed. Jr., 4	Randolph, Rachel 5
Gilchrist, Peter 2	Reath, Tommy 5
Glassey, Betty 2	Redhouse, James 5
Glassey, Evelyn 1	Redhouse, Russell 5
Glassey, George 2	Reeve, Barbara 1
Goodfellow, Thorp 1	Shantz, Betty 1
Hay, Duncan 1	Shantz, Irma 1
Hay, Peter 1	Stone, Katherine 1
Hay, William 5	Stone, Jimmy 1
Henderson, Edith 5	Swain, Edward 1
Huggins, John 5	Swain, Helen 5
Huggins, Joseph 1	Thompson, George 1
Huggins, Margaret 5	Thompson, Roland 1
Jordan, Jane 5	Thompson, Wm. 1
Kite, Sally 1	Ward, Richard 1
Lackman, Richard 4	Whittaker, John 5
Leiper, Carol 5	Wistar, C. Cresson 2
Leiper, Edith 2	Wright, Frances 1

BOOKS RECOMMENDED FOR LENTEN READING.

THE BIBLE

The Gospel of St. Luke
St. Luke the Historian in the Light of Research A. T. Robertson

PERSONAL RELIGION

I. In Theory
Personal Religion and Public Righteousness Canon P. Green
Elementary Christianity Dr. C. Alington
Religious Perplexities L. P. Jacks
The Universal Faith H. H. Gowen
II. In Action
Adventurous Religion H. E. Fosdick
The Lord of All Good Life ... D. Hankey
What Christ Means to Me ... W. T. Grenfell
The Clash of Color B. Matthews

PRAYER.

Concerning the Inner Life... E. Underhill
Self Training in Meditation, A. H. McNeile

The Practise of the Presence of God
Brother Lawrence

Talking with God J. J. Kensington
PSYCHOLOGY.

Varieties of Religious Experience,
Wm. James
Psychology and Mora's ... J. A. Hadfield
Parenthood and the Newer Psychology
F. H. Richardson

BIOGRAPHY

Up Stream L. Lewisohn
Memories of a Happy Life,
Wm. Lawrence
Jefferson and Hamilton C. Bowers

A PRAYER FOR THE BISHOPS' CRUSADE.

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ came to cast fire upon the earth; grant that by the prayers of Thy faithful people a fire of burning zeal may be kindled and pass from heart to heart, that the light of Thy Church may shine forth bright and clear; through the same Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The G. F. S. is to have a Bible Study Class during Lent. The meetings will take place on Mondays at 8.15 prompt. All members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

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Peggy Totten Schwartz
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2—Ash Wednesday.
6—First Sunday in Lent.
13—Second Sunday in Lent.
20—Third Sunday in Lent.
25—Annunciation B. V. M.—Friday.
27—Fourth Sunday in Lent.

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No. 4.

RECTOR'S COLUMN.

The climax of the Church's year is again approaching. In Holy Week and Easter Day we may enter most profoundly into an understanding of Christ and the message He came to give us from God. As the years go by and Good Fridays and Easter Days succeed one another, this deepening understanding is the reward of every earnest soul who has taken advantage of Lent. The spring brings most to those who have borne the burden of winter.

We still have over two weeks of Lent left. Shall we not make the most of them? Especially may we try to follow the footsteps of the Master through the last days that He spent on earth. The saints of history are those who having watched with Christ in His struggle and shared with Him His pain rise with Him on Easter Day in serene assurance that though wrong doth flourish, right will triumph!

EASTER OFFERING.

We shall make our offering on Easter Day for the Parish Endowment Fund.

This Fund now stands at about \$43,000 but the income from it will not be available until it reaches the figure of \$50,000. The Rector and Vestry are very anxious that this may be achieved as soon as possible as it will release \$2500 a year for any purpose to which we wish to devote it. Were it available this year, for example, our small floating debt would be wiped out in a year and a half without any special efforts on our part.

DAY OF INTERCESSION

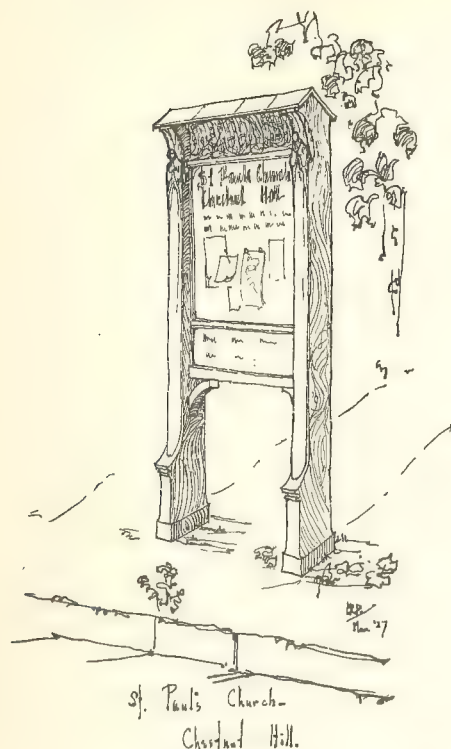
On April 9th the members of the Church School will hold a Day of Intercession between the hours of 9.30 and 4.00 in the church, the aim of which is to enlist the aid of the boys and girls of the Parish in the Church's work, for prayer is work that produces results. In parishes where it has been tried, the Day of Intercession as resulted in a heightened sense of the power of prayer.

The matter has been carefully explained to the school and letters have gone out to all the parents of our pupils above the third grade. Those taking part will have volunteered for the task and will receive printed directions to cover the fifteen minutes for which they will be responsible.

THE CHURCHMAN

Our library tables these days are covered with magazines of various kinds. Many of them never get read at all. Some perhaps are not worth reading. "The Churchman" is well worth reading. In a day when the cry is going up for more information about religion and when the interest is on the increase concerning church affairs, it is certainly short-sighted to be without such a thoroughly stimulating and helpful religious weekly.

Every intelligent churchman can keep in touch with the news of the Church and the advances in thought only by taking in a religious periodical. "The Churchman" certainly deserves support in the excellent work it is doing. You will receive a prompt response consisting of the current number if you send your subscription of four dollars to "The Churchman" 2 West 47th St., New York City.



NEW BULLETIN BOARD.

The picture illustrates a design which has been made for a bulletin board to be set up in the church grounds to face Chestnut Avenue somewhere between Mr. Birckhead's house and the new parish house. The plan is to make it of teak wood which is practically impervious to water. The lettering on it will be painted but the decoration consists entirely of skillfully wrought carving. The panel in the middle, reserved for notices, will be covered with glass. The sign may be indirectly illuminated if we wish to have it so. The total cost of this work will be about five hundred dollars.

It has occurred to the Vestry that some member of the parish might wish to donate the bulletin board. They, therefore, wish to submit the design in "The Leaflet" before proceeding further with the execution of the plan.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES.

The list of services for Holy Week is as follows:

Palm Sunday:

- 8.00 Holy Communion.
- 9.30 Morning Prayer and Address to Church School.
- 11.00 Morning Prayer and Sermon.
- 2.15 Bible Class.
- 7.45 Choir will sing Maunder's Cantata, "Olivet to Calvary."

Monday:

- 7.30 Holy Communion.
- 5.00 Evening Prayer.
- 8.15 Service for Girls' Friendly Society.

Tuesday:

- 7.30 Holy Communion.
- 5.00 Evening Prayer.

Wednesday:

- 7.30 Holy Communion.
- 5.00 Evening Prayer.

Maundy Thursday:

- 7.30 Holy Communion.
- 5.00 Church School Service.
- 8.15 Evening Celebration of the Holy Communion.

Good Friday:

- 9.30 Special Church School Service.
- 12 to 3 Three hour Service of the Passion.

Easter Even:

- 7.30 Holy Communion.
- 12.00 Story Hour in the Children's Corner.
- 4.00 Holy Baptism.

Easter Day:

- 7.00 Holy Communion.
- 8.00 Holy Communion.
- 11.00 Holy Communion and Sermon.
- 3.00 Carol Service.
- 7.45 Evening Prayer and Address.

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Edward Swift Buckley, IV
Robert Poole Hooper, III
Jennifer Logan
John Jacob Saunders, III

Burials

Joseph Sellers Kite

GERMANTOWN HOSPITAL

A campaign is now in progress to raise money for the new Germantown Hospital buildings. Of course we who live in Chestnut Hill will feel a first responsibility for our own hospital which is also in process of expansion and will depend upon us for its further growth. But we are also members of the community to which the Germantown Hospital ministers and will, therefore, wish to do what we can for this important cause. The chairman of the campaign, Mr. Walter M. Schwartz, is a faithful member of this parish.

As members of St. Paul's will be asked to contribute, it gives me great pleasure to remind you of the first-rate standing of this hospital and to wish the campaign the very best of good fortune.

M. E. P.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Since the last report much sewing has been done on garments for Diocesan Missions. A barrel filled with clothing, toys, etc., was sent to the Mission at Yancey, Va.

The Society hopes to fill and send two barrels with warm clothing and shoes to Labrador for Dr. Grenfell's mission work there. Garments for this purpose would be much appreciated and may be left at the Parish House any Wednesday.

We would remind our friends of our annual rummage sale which will be held early in May when everything to be cleared out at housecleaning may be sold and help some worthy cause. Postcards giving date will be mailed.

KATHERINE McKELVEY, *Secretary.*

THE CHURCH SCHOOL'S MISSIONARY EXHIBIT

The pupils of the Church School cordially invite their parents and friends and all the members of the Parish to come to the Parish House on Saturday, April 23rd from half past four until half past five o'clock.

During Lent many of the pupils have come to weekday meetings to learn about the Church's work in Liberia, and to make model villages, posters, and such things to illustrate conditions in that country.

Since the aim of the Church School's mission study this Lent is "To interest the whole Parish in Liberia," it is hoped that everyone will be interested, and that many will respond by coming to see the Exhibit on April 23rd.

The Rev. Francis B. Barnett will speak of his experiences in Liberia, and the pupils will be prepared to show and explain their work.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

A Fashion Show followed by a dance is being arranged by the G. F. S. to be held in the Parish House Wednesday, April 27th. C. G. Rowell will provide the gowns and "The Lingerie Shop" the hats. The members of the G. F. S. will act as models. The parish is asked to save the date so that they may be there that night. Tickets at fifty cents may be had from the committee or from any of the members.

Mrs. Merritt H. Stiles,
Mrs. Gilbert Harvey,
Mrs. William Wohlschlagel,
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Mrs. Richard Nalle,
Mrs. Edward N. Hay,
Mrs. Malcolm E. Peabody

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Birckhead, Sallie 1	Henderson, Edith 6
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Blair, Edgar 1	Huggins, Margaret 6
Brunt, Lucinda 1	Kite, Clement 1
Brunt, Thomas 1	Kite, Sally 3
Buchenhorst, H. 6	Kulp, Betty 1
Butler, Calvin 1	Lackman, Richard 5
Butler, Edith 1	Lavelle, Richard 1
Cadwallader, Edith 1	Lavelle, Robert 1
Churchman, B. 1	Liggett, Betty 1
Coward, Anna 1	Liggett, H. 3rd 1
Cost, Edward 4	Liggett, Louise 1
Crawford, Mary L. 4	Lightcap, Mary 6
Crawford, Edith S. 1	Lightcap, Nor. 6
Craig, Jefferson 6	Mathers, M. 6
Disston, Effie 6	Meryweather, J. 1
Disston, Eliza. 6	Meryweather, M. 1
Disston, J. S., 3rd 6	Meryweather, V. 1
Disston, Jessie 4	Myers, Edward 1
Disston, Lucy 6	Napier, Arthur 1
Disston, Sally 1	Newbold, Anna 1
Disston, Sophie 1	Newbold, Arthur 1
Dickinson, Anne 1	Newhall, Barbara 6
Dickinson, Phyllis 1	Newhall, Ellen 1
Dolph, Margaret 1	Newhall, John 5
Dolph, Ormsby 1	Newhall, M. 2
Downs, T. McK., Jr. 1	Newhall, Paul 6
Dunn, Phoebe 6	Newton, Richard 1
Fisher, Sallie 2	Nimon, Dorothy 1
German, Eliza. 1	Nimon, Mary 1
German, Robert 1	Peabody E. 6
Getz, Henry 1	Peabody, George 2
Gibb, James Jr. 1	Peabody, Mary 6
Gilchrist, Allan 5	Pearson, Eliza. 6
Gilchrist, Edgar 2	Pearson, Stephen 6
Gilchrist, E., Jr. 5	Pemberton, P. 6
Gilchrist, Peter 3	Randolph, Rachel 6
Glassey, Betty 3	Reath, Tommy 6
Glassey, Evelyn 2	Redhouse, James 6
Glassey, George 3	Redhouse, R. 6
Gucker, Thos. 1	Reeve, Barbara 2
Hannan, Doris 1	Reeve, Richard 1
Hart, Edward 1	Roth, Mary Eliz. 1

Shantz, Betty 2	Thompson, Hugh 1
Shantz, Irma 2	Thompson, John 2
Stem, Billy 1	Thompson, R. 2
Stone, Jimmy 2	Thompson, Wm. 2
Stone, Katherine 2	Waterman, Anne 1
Shuman, Horace 3	Whittaker, John 6
Sims, J. C. 3rd 1	Williams, Betty 1
Swain, Edward 2	Williams, Ernest 1
Swain, Helen 6	Williams, M. 1
Swain, William 1	Williams, Nita 1
Swartley, John 1	Williams, Sadie 1
Thompson, G. 1	Wright, Frances 2

GOOD FRIDAY.

The offering for Good Friday will be given as usual for our Church's work in Palestine. The National Council has recently answered the call of the Bishop of Jerusalem by sending a chaplain who is teaching at the Armenian Seminary on Mt. Zion and another clergyman as missionary to Mosul in Iraq.

It is certainly fitting that we should do our part to support Christian work in the land where our Lord was crucified and the Apostles labored.

CALENDAR FOR APRIL

- 3—5th (Passion) Sunday in Lent
- 10—6th (Palm) Sunday in Lent
- 11—Monday before Easter
- 12—Tuesday before Easter
- 13—Wednesday before Easter
- 14—Maundy Thursday
- 15—Good Friday
- 16—Easter Even
- 17—Easter Day
- 18—Easter Monday
- 19—Easter Tuesday
- 24—1st Sunday after Easter
- 25—St. Mark, Evangelist

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No. 5

RECTOR'S COLUMN.

APPRECIATION.

April marks the completion of my second year as your Rector. These years have been very happy ones for my family and me. You started by giving us a most cordial welcome. You have continued with consistent support both by your means and by your time and thought. You have generously contributed to the work of the parish, of the diocese, and the general Church. There has been a faithful and ever increasing group which regularly attends services, while those who so gladly give their personal service to the church's work have pursued their tasks with efficiency.

I wish I could tell each one of you how grateful I am for the confidence which you have shown in the administration. The circumstances under which it has been given cannot always have made it easy. There have been many innovations, some of which have doubtless seemed "newfangled." The purpose of others sometimes cannot have been obvious, and in some may have been detected by the note of authority which freedom-loving Americans always tend to resent. Very many thanks to you all for your sympathetic understanding, for your patience over mistakes and delays, and your indulgence of human frailty. It is the kind of support which lends a sense of security and confidence and enables your clergy to do the best work of which we are capable.

It also leads one to look into the future with the hope that we may together accomplish a religious work which will be in the best sense constructive. We shall need for example to improve and enlarge our plant as time goes on. We

shall need to learn new methods and to relearn old ones. We shall need to become increasing men and women of Prayer. It is to those who *work* at their profession that Christ becomes an ever-increasing Reality. It is those who give Him an "all out" devotion whose lives after a while begin to reflect something of His character. In the years that be ahead may we in some measure grow toward the Fullness of His Stature.

EASTER RECORDS

The parish will be interested and pleased to hear the reports of Easter Day. All the services on Easter Day were admirably attended especially the 11 o'clock Communion when, as on Palm Sunday, the church was not large enough to accommodate those who came. About 570 people made their Easter communion, a large number of whom handed in Communion attendance cards.

The offering for the Endowment Fund amounted to \$1637.86 making the present total of that Fund \$45,000. We are still \$5,000. away from the \$50,000. total at which point the income of it will be made available for use.

PREACHER MAY EIGHTH

The parish will have the pleasure of welcoming the Rev. Royden K. Yerkes, D. D., as preacher on Sunday morning May 8th. Dr. Yerkes is professor of Comparative Religions at the Philadelphia Divinity School and a singularly incisive and interesting mind. He will take the place of the Rector that day who will be preaching at Groton School in the morning and in his old parish in Lawrence in the evening.

MEN'S ANNUAL DINNER

It is very satisfactory to announce the acceptance of Professor William Starr Myers of Princeton of our invitation to address the Men's Annual Dinner on Thursday, May 19th. He will speak on the subject "Religion and Democracy." In addition to the speaker we are arranging for entertainment both vocal and instrumental.

Postcards have gone out to every man in the parish announcing the Dinner and asking them to reserve the evening. Reply post cards will follow later on. Last year's Dinner had an attendance of 130. I hope we may have even more this year.

DIOCESAN FIELD DEPARTMENT

The Executive Council of the Diocese has recently created a Field Department thus conforming to the organization of the National Council. Its function will be the education and inspiration of both clergy and people in the full program of the Church's work. Plainly stated this means stirring up people on the great subject of Missions.

For better or worse, the chairmanship of this Department has fallen to the lot of your Rector. The obvious reason for his selection is the splendid missionary spirit of this parish. The appointment is, therefore, an honor primarily to St. Paul's.

LETTER FROM BISHOP ROWE

My dear Mr. Peabody,

Thank you for your very kind letter and check; also for another check from your secretary. How very nice of your parishioners to help me as they have done. So far I have received about \$8000. Fifteen is what I will need. Some offerings which I expect are yet to come in.

With very best wishes and thanks.

Sincerely yours,

P. T. ROWE.

MEMORIAL SERVICE
MAY FIFTEENTH

The Men's Bible Class will hold a Memorial Service on Sunday evening, May 15th, at 7.45 o'clock. The address will be made by the Rev. A. D. Parker.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Business Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held on May 20th in the Parish House at 10.30 for the election of officers and for the reading of all reports of the year.

A PRAYER FOR CHINA

Almighty God, whose kingdom is everlasting and power infinite; Look with compassion we beseech thee, upon the people of China in this hour of their awakening; give to them leaders who shall guide them into freedom and peace; protect for their sake, the messengers of thy love; grant to the nations patience and wisdom, that they may help and not hinder the unity of a great people; and bring to the whole world the blessing of fellowship with thy son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

Amen.

BISHOP SLATTERY.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Ralph Leon Goetzenberger, Jr.
Dorothy Elizabeth Hellings
Henry Shannon Hellings, Jr.
Alfred Reeves Hunter, Jr.
Frederick Hemshey Levis
Louise Butterworth Levis
Charles Royden Madtes
Shirley Carter McCall, Jr.
Evelyn Nimon
John Stockton Reynolds

Marriages

Charles R. Madtes Emily B. Cox

Burials

Christopher Hart
Francis I. Gowen
Mary M. May

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PERFECT ATTENDANCE

(April.)

(Figure after name indicates number of consecutive months. No attendance taken on April 17th.)

Allen, Camilla 1	Lackman, Richard 6
Allen, Peggy 1	Lavelle, Richard 2
Binford, Franklin 4	Lawson, David 1
Birckhead, Sallie 2	Liggett, Howard 2
Bishop, Barbara 2	Lightcap, Mary 7
Blair, Thomas 2	Lightcap, Norman 7
Blair, Edgar 2	McIlhenny, Louise 1
Bradshaw, Clara 1	LeBrun, Gladys 1
Brunt, Lucinda 2	LeBrun, Marion 1
Brunt, Thomas 2	Mathers, Mildred 7
Buchenhorst, H. 7	Meryweather, J. 2
Butler, Edith 2	Meryweather, V. 2
Cadwallader, Edith 2	Morrow, Robert 1
Churchman, M. 1	Murray, William 1
Crawford, Edith 2	Myers, Edward 1
Crawford, Mary 5	Newbold, Anna 2
Disston, Diana 1	Newbold, Arthur 2
Disston, Effie 7	Newhall, Barbara 7
Disston, Eliza 7	Newhall, Ellen 2
Disston, J. S. 3rd 7	Newhall, John 6
Disston, Jessie 5	Newhall, Paul 7
Disston, Lucy 7	Nimon, Dorothy 2
Disston, Sally 2	Nimon, Mary 2
Disston, Sophie 2	Peabody, Endicott 7
Dickinson, Anne 2	Peabody, George 3
Dickinson, Phyllis 2	Pearson, Eliz. 7
Ellison, Mary 1	Pearson, Harry 1
Fisher, Sallie 2	Pearson, Stanley 1
Fraley, Pierre 1	Pemberton, Pris. 7
German, Eliz. 2	Randolph, Rachel 7
German, Robert 2	Reath, Tommy 7
Gibb, James Jr. 2	Redhouse, James 7
Gilchrist, Allan 6	Redhouse, Russell 7
Gilchrist, Edgar 3	Roth, Mary Eliz. 2
Gilchrist, Ed. Jr. 6	Roth, Walter 1
Gilchrist, Peter 4	Shantz, Betty 3
Glassey, Betty 4	Shantz, Irma 3
Glassey, Evelyn 3	Stem, Billy 2
Glassey, George 4	Shuman, Frank 1
Glassey, Patty 1	Sims, J. C. 3rd 2
Godfrey, Betty 1	Swain, Edward 3
Grant, Francis Jr. 1	Swain, Helen 7
Grant, Patricia 1	Swain, William 2
Gucker, Thomas 2	Swarthley, John 2
Hannan, Doris 2	Thompson, George 1
Harris, Harry 1	Thompson, Isabella 1
Harris, Mary 1	Thompson, Hugh 2
Hay, Duncan 3	Thompson, John 3
Hay, Peter 1	Thompson, Wm. 3
Henderson, Edith 7	Ward, Richard 1
Henderson, M. 1	Waterman, Anne, 2
Henderson, Ruth 1	Whittaker, John 7
Huggins, John 7	Whittaker, Phillip 1
Huggins, Joseph 3	Williams, Aubrey 1
Huggins, Margaret 7	Williams, Ernest 2
Jordan, Jane 1	Williams, Sadie 2
Kulp, Betty 2	

FACULTY

Birckhead, Rev. 7	Moore, Mr. 7
Brown, Mrs. 5	Morgan, Mr. 2
Cheston, Miss L. 2	Nalle, Mrs. 2
Dashiell, Mrs. 1	Peabody, Mrs. 7
Douglas, Miss 7	Peabody, Rev. 7
Fraley, Mrs. 1	Purves, Mr. 7
Frazier, Miss 7	Redhouse, Mr. 7
Frazier, Mrs. 3	Roth, Mr. 7
Harraden, Miss 7	Roth, Mr. Chas. 2
Keenan, Miss 7	Smythe, Miss 1
Lightcap, Charles 7	Van Dusen, Miss 2
McLaughlin, Mr. 3	Willing, Mrs. 5

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

Our Annual Rummage Sale will be held on Saturday, May 14th, from 10 A. M. to 9 P. M. at 8036 Germantown Ave. Articles may be sent there on May 12th and 13th.

The Society is sincerely grateful to all who so kindly responded to the appeal for clothing to send to Labrador. Many warm, useful garments have been received and the barrels will be sent probably sometime in May.

CATHERINE McKELVEY, Secretary.

CALENDAR

May 1—SS. Philip and James—2nd Sunday after Easter
May 8—3rd Sunday after Easter
May 15—4th Sunday after Easter
May 22—5th Sunday after Easter
May 26—Ascension Day, Thursday
May 29—Sunday after Ascension Day

FOUND

A pair of new chamoisette gloves, size 6½.
A green gloria cloth umbrella.
A door key.

The above mentioned articles may be obtained from the Secretary's office where they have been for some time.

POSITIONS WANTED

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Outside work wanted by a very respectable old Swiss who does painstaking work. For information, call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN.

A FABLE

There was once a poor widow who lived under the dark cloud of unjust oppression and there lived in the same town a judge. It lay in his power to see her avenged, but he hesitated, not knowing the full justice of her case. St. Luke 18:5 tells us how she won him over. He finally realized her need through her endless requests for help.

AND ITS MORAL

Which things are an allegory of this parish. For thirty years the wish for a new church has been vocal. In 1897 plans were drawn for a fine building. In 1916 complete drawings were made after a most elaborate competition. But in neither case did a building result, for in the following years the country went to War. Yet the longing for a new church will not down. It has in fact grown into an ever louder and more insistent demand as the present building increasingly fails to meet our needs. It is all too obvious that the roof leaks water, the windows leak cold air, the organ needs to be completely rebuilt, and the ventilating system is utterly inefficient. In short a structure never famous for its beauty is today so thoroughly run down as to be inadequate for the work expected of it in this vitally interested and fast growing community.

OUR PLANS.

Faced with this demand and this situation the Vestry have taken the only possible course by asking Messrs. Zantziger, Borie, and Medary to make preliminary studies of a Church Building which will be thoroughly adequate for the Parish needs for years to come because it is convenient, com-

modious, and above all a beautiful place in which to worship God.

May I make clear on my part how reluctant I should be to embark on an undertaking for ourselves were it less apparent that the need were less pressing or the situation short of emergency. It is certainly that, both as regards the fabric of the present building and the work of the parish in the Chestnut Hill of today.

Our plans will be developed during the summer and presented to the parish early in the fall for your action. It is greatly to be hoped that we can then begin work with a minimum of delay, so that by a year from now we may have in actual use a fine, spacious chancel giving manifest promise of the completed Church which will some day fulfil all our needs.

SUMMER SUNDAY EVENINGS.

No further service will be held at St. Paul's on Sunday evenings until October except on July 10th and August 28th when we welcome the union congregation of all the Protestant churches of Chestnut Hill.

We shall again take part as we did last year in this helpful community effort. Last year was the first time we joined very greatly to our own profit. The members of St. Paul's are certainly invited and encouraged to attend the services as they take place at the other churches.

RESULT OF THE SPECIAL APPEAL FOR THE MISSISSIPPI FLOOD SUFFERERS.

The offering for the Mississippi Flood Sufferers contributed for distribution by the Red Cross amounted to \$1586.28.

FLOWER MISSION.

It has been our custom for a number of years to hold a Flower Mission on each Wednesday from June until October. Members of the parish send in flowers to the parish house kitchen before 10 o'clock where ladies of the parish arrange and bunch them sending them at noon time to a hospital or settlement house in the city.

As the work tends to fall upon the same people each year it would be very gratifying if a number more could step up both with gifts of flowers and of their own time and the loan of their automobiles to take the flowers in town.

A card now hangs at the back of the church upon which those desiring to volunteer can mark down their names. The committee is headed this year by Mrs. Howard S. Kneeder, Jr., of 121 W. Chestnut Ave., Chestnut Hill.

THE NEW BULLETIN BOARD.

A fine new Bulletin Board of teak wood, constructed upon the plan illustrated in the April "Leaflet," has been given to the parish by Mrs. Walter S. Wyatt. We expect to have it delivered within a week or two and to set it up near the foot of the drive on East Chestnut Avenue. Besides the permanent lettering at top and bottom there will be a panel in the middle covered with glass on which will be hung current notices.

The parish is indeed indebted to Mrs. Wyatt for her generosity and to Mr. Edmund Purves of Zantzinger, Borie, and Medary for his handsome design.

WOMAN'S FRIENDLY

The Woman's Friendly Society wish to thank the congregation for the many splendid things they sent to the Rummage Sale and because of this and some fine donations they were enabled to clear over two hundred dollars.

The Society will close for the summer with a Picnic on June 15th.

C. P. PEPPER.

MOTORS AT MORNING SERVICE.

At 11 o'clock on Sunday mornings a sign now stands in front of the porte-cochere announcing that service has begun and that motors arriving late may turn to the left and go out through the alley on to Germantown Avenue. This is done to avoid the noise which disturbs people who are taking part in the service.

Of course those who arrive in motors *before* 11 o'clock will pass through the porte-cochere as always.

HAVE YOU ANY OF THESE MISSING BOOKS?

It is impossible to locate the following books, all of which belong to St. Paul's Parish Library and many of which have been kept out for months. Will you kindly look through your bookcases and see if you have any of them and if so either bring them in or inform the Parish Office that you have them?

The Episcopal Church ... George Hodges
The Inescapable Christ ... W. R. Bowie
Influence of Christianity on the Fundamental Human Institutions, Philo W. Sprague
Jesus Christ and the Social Question, F. G. Peabody
The Lord of All Good Life, Donald Hankey
My Education and Religion, George A. Gordon
Personal Religion and the Life of Fellowship William Temple
Upstream L. Lewisohn

ANOTHER LETTER FROM BISHOP ROWE TO ST. PAUL'S.

"You are most kind. Your fine spirit, your loving interest, are most encouraging to me. Your people have been so good and helpful. I feel unable to express my overflowing gratitude. Thank you very much—and for this last check of \$100—with my love and all best wishes.

Sincerely yours,
P. T. ROWE."

CHURCH SCHOOL-
PERFECT ATTENDANCE

(Through May 22nd.)

Figure after name indicates number of consecutive months.

Allen, Camilla 2	Mathers, Mildred 8
Allen, Peggy 2	Meryweather, J. 3
Binford, Franklin 5	Meryweather, M. 1
Birckhead, Olivia 1	Millman, Janet 1
Birckhead, Sallie 3	Murray, Wm. 2
Brunt, Lucinda 3	Newhall, Barbara 8
Brunt, Thomas 3	Newhall, Ellen 3
Buchenhorst, H., 8	Newhall, John 7
Cheston, Annette 1	Newhall, Paul 8
Cost, Edward 1	Newton, Richard 1
Craig, Jefferson 1	Peabody, Endicott 8
Crawford, Mary 6	Peabody, George 4
Disston, Betty 1	Peabody, Mary 1
Disston, Diana 2	Pearson, Elizabeth 8
Disston, Effie 8	Pearson, Harry 2
Disston, Eliza 8	Pearson, Stanley 2
Disston, J. S., 3rd 8	Pearson, Stephen 1
Disston, Jessie 6	Pease, Harrison 1
Disston, Lucy 8	Pemberton, Pris., 8
Disston, Sophie 3	Randolph, Rachel 8
Downs, T. McK., Jr. 1	Reath, Tommy 8
Dunn, Phebe 1	Redhouse, James 8
Fisher, Julie 1	Redhouse, Russell 8
Fisher, Sallie 4	Roth, Walter 2
Gaylord, Mary 1	Shantz, Betty 4
German, Elizabeth 3	Shantz, Irma 4
German, Robert 3	Stem, Billy 3
Gibb, James, Jr. 3	Sims, J. C. 3rd. 3
Gilchrist, Allan 7	Smith, Donald 2
Gilchrist, Edgar 4	Stone, Billy 1
Gilchrist, Edm., Jr. 7	Stone, Katherine 1
Godfrey, Betty 2	Swain, Edward 4
Goodfellow, Thorp 1	Swain, Helen 8
Goodman, E. 1	Swartley, John 3
Grant, Francis, Jr. 2	Thompson, Gordon
Grant, Patricia 2	Thompson, Hugh 3
Haag, Betty 1	Thompson, Isabella 2
Henderson, Edith 8	Thompson, John 4
Huggins, Joseph 4	Thompson, Roland 4
Huggins, Margaret 8	Thompson, Wm. 4
Jordan, Jane 2	Ward, Richard 2
Kite, Clement 1	Whittaker, John 8
Kite, Sally 1	Whittaker, Phillip 2
Kulp, Betty 3	Williams, Aubrey 2
Lavelle, Helen 1	Williams, Sadie 2
Lavelle, Richard 3	Wistar, Cresson 1
Lavelle, Robert 1	Wister, Emlen 1
Lightcap, Mary 8	Wright, Frances 1
Lightcap, Norman 8	Wright, Stephen 1

FACULTY

Birckhead, Rev. 8	Malin, Mr. 1
Cornog, Mrs. 1	Moore, Mr. 8
Cheston, Miss C. 1	Morgan, Miss 1
Dashiell, Mrs. 2	Nalle, Mrs. 3
Disston, Mr. 1	Peabody, Mrs. 8
Douglas, Miss 8	Purves, Mr. 8
Farle, Miss 1	Redhouse, Mr. 8
Frazier, Mr. 4	Roth, Mr. 8
Harraden, Miss 8	Weill, Miss 1
Keenan, Miss 8	Williamson, Miss 1
Lightcap, Mr. 8	Willing, Mrs. 6

CALENDAR

June

5—Whitsunday
6—Whitsun Monday
7—Whitsun Tuesday
12—Trinity Sunday
13—St. Barnabas—Monday
19—1st Sunday after Trinity
24—Nativity Saint John Baptist—Friday
26—2nd Sunday after Trinity
29—St. Peter, Apostle—Wednesday.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

James Burnett Gibb, Jr.
Stephen Northup Hay
Kathleen Margaret Tallman

Marriages

Julius M. Safford and
Kathleen M. Tallman
John Story Wright and
Pauline Potter Robinson

Burials

Francis S. McIlhenny
Susan Carpenter Myers
Samuel Jerome Fuller

POSITIONS WANTED.

The Rector is anxious to find a place as tutor for a young college man, preferably to look after young boys. He can recommend him very highly. Will anyone who is interested call the Parish Office, Chestnut Hill 0359 and let him know?

One of our prize Church School scholars is starting on a business venture. Will any one wishing to have the "Saturday Evening Post," "The Ladies Home Journal," or "The Country Gentleman" delivered regularly to them, please drop a post card to Norman Lightcap, 239 W. Highland Ave. or phone C. H. 4828.

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Church School—9.30 Sunday mornings.

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First Trebles.

William Thompson	Richard Ward
Richard Neal	Richard Lavelle
Ernest Williams	Sherwood Flood
Edward Cost	C. Thompson
Henry Getz	Norman Lightcap
Walter Buch	John Huggins
Franklin Binford	Joseph Huggins
James McClelland	Harry Seipel

Second Trebles

Henry Sheetz	Carl Liberg
William J. Rainey, Jr.	Joseph Higgins

Counter Tenor

A. W. Specht	Robert German
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Tenors.

Henry K. Hollinger	H. Tomlinson
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Saint Paul's Leaflet

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No. 7

RECTOR'S COLUMN.

"Yes Doctor, what I certainly need is freedom from responsibility, complete relaxation and a perfect rest." Whereupon the trunks are strapped up, the blinds pulled down, 'Toot, Toot,' and away. So far, so good. But does not the kind of vacation we put in somewhat depend on the meaning we read into "complete relaxation"?

You have heard of the lad who came home after getting "all tired out having a good time." He obviously felt that there was just one thing that a vacation was good for, namely pleasure, its pursuit and enjoyment. He got his relaxation too. But unfortunately it didn't "hit" him till he got home.

"T. R." was once ordered to take off two months for 'complete relaxation.' His doctor wondering how far he would be obeyed came to see the patient just as he was leaving. "Yes, doctor," said the soldier-statesman-scientist-author, "I certainly need a rest. I'm not going to do a thing, not a thing but write a life of Cromwell." From which remark one gathers that the strenuous gentleman most enjoyed doing something dear to his soul, which

the busy working months made impossible. He rested himself by writing books. To have spent his holiday in idle, sodden ease would have bored him so thoroughly that his autumn work would have found him even wearier than when he started.

Don't let's throw away a perfectly good vacation. 'A pocketful of thrills for every day' is a poor slogan, partly because no one could humanly feel them all, but also because it makes of us limp rags. Why not do one solid piece of reading, the kind of tonic "T. R." took? It will really represent the fulfillment of a kind of heart's desire that is no less real because it is not uppermost in mind.

What about reading through the Fourth Gospel, bit by bit each day, and along with it Lord Charnwood's "According to St. John"? This is not an "easy" book, but it is on a subject about which few have expressed themselves and is admirably written. Good style is like a good dentist. Both make seemingly hard things a positive pleasure.

A happy holiday, however long, to everyone, with a healthy piece of unusual work in the middle of it!—And by the way, they hold service every Sunday morning in your town at 10.30 or 11 o'clock, if not earlier!

CLERGY VACATIONS.

Mr. Birckhead is now away on his vacation. He will return on July 30th in order to take the choir boys to camp for a week. On August 5th he will be in residence in his home for the rest of the summer.

The Rector will not leave until July 17th. He will be available in the rectory until that date. If the telephone does not answer, kindly call the parish secretary, Chestnut Hill 0359.

On July 24th and 31st the Rev. Gibson Bell, headmaster of the Montgomery School, will conduct the service. He will also be available in cases of sickness or whenever a clergyman is needed.

Miss Harraden will be in the office each morning until August 6th thus making one member of the staff available at all times.

UNION SERVICES.

We took an active part in the Union Services on Sunday evenings in July and August last year very greatly to our own profit. All that attended them felt that the opportunity for worshiping with our brethren of the other churches was one which they would be glad to have again.

We are accordingly joining once more in the Union Service series. I have been asked to preach at the opening service at the First Presbyterian Church on July 3d. The second service will be at St. Paul's on July 10th. The hour of service will on every occasion be 8 P. M. and the list of churches where services are to be held follows:

July 3.—First Presbyterian.
July 10.—St. Paul's.
July 17.—Methodist Episcopal.

July 24.—Baptist.
July 31.—Trinity Presbyterian.
August 7.—Lutheran.
August 14.—Baptist.
August 21.—Methodist Episcopal.
August 28.—St. Paul's.
September 4.—Trinity Presbyterian.

9.30 SUNDAY SERVICE.

A regular service of morning prayer and address will be held in the church every Sunday morning throughout the summer at 9.30.

This service is designed primarily to enable the members of the Church School to keep up the regular habit of church worship which they have acquired during the year. We shall welcome, however, any members of the parish who wish to attend, especially parents who come with their children.

While this is a regular service of the church it will last for only thirty-five or forty minutes following the usual form familiar to the Church School pupils.

Will boys and girls remember to bring their blue "Vacation Letter" in order that their attendance may be marked each Sunday?

CHURCH SCHOOL OPENING.

Sunday, October 2, will be the opening day for the Church School in the fall. Another announcement of this will be made, but all will want to keep it in mind.

The teachers will meet on the previous Sunday for a corporate communion and breakfast to be followed by the opening faculty meeting.

WEEKDAY SERVICES.

There will be no more weekday services during this season. Following our usual custom, we shall recommence them in October.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

Work accomplished during the active period from October 16th to June 15th last, has given much satisfaction.

Garments purchased from the Diocesan Supply Bureau and made were given to the City Mission and to St. Martha's House.

Four barrels filled with warm clothing were sent to Labrador for the mission work of Dr. Grenfell and about as many were sent to the work in charge of the Rev. Mr. Persons at Yancey, Virginia.

The Society is most grateful to all friends of the congregation who helped this work by contributing money, garments for the missionary barrels, and article to our various sales.

The meetings closed for the summer with a picnic on the grounds of the Roumfort Inn, Mt. Airy, on June 15, when the members and their children and friends had a very happy time, through the kind arrangements of the President, Mrs. Pepper, and the Vice President, Miss Hebard.

CATHERINE McKELVEY,
Secretary

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Edith Landell Dunn
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Adam Deist and Eliza Jane McCready.
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Henry Sulger Jeanes, Jr. and Grace Price Morgan.

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Sydney L. Wright.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

At the closing meeting of the G. F. S. a program for next season was planned. We hope to open again the first week in October and are especially anxious to have a number of young girls from the community to share in our activities.

The climax of this season's work was a Fashion Show in which was realized a profit of \$100.00.

Contributions made during the year were as follows:

Florida Relief	\$9.00
Eddystone Party	11.09
Lenten Sewing	15.94
G. F. S. Holiday House.....	15.00
Red Cross "Flood".....	16.00
All Saints' School, Bontoc, P. I..	10.00
Home for Consumptives	50.00
G. F. S. Garden Party.....	10.00

LOUISE B. IRVINE,
Treasurer.

NEW ORGANIST.

The parish is very fortunate in having secured the services of Mr. Arthur W. Howes as organist and choirmaster. Mr. Howes has not many years of age to his credit, but has very successfully handled a boys' choir and comes to us highly recommended both by his Rector and Vestry and by the members of the profession who know him. It is a very great pleasure to welcome him at St. Paul's this first Sunday in July as a regular member of the staff.

CALENDAR.

July.

3.—Third Sunday after Trinity.
10.—Fourth Sunday after Trinity.
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Carl Liberg

Joseph Higgins

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RECTOR'S COLUMN.

Jeremiah has a text for returning vacationists: "The harvest is passed, the summer is ended, and we are not saved." It sounds a little gloomy at first. The prophet was of course concerned with saving his own soul. That is always a gloomy thought. But put another interpretation on it and you get quite a nice idea.

Paraphrase it for instance—"The carefree happy days for the time-being are passed, the kindly summer zephyrs have stopped blowing this year, and we are back again at the opening of a new season of work." That is not so bad—for the cool of autumn has its romance like every other season. It is good to get girded again; good for the smiling morning scholar who girds himself with his books, good for business men, teachers, and church workers who gird themselves with new zeal for the old task rigged out in a new dress.

Let us try to get hold of this "autumn spirit." We must if life is to be anything more than one boring thing after another. After all the people who do things are those to whom life is forever "new." True Christianity is a mighty renovating factor.

The particularly new aspect of our own parish work during the coming winter will in one sense be simply a re-emphasis upon and development of old aims. For example, we shall without doubt carry on the *Church School* more efficiently. The organization has taken new life to itself since Mrs. Brown arrived. The staff has grown very greatly in efficiency. The children have come to realize that religious education is of genuine importance. This is a satisfactory step forward for one year. The new factor in this year's progress might take

the form of slightly more active co-operation from the parents. If all of them should back us up by ensuring things like promptness and careful preparation of lessons, the work would take quite a forward bound.

Or recall the emphasis that was laid last year on the *Church's Worship*. The growing numbers and the growing interest of the congregation showed that this emphasis was right. It was a new emphasis, but it is one that is receiving world-wide attention. Men are beginning to find that God can be found in the company of faithful people who have learned to take active part in a worship of Him that is full of beauty and meaning. This is no new discovery, but it calls for new effort. It involves a personal responsibility for singing hymns, for sharing in the responses, and for throwing one's whole self anew into the service. The results of such an effort would constitute something both "new" and valuable.

Then there is the *New Church*. That constitutes our principal task this year. It certainly is well worth undertaking, too, for it will immensely promote these spiritual causes that we have most at heart. Let us as we work for it, by all means keep the religious motive uppermost. The new Church will be good for its own sake, but its novelty will have especial significance as being dedicated to the glory and the service of Him who maketh "all things new."

ALMOST READY.

Before another issue of "The Leaflet" appears the pamphlet describing the new church will have been mailed to every house in the parish. We cannot yet prophesy the exact October date—but it is coming!

"NOT YET BAPTIZED."

One sometimes runs across parents who say, "I am ashamed to confess that my child is not yet baptized." In some cases this may have been unavoidable, but usually the delay is due to simple carelessness. People do not value baptism enough to make a point of it at an early date in the child's life.

This is a pity for baptism makes the child a member of the Christian society. At the very outset of his life he becomes identified with the Christian movement. Whether or not parents realize the significance of this, the results are very apparent as the child grows up. A baptized child not only knows that he "belongs," but the fact that the parents have brought him to baptism establishes a pretty strong assurance that his religious education will begin and continue.

Attention to the formal side of religion is thought today to have little to do with its inner significance. That is, among other things, poor psychology. By baptism, the child is launched in spirit and in truth upon his religious career. Bring the little ones to baptism. Give them the best chance in a world where following after Jesus is no easy task.

CHURCH SCHOOL SERVICE

At 9.30 every Sunday morning we have held a short service for the children of the parish. To this service all who were interested have been cordially invited. Some older people have come. This service is a regular service of the Church and during the coming season will consist of Morning Prayer or Holy Communion. A brief address or instruction is always given.

This service is a part of the Church School session, but it is hoped that as time goes on others may decide to come to it. They will certainly be impressed with the enthusiasm of the boys and girls and the hearty and important part they take in the worship.

ALL REGULAR SERVICES RESUMED.

Beginning with the first Sunday in October we shall hold service on Sunday evening at 7.45. The usual services on week days will be resumed, Thursdays, Holy Communion at 7.30 and 10 o'clock, Fridays, Morning Prayer and Litany at 10, and Saints' Days, Holy Communion at 7.30.

MISS CASE COMING.

Miss Adelaide T. Case of Teachers' College, Columbia University, is one of the real authorities on Religious Education in the country. She is going to speak at the Church School Institute of the Diocese at the Church of the Holy Apostles, 21st and Christian Sts., on Monday, October 3.

Members of the Church School faculty will attend the Institute, but it would be worth while for any one interested in Religious Education to make an effort to go to hear her at 5 P. M. on the subject, "Methods of Teachers of Grammar and Junior High Grades."

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The first meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will take place on Friday, October 7th, at 10.30. Mrs. Robert P. Frazier of the Cheyenne River Mission, South Dakota, will speak of her work and life on an Indian Reservation. It is hoped there will be a large attendance both to hear Mrs. Frazier and to begin the fall work of the Auxiliary.

CONFIRMATION CLASS.

As the Bishop will make his visitation early this year, the Confirmation Class will meet without delay. Will all those who are considering confirmation meet with me in the Library of the Parish House at 5 P. M. promptly on Sunday, October 2nd?

I am especially anxious to secure a full attendance at the beginning in order that all who are presented may be thoroughly prepared. M. E. P.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

"I am come that ye might have life and might have it more abundantly." This is the motto on which the G. F. S. program for the coming year is based. "An Abundant Life—How to Attain It." The Society plans to carry on this search by considering such subjects as art, music, literature, home economics, and religion. There will be suppers, speakers, and informal talks by the girls. A cordial invitation is issued to every girl and young woman in the parish to attend these meetings and to help carry on the work of the Society.

The program for October follows: Please note that the meetings are held on THURSDAY evenings at 8.15.

October 6—Opening Meeting—Service in the Church.

October 13—Supper and Speaker—Subject, "Art."

October 20—Discussion—"My Favorite Pictures and Why." Handwork Instruction. Half Hour of Fun.

October 27—Hallowe'en Party—all come in costume.

October 30—Sunday,—Corporate Communion.

The topic for November will be "Books."

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The opening meeting of the season will be held on Wednesday, October 12th at 8 o'clock in the Parish House.

New members are solicited and visitors are invited to come and be interested in the work.

All will meet a "Friendly" welcome. CATHERINE McKELVEY Secy.

AWAY AT SCHOOL.

We want to keep in touch with all the boys and girls and all the college students of the parish during the period of their absence from Chestnut Hill. Will the parents of these young people (or the students themselves) be good enough to send in their names and addresses? This may have far-

reaching consequences. Among other things, it will lead them to a contact with the college pastor of our Church in college towns wherever such a one is present.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Lucy Brace Eaton
Thelma Mary McNamee
Bayard Wharton, Jr.

Marriages

William Spencer Service and
Josephine Grant Hooper

Burials

Mitchell Harrison
Wentworth Paul Johnson
Mary Ottinger
Grace Ledlie Sims

HAVE YOU MOVED?

We want to keep our records up to date, but to do this we must have the cooperation of all. If you have moved within the past year, won't you please send us your new address? Just fill out one of the cards in the boxes on the pews and leave it at the back of the church or call the Parish Secretary at Chestnut Hill 0359 and give your change of address to her.

CALENDAR

Oct. 2.—16th Sunday after Trinity
9.—17th Sunday after Trinity
16.—18th Sunday after Trinity
18.—St. Luke, Evangelist
23.—19th Sunday after Trinity
28.—SS. Simon and Jude
30.—20th Sunday after Trinity

NOTICES.

Class Lessons for Beginners in Music will commence October 3rd at 4 P. M. Special classes for children from five to ten years of age. No home practice required. Notation, finger work, time study, and sight singing taught in pleasing and original ways. For further information apply to Mrs. Elizabeth A. Painter, 34 W. Gravers Lane or call C. H. 2434.

ROOMS FOR RENT.—One double room and one single room. Will serve breakfasts if desired. Apply 8313 Ardleigh St. or call C. H. 1782.

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Richard Ward

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William Rainey

Carl Liberg

Joseph Higgins

Henry Sheetz

James, McLelland

Henry Ayton

LeRoy Waters

Calvin Butler

Harry Seipel

Henry Getz

Franklin Binford

John Huggins

Crofton Thompson

Altos—Robert German, Edward Cost

Counter Tenor—A. W. Specht

Tenors.

Mr. Olsen H. Tomlinson Louis H. Dow

Basses.

Howard F. Story Leonard Davies
Fred A. Barber Wm. H. Bender

Crucifers: Hawley Taussig, William Huggins
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George Huggins, Jr.

Mrs. Harold R. Burleigh, Choir Mother.

Rehearsals:..Tuesdays at 7 P. M.
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Special Classes Wednesday at
7 P. M. and Saturday 9 A. M.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

Did you ever hear of the preacher who quit his church complaining that the modern slogan "Raise the Budget" had entirely superceded the ancient cry that took him into the ministry "Preach the Gospel"? Many a hard-pressed clergyman will at first blush agree with his plaint. It seems, at times as if every cause that needed money sooner or later knocked at his door. Yet the parson who takes refuge in flight helps the situation not at all.

The fact is that this is the day of appeals because men and women have learnt to give at a rate unparalleled in history. This makes it necessary for the parson to study not so much how to acquire the attitude of stony-heartedness as the ability wisely to select the important and timely appeals, and to lay them before the people in a way that will build up interest and extend capacity for service.

The Church has learnt much about the raising of money since the late-lamented preacher ran away. But in no department has it improved more than in that of its own internal financing. The budget system has come to stay because it is business-like; that means, it is a method that people respect and one which, therefore, elicits their enthusiastic contributions.

In our own parish since the Vestry has begun to budget expenses, we have about doubled our list of regular givers. But we have done more than that. We have stabilized the income of

the Parish by democratizing it. Last year we secured 619 pledges for \$52,000 and of these the number exceeding \$1000 may be counted on the fingers of one hand.

Is it fanciful to aim this year at securing a regular contribution from every adult member? I don't see why it should be. They all use the Church sooner or later. Who wants to get something for nothing? The size of the weekly subscription may have to be small. That won't matter so much if everyone does his share. We have never yet raised our Full Budget. But if those who have previously given continue their support at the same figure, and if all the rest will give regularly even a little, we shall easily do it this year. Let us do just that on November the 13th. Every Member a Supporter.

NEW CHURCH

We have made excellent headway with the preparation of the pamphlet describing the New Church. The Vestry has thought it wise to defer its publication until after the Welfare Federation Campaign and the Canvass for our own budget.

We have now definitely fixed Sunday, November 27th, as the day on which to give our plans full publicity and to think over together the whole subject. The parish will have plenty of opportunity after that date to consider the undertaking before further steps are taken toward the raising of money to make our long contemplated hope a reality.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY DEVOTIONAL SERVICE SOCIETY AND CONFERENCE OF WOMEN'S CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS OF DIOCESE OF PENNSYLVANIA

Our many friends who contributed warm garments for the Labrador Mission work will be glad to know that five barrels were filled and sent, and that letters have been received from the committee in charge of the clothing department expressing much appreciation and thanks for all who helped in the good work.

Our annual Bazaar is to be held on December 7th, when we hope to have many useful and attractive things for sale. The proceeds will be used for the general work of the Society, providing Christmas cheer, aiding Mission Centers, Institutions, and individual cases in our customary way.

Catherine McKelvey, Sec.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The G. F. S. has planned an interesting program for November. On November 3rd there will be a supper followed by a speaker on "Books Worth Reading" and a book review by one of the members.

November 6th is the day when the G. F. S. Branches all over the country hold Corporate Communion. Let every member of our Branch be in Church at 8 A. M. on Sunday, November 6th.

A discussion, "The Meaning of the G. F. S.," will take place on November 10th. "What the G. F. S. Means to Me" will be presented by an old member; "What We Hope to Find in the G. F. S." will be given by a new member. A general discussion and Carol practice will follow.

On November 17th after a short talk on "Service and Thanksgiving" by an Associate, a millinery class will be held.

On Tuesday, November 15th, at 3.30 P. M. in Holy Trinity Church there will be an address by the Rt. Rev. Charles L. Slatery, Bishop of Massachusetts, followed by a Conference in the Parish House at 4.15 on "The Relation of Women's Work to the Whole Work of the Whole Church." Leader, the Rev. Malcolm E. Peabody.

At 6 P. M. a Box Supper with coffee will be provided for those who notify the Woman's Auxiliary, 202 S. 19th Street, before November 10th.

From 7.30 to 8 o'clock in Holy Trinity Church there will be a conference and answers to the Question Box. From 8 to 9 o'clock will be held a Devotional Closing Service by Bishop Slatery.

WHERE YOUR GENERAL CHURCH DOLLAR GOES

This is the third year that we have incorporated our quota to the Diocese and General Church in our Parish Budget. Of the \$26,000 given in this way 46c of every dollar goes to the Diocese and 54c to the General Church. Of every dollar given to the General Church 38c is spent for Domestic Missions and 39c for Foreign Missions. The other 23c is used to promote the work of the departments of Religious Education, Social Service, Publicity, and the Field Department and to carry on the administration of and causes in which the General Church is concerned.

THREE GRATIFYING REPORTS

It is very pleasant to be able to submit to the Parish the practical results of their continued generosity.

Bishop Hulse reports that he received from us \$645.00 for the educational expenses of the two children of one of his Cuban clergy. As he asked for only \$500.00 we were able to give him more than enough. He says, "I am deeply grateful to you and your generous parishioners and I feel sure that the children will justify the expense."

The Garden Party at Wyck last June was the most successful ever held by the Germantown Convocation. The service rendered by members of this parish and the attendance by many at the occasion was well paid in rolling up the gross receipts to \$2500.00. As a result of this effort the Parish House of St. Barnabas' Church in Germantown is nearly finished.

Members of the parish were also able to help very materially in the campaign of the American Church Institute for Negroes to raise a large sum of money for their Building Program. The total so far received from all sources is about 80% of the full amount needed. When the full amount has been secured the appropriation of the Rockefeller Foundation of \$158,000 will be available.

OF INTEREST TO PARENTS

The Parents' Council of Philadelphia is offering a series of four lectures to the people of this section of the city by four men thoroughly qualified in their subjects.

The first lecture is on Tuesday, November 1st, in the Germantown High School Auditorium at 8 P. M. The subject is "Lead-

ing Boys and Girls Through These Days," the speaker is Ernest R. Groves. The next is on November 15, "Guiding to Life Work" by Harry D. Kitson; the third, November 29, "Helping Children Face Realities" by Harry Tiebout; the fourth, December 6, "Developing Character" by William H. Kilpatrick.

These lectures are backed by a first class group of men and women including the headmaster of one of our leading schools.

CHURCH AND DRAMA

There has recently been formed in New York under the presidency of Dr. Cadman, who is also President of the Federation of Churches, an organization known as "The Church and Drama Association," whose object is to recommend plays and motion pictures which are worth while both in their art and in their purpose. We shall publish each month their recommendations. So far they have mentioned the names of the following plays: "Pickwick," "My Maryland," "The Mikado," "Baby Cyclone," and the following motion pictures: "The King of Kings," "Sunrise," "The Student Prince," "The Jazz Singer."

Should anyone wish to subscribe to their bulletin they can do so by enclosing 50c to the Association office at 105 East 22nd Street, New York City.

A NEIGHBOR'S ANNIVERSARY

The First Presbyterian Church of Chestnut Hill will celebrate its Seventy-fifth Anniversary on November 6th and 7th. We have all been invited to Community Night on Monday, the 7th of November, to the service at 8 P. M. and the social hour following.

CHURCH SCHOOL NOTES

CHURCH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

The following have been present every one of the five Sundays in October.

Aitken, Theodore	Hannan, Doris	Nimon, Mary
Allen, Camilla	Harris, Mary	Peabody, Endicott
Allen, Peggy	Hart, Edward	Peabody, George
Binford, Franklin	Hay, Duncan	Peabody, Mary
Birkhead, Olivia	Hay, Peter	Pearson, Elizabeth
Birkhead, Sally	Hay, William	Pearson, Harry
Blair, Edgar	Henderson, Edith	Pearson, Stanley
Blair, Thomas	Henderson, Mortland	Pearson, Stephen
Blair, Virginia	Henderson, Ruth	Pease, Harrison
Brunt, Lucinda	Holland, Harry	Randolph, Rachel
Brunt, Thomas	Huggins, John	Reath, Henry
Buchenhorst, Harriet	Huggins, Joseph	Reath, Thomas
Butler, Calvin	Huggins, Margaret	Redhouse, James
Butler, Edith	Jordan, Jane	Redhouse, Russell
Caner, Anne	Kite, Clement	Rust, Randolph
Caner, Joan	Lavelle, Helen	Sims, Joseph, Jr.
Clement, Suzanne	Lavelle, Richard	Stem, William
Crawford, Mary	Lavelle, Robert	Stone, Katharine
Disston, Deborah	Lawson, David, Jr.	Swartley, John
Disston, Diana	LeBrun, Gladys	Thompson, Gordon
Disston, Eliza	LeBrun, Marion	Thompson, Isabella
Disston, Jacob	Leiper, Jane	Thompson, Rolland
Disston, Jessie	Lightcap, Mary	Thompson, William
Disston, Lucy	Lightcap, Norman	Van Anglen, Robert
Disston, Sally	McIlhenny, Alan	Whittaker, John
Disston, Sophie	McIlhenny, Louise	Whittaker, Philip
Disston, Wm.	Mathers, Mildred	Wilmot, Margaret
Dunn, Phoebe	Meryweather, Mary	Wistar, Cresson
Ellison, Mary	Michener, Lloyd	Wistar, Emlen
Fassitt, Matilda	Morrow, Robert	Wrigley, Arthur
Fisher, Sally	Newbold, Anna	Wright, Frances
Gibb, James, Jr.	Newbold, Arthur	Wright, Stephen
Gilchrist, Allan	Newhall, Barbara	Miss Frazier's class,
Gilchrist, Edgar	Newhall, John	3B2, has had every
Gilchrist, Edmund, Jr.	Newhall, Paul	member present every
Gilchrist, Peter	Nimon, Dorothy	Sunday.

PERFECT CHURCH ATTENDANCE

During Summer

The following children attended a Church service every Sunday during the summer:

Olivia Birkhead

Sallie Birkhead
Harriet Elizabeth Buchenhorst
Diana Disston
Eliza Sergeant Disston
Jacob Steelman Disston, 3rd
Suzanne Hammond
Endicott Peabody, 2nd
George Lee Peabody
Mary Endicott Peabody
William Bement Stem

OUR PARISH BUDGET FOR 1928

For Current Expenses

Salaries	\$16,716.00
Pension Fund	
Premiums	840.00
Church School	1,000.00
Choir	6,275.00
Coal	1,000.00
Printing	600.00
Taxes	725.00
Insurance	500.00
Repairs	3,000.00
All Other Items	3,825.00

\$34,481.00

Sinking Fund

\$35,656.00

For Missions

Estimated Apport.	\$26,000.00
Episc. & Conv. Fund.	1,000.00
Sustentation Fund	300.00

\$27,300.00

For Ourselves

\$35,656.00

For Others

27,300.00

Total to be raised... \$62,956.00

The Vestry has authorized a Budget of substantially the same figure as last year. They felt justified in doing this in spite of the fact that to date receipts are not quite equal to expenses. If those who are behind in their contributions will bring them up to date, this difficulty will be easily corrected.

Under the circumstances of our great undertaking in 1928 it will be of prime importance that we raise our full Budget. This is the only way that we can put our parish on a sound business basis. At the present time two-thirds of our membership are contributing regularly. Why should not every one do so? It is not the amount of any one pledge that counts so much as the fact that everybody is doing his part.

We shall hold our annual Par-

ish Canvass this year on Sunday, November 13th. Letters will previously have been sent to all regular contributors. We shall make a personal call upon everyone else. We made a large advance in 1926 and 1927. Let our aim this year be "Every Member a Supporter."

CONFIRMATION NOVEMBER 13

Bishop Garland will make his annual Visitation to the parish on Sunday, November 13th, at the eleven o'clock service. The confirmation class will be presented at that time. It is one of the great services of the year. We shall all want to be there to greet the Bishop and to attend an occasion so full of meaning for the group who are to be presented.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Barbara Caner
Elizabeth Aymar Cooke
Jane Bell Savage

Marriages

Robert Frederic Lawson and
Estelle Dallas Saunders.
Sumner W. White, Jr., and
Virginia Earle.

Burials

Charles Allerton Newhall

CALENDAR

November

- 1—All Saints' Day.
- 6—21st Sunday after Trinity.
- 13—22nd Sunday after Trinity.
- 20—Sunday next before Advent.
- 24—Thanksgiving Day.
- 27—1st Sunday in Advent.
- 30—St. Andrew, Apostle.

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William Thompson	Carl Liberg
Ernest Williams	Joseph Higgins
Richard Neal	Henry Sheetz
Norman Lightcap	James McLelland
George Ayton	Henry Ayton
Richard Lavelle	LeRoy Waters
Richard Ward	Calvin Butler
Joseph Huggins	Henry Getz
Sherwood Flood	John Huggins

Crofton Thompson

Contra-Tenors

William Naylor A. W. Specht

Tenors

David J. Olsen H. Tomlinson Louis H. Dow

Basses

Howard F. Story Fred A. Barber
Leonard Davies

Crucifers: Hawley Taussig, William Huggins
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Choir Mother: Mrs. Harold R. Burleigh

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

OUR SPIRITUAL UNDERTAKING

The first thought suggested by the phrase, "Our New Church" savours of bricks and mortar. Which thing is a pity, because a Church is first a spiritual entity and only incidentally a material one.

The real reason we need a new church is because the Church's task needs to be done better in this day and generation. As the Society of Christ's followers, it has not brought people to Christ in anything like the numbers or with anything like the devotion in this age that it has done in former ages.

A very real promise of better things lies in the realization that the Church's first functions are spiritual, the relearning of worship, more efficient teaching of religion and a heightened responsibility for spreading the Gospel.

The only justifiable reason for spending much time or money on our great enterprise is that truer followers of Christ may result thereby. Physical comfort in Church is an advantage, but it is not primary. The New Church will be comfortable, but in its greater beauty and in its supply of proper equipment it will enable us better to hear God's word and to do His work.

CHRISTMAS A RELIGIOUS FEAST

"Christmas," as Scrooge's nephew observed, "should be a good time, a happy time." Measured in terms of greetings, festivities and presents it certainly is a "good"

time for most of us these days.

But Christmas did not start with a Carnival. It started with a Child who has captured the imagination of the world.

Let us by all means hold high Carnival this Christmas season. But let us do it because of the joy we feel for the gift of Him whose Birthday we celebrate. The forms of a pagan and a Christian feast may superficially have much in common. The difference comes in the spirit that prompts them. May ours be a generation of children brought up to look not so much for Presents as for a Presence.

PARISH CANVASS REPORT

The success of the annual Canvass this year consists in our having secured 98 new subscribers for a total additional sum of \$2,756.92. This fact is particularly encouraging because it indicates that such a large proportion of available subscribers are doing their part. Our total contributing constituency is 935. If all who contributed to the Budget this year continue their subscriptions in 1928, we shall number 715 in all.

Toward the full budget of \$62,906.00, \$46,450.80 has been subscribed to date. The difference is largely accounted for by the fact that so large a number of regular subscribers have yet failed to send in their pledge cards. If this could be done, it would help us to know (especially in a year of great financial strain) exactly how much money we could count upon for our running expenses.

1927 MISSIONARY GIVING

The Parish at large will rejoice to know that in addition to meeting our quota of \$26,000 in 1927, various members of the parish have subscribed an extra \$5,000 to help meet the deficiency in the Diocese between the amount pledged to the National Council and the amount received from the various parishes. While we are able by the nature of our condition to do more than the average, the fact remains that the missionary enthusiasm of this parish is a lead and an inspiration to those who, like your Rector, are officially responsible for the work of the National Church.

CHURCH AND DRAMA BULLETIN

The Church and Drama Association, made up of Church people of various denominations, is making careful reviews of various New York plays and pictures and recording what in their judgment are the best. Thus far they have recommended the following plays:

"The Mikado."
 "My Maryland."
 "The Baby Cyclone."
 "The Good Hope."
 "An Enemy of the People."
 "Four Walls."
 "Escape."
 "The Ivory Door."
 "Just Fancy."

and the following pictures:

"The Student Prince."
 "The King of Kings."
 "Sunrise."
 "The Jazz Singer."
 "Les Miserables."
 "Wings."
 "Quality Street."

CONFIRMATION CLASS

The class was presented to Bishop Garland at his visitation on November 13th and had the following membership:

Adam Deist
 Jane Martyn Dunn.
 Charles Douglas Galloway, Jr.
 Frances Elizabeth Godfrey
 Norman Howell Mason
 Mary Watson Meryweather
 Robert John Morrow
 Margaret C. Mustin
 Priscilla Pemberton
 Russell Redhouse
 Charles Lippincott Sheppard, Jr.
 Winston Cartwright Sheppard
 George Wilmot
 Samuel Wilmot
 Mary Wheeler Wood
 Robert Leaming Wood, Jr.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

We trust that our friends of the congregation will remember the date of our "Bazaar," December 7th, from 3 to 9 P. M. in the Parish House, when we want them to come and buy their Christmas presents and many useful things for the household.

There will also be homemade cake and candy, and attractions for the children, besides ice cream, hot chocolate and afternoon tea.

Donations toward any of these things would be much appreciated and may be sent to the Parish House on December 6th and 7th. The proceeds of the sale are to be used to help bring Christmas cheer wherever needed. C. McKELVEY, Sec.

CHURCH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

(Figure after name indicates number of months perfect attendance)

Allen, Camilla, 2	Hay, Wm., 2	Shuman, Frank, 1
Allen, Peggy, 2	Henderson, Edith, 2	Sims, John C., 3rd, 1
Anderson, Robert, 1	Henderson, Mortland, 2	Stem, Wm. 2
Anderson, Wm., Jr., 1	Henderson, Ruth, 2	Stone, James, 1
Ayton, George, 1	Higgins, Joseph, 1	Stone, Katharine, 2
Binford, Franklin, 2	Holland, Alice, 1	Swain, Helen, 1
Birckhead, Olivia, 2	Holland, Harry, 2	Swain, Wm., 1
Birckhead, Sally, 2	Huggins, John, 2	Swartley, John, 2
Bishop, Mary, 1	Huggins, Joseph, 2	Thompson, George, 1
Blair, Edgar, 2	Huggins, Margaret, 2	Thompson, Hugh, 1
Blair, Thomas, 2	Jordan, Jane, 2	Thompson, Isabella, 2
Blair, Virginia, 2	Kessler, Stephen, 1	Thompson, Rolland, 2
Brunt, Lucinda, 2	Kite, Clement, 2	Thompson, Wm., 2
Brunt, Thomas, 2	Lavelle, Helen, 2	Van Anglen, Robert, 2
Buchenhorst, Harriet, 2	Lavelle, Richard, 2	Van Anglen, Walter, 2
Butler, Calvin, 2	Lavelle, Robert, 2	Ward, Richard, 1
Butler, Edith, 2	Leapson, Doris, 1	Whittaker, John, 2
Caner, Anne, 2	Le Brun, Gladys, 2	Whittaker, Philip, 2
Caner, Joan, 2	Le Brun, Marion, 2	Williams, Margaret, 1
Cheston, Annette, 1	Leiper, Jane, 2	Wilmot, George, 1
Clement, Gregory, 1	Liggett, Howard, 1	Wilmot, Margaret, 2
Clement, Suzanne, 2	Liggett, Louise, 1	Wilmot, Nella, 1
Cost, Edward, 1	Lightcap, Mary, 2	Wilmot, Samuel, 1
Disston, Deborah, 2	Lightcap, Norman, 2	Wistar, Cresson, 2
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Disston, Jacob, 2	Murray, Wm., 1	Brown, Mrs., 2
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Dolph, Margaret, 1	Newhall, John, 2	Dashiell, Mrs., 2
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Doughten, Josephine, 1	Nimon, Dorothy, 2	Dolph, Mrs., 2
Doughten, Wm., 1	Newton, Richard, 1	Douglas, Miss, 2
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German, Eliz., 1	Peabody, George, 2	Redhouse, Mr., 2
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Every member of 4G2, Senior 2G and Senior 4G has been present every Sunday in November.

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

A vigorous campaign in the interest of highway safety is being undertaken by the American Road Builders' Association. Their figures show that the overwhelming cause for accidents whether caused primarily by motorists or by pedestrians is sheer carelessness which generally takes the form of breaking traffic laws. They have sent out a Membership Pledge to the Highway Safety Club which includes this statement: "I will use courtesy and caution while driving automobiles and will never exercise haste to the point of creating a hazard."

This would be a pretty good affirmation to repeat every time one steps into the driver's seat. 25,000 deaths a year is a heavy toll to pay for "getting there in a hurry."

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The general subject for discussion during December will be "Music." On December 8 there will be a speaker and Carol Practice, on the 15th a Christmas Party, and on the 22nd our Branch will go to the Mission at Eddystone where for the past two years we have provided the Christmas Party for the Church School.

NOTICE

In order to avoid further overcrowding of the Christmas mail, the envelopes for 1928 will be sent out during the week of December 12th.

Please do not use them until New Year's Day.

ISAAC STARR, *Accounting Warden*

NEWS OF A NEIGHBOR

The Vicar of our Italian Mission in Garfield, N. J., explained the Church's program to his people the other day, and later was met by a poor old woman who untied her handkerchief and took out a dollar bill which she insisted on presenting, saying that the Italians there had a church now and had been helped by the Bishop, and she wanted to show her thankfulness. The Vicar finally had to accept her offering although he knew that the woman's only support was a son who had for some time been out of work. Members of about two-thirds of the families of this congregation are out of work, but the mission has paid nearly twice its quota.

CALENDAR

DECEMBER

- 4 2nd Sunday in Advent.
- 11 3rd Sunday in Advent.
- 18 4th Sunday in Advent.
- 21 S. Thomas, Apostle—Wednesday.
- 25 Christmas Day.
- 26 S. Stephen, Martyr — Monday.
- 27 S. John, Evang.—Tuesday.
- 28 Holy Innocents—Wednesday.

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BAPTISMS

Mary Claffin Clay
Linda Cassard McKoy
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William Turner Roth

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

The fortunes of our New Church Enterprise are prospering. As the "Leaflet" goes to print the total of the subscriptions is almost \$300,000. This is a lot of money and indicates both the fine generosity of the givers and the confidence they feel in the soundness of our plans. Altogether it is a most encouraging start. Well may we all rejoice at it.

There still remains \$200,000 to be received. Let no one be deceived into thinking that because more than half the money has come in that more than half our task is done. It is not. A great deal of empty space still lies between us and our goal. Money still needs to be raised. But even more important than that is the **personal share of everyone in the Parish**. That still remains for each one of us to bear. Nor is it primarily a financial matter but a spiritual one.

The Church belongs to everybody! In the Father's House is a home for all of His children. This is the principle on which the Church stands. But it can be fully realized only when we ourselves act upon it. The Church in this parish belongs **really** only to as many as support it by their gifts and their presence there at worship. The New Church will **really** belong to those who bear their share in building it. Measured in terms of money that share may in some cases appear small. But God despises not small things. It is the heart behind the

gift that He considers.

We have set before us a great and worthy ambition. In terms of money it involves \$500,000. In terms of humanity it involves the personal share of everyone in the parish. Of the two the second is the more important. It will certainly be the more difficult to secure. But given success in this line, the lift to the spiritual life of the Parish will be incalculable. After all we are building a New Church to do just this very thing.

BISHOP ROWE'S CHRISTMAS LETTER

Seattle, Wash, Dec. 15, 1927.

My dear Mr. Peabody:

I am enclosing a few pictures, also a letter (copy) from an Indian woman of Ketchikan, expressing herself—and of all the Indians—in regard to the Church I was so eager to build for them. And it is built. Also a residence for the native minister alongside. I wish I had a picture of the same to send you. If I get one sometime, I will send it. The Church is beautiful—finished, being used, and is paid for. The concrete basement serves as Parish House and I hope to consecrate it in January. Now I have to furnish it with Cross and ornaments. A beautiful picture of "St. Elizabeth" is over the altar. Only the "ornaments" and an organ remain to complete it. You were so kind, interested and generously helpful that I felt you would like to hear from me about it.

With all best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

P. T. ROWE.

WOMAN'S FRIENDLY
SOCIETY

Nearly \$500 was cleared at the Christmas Bazaar of the Woman's Friendly. The Society wishes to thank the congregation for its generosity at this time. A barrel will be sent to a mountain mission in Virginia soon. If any one has articles they wish to send, will they kindly send them to the Parish House next week?

CONVOCATION MEETS AT
ST. PAUL'S

On Tuesday, January 17th, the Convocation of Germantown will meet here at St. Paul's. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 11 o'clock by the Bishop, sermon by the Rev. F. C. Steinmetz, S. T. D., at 12; lunch at 12.30 will be followed by the Business Meeting at 2 o'clock.

The Convocation deals with the missionary work in this section of the Diocese. Representatives are sent from each parish and the custom is for the parish acting as host to supply and serve a lunch. We shall enjoy welcoming the Convocation.

Any members of the Parish who wish to attend the service will of course be most thoroughly welcome as well as to the meetings of the Auxiliary and the Convocation itself at 2 P. M.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Woman's Auxiliary holds a meeting on every Friday morning at 10.30 in the Parish House throughout the winter months. It is hoped that a large number of the women of the parish will attend these meetings.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

On Monday, the 9th, the G. F. S. will hold its regular monthly supper followed by a talk on her summer with Dr. Grenfell by Miss Charlotte Cheston. On the remaining Monday nights in January the Society will have a dancing class. Please note that the meeting night has been changed from THURSDAY to MONDAY.

THE BOHLEN LECTURES

On the Foundation of the late John Bohlen, Esq., these will be delivered this year by the Rev. Carl E. Grammar, S. T. D., Rector of St. Stephen's Church, Phila., in Holy Trinity Parish House at 4.45 P. M. on Tuesday, January 10; Thursday, January 12; Tuesday, January 17; Thursday, January 19; Tuesday, January 24; Thursday, January 26.

The subject is "Things That Remain."

CALENDAR FOR JANUARY

- 1—Circumcision
- 6—Epiphany
- 8—1st Sunday after Epiphany
- 15—2nd Sunday after Epiphany
- 22—3rd Sunday after Epiphany
- 25—Conversion of St. Paul—Wednesday
- 29—4th Sunday after Epiphany

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Baptisms

Allen Potter Crolius, 2nd
Henry Reid Blynn

Katharine Crosby

Marriages

Howard Griffith Jones, Jr. and
Elizabeth R. Dukes

Burials

Mary Adelaide Jarvis

ATTENDANCE CHURCH SCHOOL

(Figure after name indicates number of months perfect attendance)

Adamson, Billy Jr. 1	Hart, Edward 3	Rust, Randolph 3
Adamson, Talbot 1	Hay, Duncan 3	Shantz, Irma 2
Aitken, Theodore 2	Hay, Peter 3	Sims, John C. 3rd 2
Allen, Camilla 3	Hay, Wm. 3	Stem, William, 3
Allen, Peggy 3	Henderson, Edith 3	Thompson, George 2
Anderson, Robert 2	Henson, Ann 1	Thompson, Gordon, 2
Anderson, Wm. Jr. 2	Henson, Frank 1	Thompson, Hugh 2
Ayton, Elizabeth 1	Higgins, Joseph 2	Thompson, Isabella 3
Binford, Franklin 3	Holland, Alice 2	Thompson, John 1
Birckhead, Oliva 3	Holland, Harry 3	Thompson, Rolland 3
Birckhead, Sally 3	Huggins, John 3	Thompson, William 3
Bishop, Mary 2	Huggins, Joseph 3	Ward, Richard 2
Blair, Edgar 3	Huggins, Margaret 3	Wessels, Elizabeth 1
Blair, Thomas 3	Jordan Jane 3	Whittaker, John 3
Brunt, Lucinda 3	Kessler, Stephen 2	Whittaker, Philip 3
Brunt, Thomas 3	Kurtz, J. 1	Williams, Aubrey 2
Buchenhorst, Harriet 3	Lavelle, Helen 3	Wilmot, George 2
Caner, Anne 3	Levelle, Richard 3	Wilmot, Margaret 3
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Clement, Gregory 2	LeBrun, Gladys 3	Wistar, Cresson 3
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Cost, Edward 2	Leiper, Jane 3	Faculty
Dickinson, Anne 1	Lightcap, Mary 3	Birckhead, Mrs. 3
Dickinson, Phyllis 2	Lightcap, Norman 3	Birckhead, Rev. M. 3
Disston, Deborah 3	McIlhenny, Alan 2	Brennan, J. K. 3
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Disston, Lucy 3	Nalle, Dorothy 1	Dolph, Mrs. 3
Disston, Sally 3	Napier, Arthur 1	Dolph, Mrs. 1
Disston, Sophie 3	Newhall, Barbara 3	Disston, W. D. 1
Dolph, Margaret 2	Levis, Alice 2	Douglas, Miss 3
Dolph, Ormsby 2	Liberg, Carl 2	Goodin, Mrs. 1
Dolph, Susan 1	Newhall, Paul 3	Harraden, Miss 3
Dunn, Phoebe 3	Newbold, Anna 2	Ledger, Mr. 1
Drumm, Edward Jr. 2	Newbold, Arthur 2	Morgan, Mr. 2
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A FINE START

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When so many people enthusiastically agree, something always happens. It is an illustration of a saying of our Lord's, "All things whatsoever ye pray and ask for, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them." So the New Church is on the way as the result of a very real kind of prayer. We have to thank God for it, for we certainly have thought the matter out in His Company and have thus received the conviction that the structure is necessary for the promotion of His Gospel.

Yes, the start is a most promising one. But as yet it is simply a start, for the full sum, five hundred thousand dollars, is still far from being raised. Let no one deceive himself into thinking that the balance "will be taken care of" in any magical fashion. We shall have to raise the whole amount in order to build a first class church and *that will require the continued efforts of all.*

On the whole we have every reason to be happy over the prospects. But if one thing is certain, it is that the New Church will not be completed until each of us has further done his part. The quality of our conviction will, therefore, be tested

by our perseverance in the task till it is brought fully to completion.

THE BUDGET PLAN AND RELIGION

On the next page is printed the Parish Balance Sheet for 1927. It will be seen that we have paid our way from normal sources of income. We have not had to "pass the hat around" at the last minute to make up any deficiency. This is the second year of our Budget System and, therefore, the second time we can make this satisfactory report. Surely the results justify our contention that businesslike methods produce the desired effect wherever they are undertaken.

The outlook for our current expenses in 1928 is fully as good as last year. A larger number of persons are taking their part and a larger amount has been pledged. The full Budget, however, has not yet been underwritten at the outset of the year. When we do this, we shall have the system in 100% working order. Let us strive for this ideal next December. It is good business and for that reason it is also good religion.

ST. PAUL'S RECEIVES LEGACY FOR BELLS

In the will of the late Isabel M. Spackman our parish has received a legacy of \$10,000 for a chime of bells. The legacy is made in memory of H. Cope Spackman, Theodore Starr and Samuel Spackman. This gift is as gratifying as it was unexpected. The money can be invested in bells as soon as our new tower is built.

THE CHURCH'S NEED FOR WORKERS

(1.) An appeal has recently been sent out by the Department of Missions of our Church for more workers in the Mission Field. This is an indication of the effectiveness of the Church's work. It is expanding because there is a demand for it. For example, within a month we have been invited to take over a diocese in India because the Church of England is unable to look after the throngs coming forward for baptism. The call is for teachers, nurses, doctors, clergymen, but people well qualified personally can certainly find a place for useful work along the line of their own gifts.

(2.) The Church Army now established in this country has recently opened a training center in Providence, R. I., where a fine group of young men are preparing for evangelistic work within the country. They are asking for more men from 20 to 30 years of age. The letter from Captain Mountford says:

“The need for men is urgent—Men who know Christ and are eager to make Him known; men who are convinced Episcopalians; willing to endure occasional hardship in a roving life with oftentimes only a minimum of comfort and with but moderate pay.

"The field is wide and the adventure of aggressive Evangelism within the Church open to such as will risk a lot for the Master of lives."

Any members of the parish who are prepared to give either of these matters consideration can secure further information by consulting the Rector.

DIOCESE MEETS APPORTIONMENT

Everyone will be pleased to hear that our diocese in common with 70 other dioceses of the Church has fulfilled the expectation which it

promised to the National Council at the outset of 1927. This has enabled the Council to close the year with all bills paid and without having to use any legacies for payment of current expenses. In other words our Church has paid her way during the current year.

This has not been done without considerable work and sacrifice on the part of those most interested. In our own diocese a strenuous effort has been in existence many months sponsored by the Field Department to bring home to the members of all parishes the facts concerning the Church's work and their opportunity through the support of it to do vital Christian work. Partly as a result of these efforts and more largely through the generosity of individuals, the total amount has come in. This parish as usual responded generously, for besides contributing our promised quota of \$26,000, we have given to specials \$6800 more, making our total gift for the year \$32,800. This is the largest amount that St. Paul's has ever given for the Church's work and is certainly an effort for which we may feel both gratified and very thankful.

LENTEN SERVICES

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, the 22nd of February, with a Communion service at 7.30 and a Service of Preparation for Lent at 10 o'clock. In the evening at 8.15 will take place the first of the addresses on "Personal Religion" by the Rev Leonard Hodgson, D. D., of the General Theological Seminary. We are most fortunate to get hold of so excellent a man. He will come to us each Wednesday until Holy Week at this time.

The subjects of the Wednesday addresses together with an announcement of other services and the Lenten booklist will be issued on Sunday, the 19th of this month.

ANNUAL REPORT OF ACCOUNTING WARDEN

For the Year Ending December 31, 1927.

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Respectfully submitted,
ISAAC STARR,
Accounting Warden.

These accounts have been audited
by Messrs. Edward P. Moxey &
Co., Certified Public Accountants.

AN APPRECIATION FROM
THE BISHOP OF CUBA
Missionary District of Cuba,
Quince Y Ocho, Habana, Cuba

Dear Mr. Peabody:

With the amount that St. Paul's gave us I am able to provide not only for two boys but also for the daughter of Canon Barrios, who is preparing herself to be a teacher. So I feel especially grateful to you and all the kind people in St. Paul's who have made this possible.

I think that all these children will be a credit to you.

With many good wishes for the
New Year for you and St. Paul's,
believe me, Very sincerely yours,
H. R. HULSE.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The G. F. S. will hold its regular monthly supper on Monday, the 6th. The dancing class will continue until the beginning of Lent whereupon a Mission Study class will be held. Any young women interested are cordially invited to attend the meetings on Mondays at 8.15 in the Parish House.

WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

At the Annual Meeting on January 18th all officers were re-elected; no other nominations being made.

During the past year several new members have been added to the roll; and the meetings have been well attended—especially since October when the average has been 28.

Some of the work accomplished was the making of garments purchased from the Supply Bureau and given to the Episcopal Hospital, the City Mission and St. Martha's House. Five barrels were filled with warm clothing and sent to Labrador for the mission work of Dr. Grenfell. Several boxes and barrels of clothing, toys and useful articles were sent to the Mission at Yancey, Va.

The Society members are now trying to get clothing to fill another barrel for the mountaineers of Virginia and for the City Mission. We hope that our friends who may read of this need will send what they can dispense with to the Parish House at an early date.

The Society is most grateful to

other organizations and persons of the parish for their generous support. C. McKELVEY, Sec.

The annual report follows:

Receipts	
Balance	\$ 32.53
Dues	38.10
Rummage Sale	295.77
Christmas Sale	487.18
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	\$853.58
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	791.45
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	\$ 62.13

Expenditures and Disbursements

Supply Bureau, and	
Expenses of Fair	\$150.20
For the Sick	127.25
Flood Sufferers, Hospital and Missions	160.00
Christmas baskets in Chestnut Hill	109.00
Christmas Cheer to Missions and Institutions ..	254.00
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	\$791.45

Mrs. GEORGE GREBE, Treas.

CHURCH AND DRAMA ASSOCIATION

The Church and Drama Association recommends the following picture: "Wild Geese."—The picture is based on the prize winning novel by Martha Ostenso and deals with the relations of a cruel, almost inhuman father to his wife and children. In his greed he drives his family like

chattel slaves until his oldest girl revolts. About that revolt centers the action. Belle Bennett as the mother, Russell Simpson as the father and Eve Southern as the daughter give splendid performances. The picture may be seen at local theatres and is continuous. It is good entertainment and thought-provoking. Not for the children.'

CHURCH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

January

(Figure after name indicates number of months' perfect attendance.)

Adamson, Billy, Jr. 2	Goodin, Joan 1	Shantz, Irma 3
Adamson, Talbot 2	Henderson, Edith 4	Shuman, Frank 2
Anderson, Wm, Jr. 2	Huggins, John 4	Sims, John C. 3d 3
Ayton, Elizabeth 2	Huggins, Joseph 4	Steni, William 4
Ayton, George 3	Huggins, Margaret 4	Thompson, Hugh 3
Ayton, Henry 1	Jordan, Jane 4	Thompson, Rolland 4
Binford, Franklin 4	Lavelle, Helen 4	Thompson, William 4
Birckhead, Sally 4	Lavelle, Richard 4	Whittaker, John 4
Blair, Edgar 4	Lavelle, Robert 4	Whittaker, Philip 4
Blair, Thomas 4	LeBrun, Gladys 4	Wistar, Cresson 4
Buchenhorst, Harriet 4	LeBrun, Marion 4	Wistar, Emlen 3
Butler, Edith 3	Leiper, Edith 2	Wright, Frances 3
Cost, Edward 3	Liberg, Carl 3	Faculty
Disston, Betty 1	Liggett, Betty 1	Birckhead, Rev. M. H. 4
Disston, Deborah 4	Lightcap, Mary 4	Brennan, J. K. 4
Disston, Diana 4	Lightcap, Norman 4	Brooks, J. E. 1
Disston, Dorothea 2	Mathers, Mildred 4	Brown, Mrs. A. H. 4
Disston, Effie 3	Millman, Janet 2	Cheston, Miss C. 4
Disston, Eliza 4	Morrow, Robert 4	Cornog, Mrs. 4
Disston, Jacob 4	Nalle, Dorothy 2	Disston, W. D.
Disston, Jessie 4	Nimon, Mary 3	Douglas, Miss 4
Disston, Lucy 4	Peabody, Endicott 4	Goodin, Mrs. 2
Disston, Sally 4	Peabody, George 3	Harraden, Miss 4
Disston, Sophie 4	Peabody, Mary 2	Moore, Mr. 4
Disston, William 2	Pearson, Elizabeth 4	Peabody, Mrs. 3
Earle, James 1	Pearson, Harry 4	Peck, Miss 4
Earle, Jane 3	Pearson, Stanley 4	Redhouse, Mr. 4
Fisher, Julie 3	Pearson, Stephen 4	Roth, Mr. 4
Fisher, Sallie 4	Randolph, Rachel 4	Rust, Miss 3
Gaynor, Margaret 2	Reath, Henry 4	Smythe, Miss 4
Gilchrist, Edgar 4	Reath, Thomas 4	Taussig, Mr. 3
Gilchrist, Edmund 3	Redhouse, James 4	Willing, Mrs. 4
Gilchrist, Allan 3	Redhouse, Russell 4	Wistar, Mrs. 4
Gilchrist, Peter 4	Roth, Walter 2	

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms
Roy Miller Snyder
Marriages
William G. Huckel and Estella E. Uhler
Burials
Louise Tilge Goodman
Alexander E. Outerbridge, Jr.

KALENDAR

February

2. Purification.
5. Septuagesima Sunday.
12. Sexagesima Sunday.
19. Quinquagesima Sunday.
22. Ash Wednesday.
24. S. Matthias.
26. 1st Sunday in Lent.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

"And here is Lent, come round again!" The thought has in some minds a gloomy connotation. But how ungrateful; as if the "official" lull in the social season were not the means whereby the race survives! Of course some of our Lenten hymns do lack cheer. But what the season lacks in Gaiety it more than makes up for in Reality.

For this living that confronts us on the earth in A. D. 1928 cannot be properly managed by a philosophy of "cheerfulness" or a creed of mirth. The fact is rather that in a day of change problems of conduct by themselves are sufficient to baffle wise heads. Certainly very few of us are making outstanding successes as genuinely Christian men and women. Yet this is the ideal we are pledged to. Welcome, therefore, to a season in which the subject of our "profession" is up for study and the honest comparison between it and ourselves properly claims our attention.

The Lenten opportunities for study and prayer in our Parish are various and worth while, as the Book and Service lists, printed elsewhere in "The Leaflet" will show. They bring home to each one of us the problem of "Keeping Lent." Will Easter Day find our spirits a step or two further along the road, or simply "as you were"?

Let no one consider this a clarification call to appear in church on Sunday morning. That is an excellent habit, of course. The

question suggested is rather a personal one, to be asked of every Christian person by himself, "Before me stretches a season in which various opportunities for realizing my religion stand out before me. Shall I make the effort to learn more and to pray better, or at bottom am I satisfied with the condition of my spirit?"

LENTEN BOOK LIST

General Subject: "The Christian Faith in Christian Life."

I. In Theory:

The Sermon on the Mount—Bishop Gore; Impatience of a Parson—R. Sheppard; The Galilean Accent—A. J. Gossip; Man and the Supernatural—E. Underhill; Reality—B. Streeter.

II. In Devotion:

Creative Prayer—E. Herman; The Spirit of Discipline—Paget; Finding of the Cross—E. Herman; A B C of Christian Living—C. E. Hudson.

III. In Practice:

A Church Awake—W. C. Sturgis; Secrets of Effective Living—J. G. Gilkey; Fear—J. R. Oliver; Christianity and the Race Problem—J. H. Oldham; The Church at Prayer—P. Dearmer.

IV. In Biography:

Jesus, Man of Genius—Middleton Murry; A Soul's Pilgrimage—C. H. B. Miel; D. L. Moody—G. Bradford.

N B. These books may be:

1. Borrowed from the Parish Library or from the Chestnut Hill Library.

2. Purchased from George W.

Jacobs & Co. in town, or from the Fireside Book Shop, Chestnut Hill.

3. Ordered through the Parish Secretary after service on any Sunday morning.

LENTEN SERVICES

(Until Holy Week)

MONDAYS

5.00—A series of Conferences in the Parish House by the Rector. February 27, March 5, 12, 19 and 26. Subject: "How to Know Christ and to Make Him Known."

TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS

5.00—Evening Prayer.

WEDNESDAYS

8.15 — Evening Service and Series of Addresses on "The Christian Faith in Christian Life" by the Rev. Leonard Hodgson, D. D., Professor of Christian Apologetics at the General Theological Seminary. Subjects: Feb. 22—What I must do, because I worship God as Creator; Feb. 29—Because I worship God as Redeemer; March 7—Because I worship God Incarnate; March 14—Because I worship God the Holy Spirit; March 21—Because I worship the Holy Trinity; March 28—Because I worship as a member of the Church.

THURSDAYS

5.00—Children's Service led by Mr. Birckhead.

WEEK-DAY MORNINGS

Thursdays and Holy Days—7.30 Holy Communion; Fridays—10.00 Morning Prayer and Litany.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

The Twenty-fifth Annual Convention of this Association is to be held in The Benjamin Franklin Hotel between March 6 and 9. The subject is "Education in Religion in An Age of Science."

The Religious Education Association is enormously well worth while. It has enlisted the best brains in the religious life of the country and is facing the problems before it in exactly as thoughtful and scientific a way as others are doing in the secular field. Programs may be secured at the Parish Office or from the Parish Secretary. The opportunity to "listen in" is a particularly good one.

G. F. S.

During Lent the Girls' Friendly Society is having a Mission Study Class based on Dr. Sturgis' book, "A Church Awake." The class is held on the regular meeting night, Monday evening at 8.15, and is being conducted by Mrs. Eugene Allen.

POSITION WANTED

Reliable woman wants work of any kind by the day. Phone Mrs. David Hayes, Germantown 3148.

SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

St. Mary's Hall on-the-Delaware. Church boarding school for girls. 92nd year. Moderate cost. College preparatory, Junior college, and general courses. Lower school. Organized sports. Catalog. Ethel M. Spurr, A. M., Principal, Burlington, N. J.

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February

Ayton, Elizabeth 3	Lavelle, Richard 5	Swain, Helen 1
Ayton, George 4	Lavelle, Robert 5	Swain, Edward 1
Ayton, Henry 2	Le Brun, Marion 5	Swain, William 1
Birckhead, Franklin 5	Le Brun, Gladys 5	Thompson, John 1
Birckhead, Sally 5	Leiper, Edith 3	Thompson, Wilfilam 5
Birckhead, Oliver 1	Leiper, Jane 1	Thompson, Gordon 1
Blair, Edgar 5	Leiper, Carol 1	Thompson, Hugh 4
Blair, Thomas 5	L.berg, Carl 4	Thompson, George 1
Bishop, Mary 1	Lightcap, Mary 5	Van Anglen, Robert 1
Buchenhorst, Harriet 5	Lightcap, Norman 5	Van Anglen, Eric 1
Butler, Edith 4	Mathers, Mildred 5	Van Anglen, Walter 1
Cost, Edward 4	McIlhenny, Louise 1	Waterman, Anne 1
Dilzer, Olga 1	Meryweather, Virginia 1	Wessells, Elizabeth 1
Disston, Deborah 5	Meryweather, Mary 1	West, Harry 1
Disston, Dorothea 3	Messengen, Frances 1	West, Thomas 1
Disston, Effie 4	Morgan, Marcella 1	Whittaker, Philip 5
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Disston, Jacob 5	Murray, William 1	Wilmot, Margaret 1
Disston, Lucy 5	Newbold, Arthur 1	Wister, Emlen 4
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Dolph, Margaret 1	Nimon, Dorothy 1	Faculty
Dolph, Ormsby 1	Peabody, Endicott 5	Birckhead, Mrs. 1
Downs, McKean 1	Peabody, Mary 3	Brown, Mrs. A. H. 5
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Gilchrist, Peter 5	Redhouse, Russell 5	Harraden, Miss 5
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Hannan, Doris 1	Shuman, Horace 1	Rust, Miss 4
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Henderson, Mortland 1	Sims, John C, 3d, 4	Williamson, Miss 2
Higgins, Edward 1	Stone, James, Jr. 1	Willing, Mrs. 5
Holland, Alice, 1	Stone, Katherine 1	Wistar, Mrs. 5
Holland, Harry 1	Strong, Virginia 1	Zebley, Miss 1
Jordan, Jane 5		

KALENDAR

March

- 2nd Sunday in Lent.
- 3rd Sunday in Lent.
- 4th Sunday in Lent.

25. 5th (Passion) Sunday in Lent.

26. Annunciation.

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Good Friday and Easter Day are a wonderful reinspiration. They put the springtime back into our thought about Christ. Again He stretches His arms out upon the hard wood of the Cross for us. Again He proves too strong for the grave, and in His triumph makes us partners, too.

Oh, there is something about Easter that never fails to refresh—something eternally young and hopeful and joyous and invigorating. It fills our souls so that we needs must praise. It brings us to our knees that we may offer our best in worship. May it give us this year a clear and living picture of our Risen and Unconquerable Lord. May it lead us to entrust to Him our lives

and our fortunes for one whole twelve-month. Let us be on His side in all truth, not in the dull, dry Pharasaic sense, but because He has come into our hearts to dwell there.

PRAYER FOR THE NEW CHURCH

We are using in our services the following prayer for the New Church. It would mean much for the spiritual fortune of the enterprise if the members of the parish would also remember it in their prayers.

O Almighty God, who through the preaching of thy holy apostle, St. Paul, hast caused the light of the Gospel to shine throughout the world, grant, we beseech Thee, that the new church to be called by his name may set forth the joyful vigor of his faith, and so rekindle in us a deeper devotion to Thy Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

GOOD FRIDAY OFFERING

The House of Bishops has suggested that on Good Friday we make our offering for the work of the Church in the Jerusalem and the East Mission. Surely it is most fitting that we should devote our gifts on Good Friday to Christian work in the same locality toward which all our thoughts are tending.

SERVICES FOR HOLY
WEEK AND EASTER DAY

April 1 - 8

Palm Sunday

8.00 Holy Communion

9.30 Morning Prayer and Ad-
dress (Church School)11.00 Holy Communion and
Sermon

2.15 Bible Class

7.45 Evening Prayer and Ad-
dress

Monday

7.30 Holy Communion

5.00 Evening Prayer

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Wednesday

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5.00 Evening Prayer

Maundy Thursday

7.30 Holy Communion

8.15 Evening Celebration of
Holy Communion

Good Friday

9.30 Church School Service

12 to 3 Three Hour Service of
the Passion conducted by
the Rev. Angus Dun

Easter Even

7.30 Holy Communion

4.00 Holy Baptism

Easter Day

7.00 and 8.00 Holy Communion

10.00 Morning Prayer

11.00 Holy Communion and
Sermon

3.30 Carol Service

Easter Monday

7.30 Holy Communion

Easter Tuesday

7.30 Holy Communion

ROOMS FOR RENT

The Proprietor of "The Cres-
heim Arms" announces that
there will be quite a number of
rooms to rent to ladies for ten
dollars per week, room and
board, by May first. Charming
location. Tell your friends.
Cresheim Arms, 41 Allen Lane,
Germantown, Pa.

YOUR PRESENT ADDRESS

One of the factors which helps
to make the parish work efficient
is an address list that is up to
date. It is impossible to man-
age this without the interested
cooperation of the members of
the parish.

May we ask (1) that if there
are any who have changed their
place of abode within the year
they will be good enough to in-
form us; (2) if there are any who
are not regularly receiving "The
Leaflet," will they write us and
name their address?

Cards have been placed in ev-
ery pew to facilitate this cooper-
ation. There is a box at the left
hand of the main door in which
the cards may be placed.

PROGRESS WITH THE
NEW CHURCH

Our architects are rapidly de-
veloping the finished plans for
the New Church building. The
hope of the Building Committee
is that by the middle of April
plans and specifications will be
ready for submission to contrac-
tors for bids. We should know
by the first of May exactly how
much the New Church is going
to cost. If our plans progress ac-
cording to schedule, we should
certainly be in a position to be-
gin work by the first of July.

CALENDAR

April

- 1 6th (Palm Sunday)
- 2 Monday before Easter
- 3 Tuesday before Easter
- 4 Wednesday before Easter
- 5 Maundy Thursday
- 6 Good Friday
- 7 Easter Even
- 8 Easter Day
- 9 Easter Monday
- 10 Easter Tuesday
- 15 1st Sunday after Easter
- 22 2nd Sunday after Easter
- 25 S. Mark, Evangelist
- 29 3rd Sunday after Easter

CHURCH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

March

Figure indicates number of months of "Perfect Attendance."

Binford, Franklin 6	Lavelle, Helen 5	Swain, Helen 2
Birckhead, Olivia 2	Lavelle, Richard 6	Swain, William 2
Birckhead, Sally 6	Lavelle, Robert 6	Thompson, John 3
Bishop, Mary 2	LeBrun, Marion 6	Thompson, Gordon 2
Blair, Edgar 6	LeBrun, Gladys 6	Thompson, Hugh 5
Blair, Thomas 6	Leiper, Jane 2	Thompson, George 2
Buchenhorst, Harriet 6	Liberg, Carl 5	Ward, Richard 3
Butler, Calvin 3	Lightcap, Mary 6	West, Harry 2
Butler, Edith 5	Lightcap, Norman 6	Whittaker, John 5
Clement, Suzanne 2	Mathers, Mildred 6	Whittaker, Philip 6
Crawford, Mary 2	Meryweather, Juliana 1	Wilmot, George 5
Dickinson, Phyllis 4	Meryweather, Mary 2	Wilmot, Margaret 2
Disston, Diana 5	Newhall, Barbara 4	Wilmot, Nella 3
Disston, Effie 5	Newhall, John 3	Wilmot, Samuel 5
Disston, Eliza 6	Newhall, Paul 4	Williams, Sadie 2
Disston, Jacob 3d, 6	Nimon, Dorothy 2	Wright, Frances 5
Disston, Sally 6	Nimon, Mary 5	4 G 2 had Perfect At- tendance for the month.
Downs, McKean 2	Peabody, Endicott 6	Faculty
Dunn, Phoebe 6	Peabody, George 4	Birckhead,
Fisher, Julie 5	Peabody, Mary 4	Rev. M. H. 5
Fisher, Sallie 6	Pearson, Elizabeth 6	Birckhead,
Getz, Henry 2	Pearson, Harry 6	Mrs. M. H. 5
Gilchrist, Allan 5	Pearson, Stephen 6	Brennan, J. K. 6
Gilchrist, Edgar 5	Pease, Harrison 2	Brown, Mrs. A. H. 6
Gilchrist, Edmund 5	Randolph, Rachel 6	Dashiell, Miss 4
Gilchrist, Peter 6	Reath, Henry 6	Douglas, Miss 6
Hannan, Doris 2	Reath, Thomas 6	Griffith, Mr. 2
Harris, Mary 1	Redhouse, James 6	Harraden, Miss 6
Hay, Duncan 4	Redhouse, Russell 6	Lackman, Mr. 3
Hay, William 4	Roth, Mary 2	Moore, Mr. 6
Henderson, Edith 6	Roth, Walter 4	Morgan, Mr. 2
Henderson, Mortland 2	Rust, Randolph 2	Peabody, Mrs. 5
Higgins, Joseph 2	Shantz, Irma 5	Redhouse, Mr. 6
Holland, Alice 2	Shantz, Betty 2	Roth, Mr. 6
Holland, Harry 2	Shuman, Frank 4	Smythe, Miss 5
Huggins, Margaret 2	Stone, James 2	Taussig, Mr. 5
Jordan, Jane 6	Stone, Katharine 2	Williamson, Miss 3
Kurtz, John 2	Stem, William 5	Wistar, Mrs. 6
	Strong, Sally 1	Zblev, Miss 5

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Betty-Anne Levis

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Henry S. Pancoast

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY
SOCIETY

During Lent the G. F. S. con-
ducted a Mission Study Class.
Plans are now being made for
the annual Entertainment which
will be held early in May.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Many of the members have been attending and appreciate the Wednesday evening services and lectures in the Church before meeting in the Parish House for the regular business of the Society.

Garments purchased from the Diocesan Supply Bureau are being made and are intended for St. Martha's House and for the City Mission.

Last week a barrel was filled with clothing, books, toys, etc. for a mission center in the Virginia mountains.

We would remind our friends of our Annual Rummage Sale, due to be held in May, and we hope there may be many things to clear out at Spring re-adjustment.

C. McKelvey.

COLLEGE STUDENTS AND THE CHURCH

One of the functions of the National Department of Religious Education is to keep in touch with college students. There are 25,000 Episcopal students in colleges and universities in this country. Only about 8,000 have any kind of contact with the Church's clergy. The difficulties seem to be two, first, that our Church is organized parochially and when boys and girls leave the parish there is no means of following them. The other reason is our vague feeling that an educated person inevitably becomes a Christian. Unfortunately this is not the case.

The Department is trying to forward Church work among the students by placing clergymen as student pastors in the various college towns. Some-

times these men may be rectors of local parishes. In some cases we are cooperating with the Christian Student Movement which we feel does not lessen Church loyalty and which certainly increases Christian loyalty.

As much of this work cannot be supported locally, the National Council is contributing to the expense of carrying it on. It is one of the many important objects for which our contributions for the work of the National Church are wisely spent.

FRUITS OF THE DIOCESAN CAMPAIGN

The Convocation of Germantown to which we belong has received rich rewards already from the Diocesan Campaign. The money awarded to us has been spent in the ways listed below. This is vivid evidence of the great step forward that the Campaign is enabling the whole Diocese to make and bears testimony to the wisdom of its promoters and the generosity of all who supported it.

St. Barnabas' Parish House, second floor completed.

Beautiful lot at Oxford Circle purchased.

Lot at Rhawnhurst bought and Parish House basement completed.

Lot at Englewood bought. Already a Sunday School of 102 children there.

Parish House and Rectory combined at Langhorne.

Help for Wissinoming so that their Parish House is assured.

Important reconstruction of the Parish House at Tacony made, costing some \$10,000.

Parish House at St. Gabriel's to be finished in the near future.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

THE CONTRACT LET

The New Church is to be a reality. On the first day of June the contract was signed with Cramp & Co. to build both the Church and a Church School wing to the Parish House. The time they require for building is 280 calendar days. Thus we may *hope* to be in the New Church for Easter Day of next year. The inconvenience of having to use the Parish House for services in the meantime will not be considerable. It will be gladly borne in view of the great spiritual opportunity that lies immediately before us.

THE RELIGIOUS MOTIVE

Let not concrete mixers nor noisy motor trucks crowd from our minds that the purpose of rebuilding St. Paul's is that the Gospel of Christ may shine more clearly through the world.

It is assuredly in response to religious enthusiasm that we have reached this point. The parish has long anticipated it. It has come in answer to prayer. When Christ said, "All things whatsoever ye pray for, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them"—He meant that a purpose held by steadfast religious men was equivalent to its realization.

Let us see to it that the days to come be worthy of such a past. There are few parishes in the coun-

try more propitiously placed as regards a growing constituency, loyalty to the Church, and the means to promote her work. But our future depends more than all these upon the consecration of each member of St. Paul's to learning more of the Gospel and incorporating it in life.

Europeans indulgently smiling upon the Churches of America sometimes remark that we are "still in the brick and mortar stage of development." That can never be said of the builders of a new church who look upon their task not as the end of an era, but rather as the beginning of a new and more consecrated Christian living.

CHURCH SCHOOL SERVICE

9.30 Service Every Sunday

We shall continue the service at 9.30 on Sunday morning for the Church School Children and all others who wish to come through the summer. The service will consist of Morning Prayer and a brief address. We started this custom last year and it went so well that we are continuing it as a permanent part of our program.

POSITION WANTED

Practical nurse would like work in Chestnut Hill by day or week. For information call the Parish Office, Chestnut Hill 0359.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The year 1927-28 has been a very successful one for the Woman's Auxiliary. We have had seventeen meetings, at thirteen of which we had a speaker. All of the Mission fields except the colored were represented, as well as the Woman's Thank Offering.

Perhaps the most interesting of all our meetings was an all day Mission Study Class conducted by Mrs. Hill. I am sure that those of us who had the privilege of hearing her felt that not only was our knowledge of the Church and its mission increased but that she gave us a sense of an inner spiritual life such as we all are seeking.

Another speaker of rare personality was Miss Riddell who has returned to America after many years to tell us of her work among lepers in Japan.

I want to thank most sincerely the Officers and heads of the different Committees for their faithful and untiring interest.

The Treasurer's Report which follows is an indication of the generosity and interest of the women of St. Paul's Church in the Woman's Auxiliary.

Rebecca W. Pepper, President

WEEK DAY SERVICES IN
JUNE

The services on Thursdays and Fridays will continue as usual during June with the exception of the week of June 10th when the Church will be considerably upset.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF
ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

in account with

V. J. HARRIS, Treasurer

	YEAR ENDING MAY, 1928.		Bal.
	Receipts	Expendts.	
General Fund	4,717.37	4,699.30	18.07
Dioecesan Com.	379.50	379.50	
Domestic Com.	348.00	348.00	
Foreign Com.	475.00	475.00	
Colored Com.	235.00	235.00	
Indian Com.	209.50	209.50	
Wool Fund	182.60	110.05	72.55
Total	6,546.97	6,456.35	90.62

G. F. S.

"I am come that ye might have life and have it more abundantly." This was the theme upon which the Girls' Friendly Society based its program this year—An Abundant Life. At our meetings we had talks on art, music, literature and personal religion, all of which have shown us how great a thing is "an abundant life."

At this time we wish to thank all who contributed to the success of our entertainment and to say that about \$85.00 was cleared.

Our activities for this season were brought to a close with two final meetings, one on Saturday, June 2d, with a trip to Bryn Athyn Cathedral and a picnic supper at which St. Peter's Branch was our guest; and the other on Monday, June 4th, with a meeting at Mrs. Peabody's.

ANNA C. HARRADEN,

Chairman.

SOD FOR SALE

A certain amount of good sod will result from the tearing up of the ground around the church when we begin our building. Should anyone like to make an offer for this sod we should be glad to dispose of it at a small figure.

MINISTRY CANDIDATE

SEEKS SUMMER JOB

I am very anxious to secure employment for a young man, a member of my former parish, now an undergraduate at Trinity College, Hartford, who is also a candidate for the ministry. He has been very successful as a tutor of small boys during the past two summers but has not yet found an opening for this season. He will gladly take any job that will help him to pay for his senior year at Trinity. He is captain of their next year's track team.

M. E. P.

A SURPRISE PARTY

On Thursday, May 17th, the members of the Men's Bible Class and their friends gave Mr. Birkhead a Surprise Party in honor of his 50th birthday.

A delicious supper was served at 7 o'clock, during which time everybody joined in singing old-fashioned songs. The tables were beautifully decorated, and in the center of the guest table was a huge birthday cake with 50 candles on it. After supper Mr. Birkhead was presented with \$50 in gold from the Class; Mrs. Birkhead and Mrs. Peabody were given bouquets of roses.

Following several recitations by a member of the Class and a short sketch given by the Girls' Friendly Society the happy evening came to a close with a hearty vote of thanks to those in charge of the supper.

SPECIAL VOTE OF
THANKS

The Woman's Friendly Society wish to send a special vote of thanks to the congregation for the many lovely things they sent both for the Rummage Sale and for Dr. Grenfell's Mission and would like to say that they cleared nearly \$200.00 at the Sale and have packed two splendid barrels of all sorts of warm clothes for Labrador. Again we thank you most heartily one and all for enabling us to carry on this work.

WORK WANTED

A young woman, member of this parish, would like work by the hour or day, preferably as a waitress or child's nurse. Will anyone interested call Victor 7505 or the Parish Office, Chestnut Hill 0359?

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Eileen Markquick Smith
Malcolm Endicott, Peabody, Jr.

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H. Annie Potter
J. L. Nevill Smythe
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Robert M. Bohlen

Confirmation

Florence B. Barrett

CALENDAR

June

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10—First Sunday after Trinity.
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The Book

A growing custom among Church people is the reading of some definitely religious book during the summer time. If the book is a good one, this is a useful exercise. It also helps one to enjoy one's vacation, for work mixed with it lends double zest to play.

Books are likely to be heavy, however, in a literary as well as in a literal sense, and the good book which a good resolution has included as part of the slender summer luggage often comes back with pages uncut, if it comes back at all. This is not in criticism of the resolution, but of what the baptismal service refers to as "the Old Man."

But there happens to be **A Book** the reading of which need never become a toil or a drudgery, if read in small daily installments. And the knowledge of it is better worth having than that of any other in the world. Furthermore, it is heavy in neither a literal nor a literary sense. The people who have travelled furthest with the smallest baggage say that this is so. Why not take **It** for our summer reading? Why not?

One Way to Read **The Book**

We have started this season by recommending it to boys and girls. The members of the Church School have each a card of Bible Readings covering the Life of Christ. They can check the bit they read each day. A perfect record is no great effort and it does make the summer

flow smoothly along.

For the older ones, an admirable leaflet with daily Bible readings may be had at the Church on any Sunday. A few words of comment help to explain each day's selection. A number of copies have already been taken. We can easily mail one to any one who drops a postal card to the Parish Office.

Why not get the habit of reading the Bible daily this summer? It will add to the summer vacation "that which by nature it cannot have." More than that, it may start a custom that will make life different, better worth living.

CORNERSTONE TO BE LAID JULY 8th?

We are very much hoping to be able to lay the Cornerstone of the New Church on Sunday morning, July 8th, directly after the 11 o'clock service. The contractor thinks that this will be possible. Invitations definitely announcing the fact will be sent out next week if we find we can put through this important ceremony.

CHINA FAMINE RELIEF

Poor, unfortunate China in the throes of Civil War is the victim again of famine. Conditions over a large extent of territory are desperate.

On Sunday, July 1st, we are taking up an offering for this cause. Should any one wish to send a check to the Rector before the end of the month, he will very gladly forward it to the proper authority.

SUMMER SERVICES

On Sunday mornings during the summer season services will be held as usual at 8, 9.30 and 11 o'clock.

The Rector leaves for his vacation on Monday, July 9th. Mr. Birkhead will return on Monday, August 6th. In the meantime the Rev. Stanley V. Wilcox will be in charge. Telephone calls for Mr. Birkhead or Mr. Peabody will be referred to his address at 306 West Springfield Ave., telephone C. H. 2603.

Mr. Wilcox is rector of St. Paul's Memorial Church in South Philadelphia and a young man of marked ability. The parish is particularly fortunate to have his services for five Sundays and the weekdays intervening. Don't hesitate to call upon him if you wish the services of a clergyman. He expects to be so called and his responsibility definitely extends throughout the week.

Week Day Services

The week day services will be discontinued after the first of July until the first of October.

The 9.30 Service

The attention of the parish is particularly called to the 9.30 service. While especially designed to fit the needs of the boys and girls of the parish it also provides a real service of the Church (with an address) for all who care to come. The service lasts for forty minutes.

Sunday Evening Union Services

St. Paul's will again take part in the Union Services on Sunday evenings throughout the summer. The first of these services will be held at St. Paul's Church on July 1st at 8 o'clock. The Rev. Dr. Lee of the First Presbyterian Church will preach. The subsequent services will be held as follows:

July 8th—Trinity Presbyterian
July 15th—First Presbyterian
July 22nd—Baptist
July 29th—Methodist Episcopal
August 5th—Christ Lutheran
August 12th—St. Paul's
August 19th—Trinity Presby.
August 26th—Methodist Episcpl.
September 2nd—First Presby.

The effect of holding such services upon the Church life of Chestnut Hill is very considerable. It binds us closer together. It is therefore to be hoped that a number of those who find themselves nearby on Sunday evenings will take the opportunity to attend. The enthusiasm of the services brings its own spiritual stimulus.

FLOWER MISSION

For a number of years the parish has conducted a Flower Mission. Its work has been to supply flowers to various Settlement Houses and hospitals in the city. On Wednesdays between July 1st and October 1st this year the Mission will be run by Mrs. Benjamin F. Pepper, Jr. and Mrs. Henry S. Jeanes, Jr. They will be greatly assisted if those who have helped in the past by sending flowers to the Parish House before 10 o'clock on Wednesday mornings, by coming themselves to work between 10 and 12 o'clock, or by sending their motors at 12 o'clock are willing to assist in the same way during this season.

The flowers are very greatly appreciated by those who receive them.

NOTE:—The Art Alliance conducts a Flower Mission during every day of the summer by which those who wish can leave flowers at the stands provided for the purpose in the Broad Street Station, the Reading Terminal, or Logan Square.

LO, THE POOR ACCOUNT-
ING WARDEN!

There is probably not a parish paper of any sort in the country which does not carry with it a heart-breaking plaint in its July issue, if it has one. The plaint will be expressed in various tones and with differing zeal depending upon the rhetorical capacity of the A. W. and the size of the balance in the treasury.

The nature of the plaint is this, "Dear people, while you are off on your vacations the expenses of the parish still continue. Do you prefer to have some of your hard-earned dollars devoted to paying interest for money borrowed from the bank or will you bethink yourselves to send along your envelopes so that borrowing will be unnecessary?"

The able A. W. of St. Paul's generally manages to get through the summer without borrowing. The Treasurer of the National Council who has to pay missionaries' salaries never does. As out of every one of our Budget dollars 42c goes to missions, the up-and-coming envelope will aid the national cause quite as much as it does our own.

ROBERTS' PROPERTY
BOUGHT

Members of the parish will be interested to hear that we have recently acquired the Roberts' property which borders the present church's land on the east and extends as far as the house of Mr. Caine on Chestnut Avenue and that of Mr. Kerper on Bethlehem Pike. It was felt necessary to purchase this land in order to make sure in future years that the Church was not utterly shut in by buildings and more immediately to prevent its use for undesirable purposes.

The property is about an acre

in extent and has standing on it two double houses, one large single house, the "Bee Shop," a small brick building, and a large shed. We are planning to put all the houses in good order with a view to securing desirable tenants. It is necessary for us to do this in order to carry through the financing of the property. We were very fortunate to be able to secure the land at this time and at a fair price. When properly developed it will prove an immense addition to the surrounding of our new church.

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Warren Potter Vickerman, Jr.
Ellen Frances Ellison
Katharine Anne Ellison
Margaret Yarnall Newbold
Dora Lewis
Mary Emlen Lewis
Louise Lewis
Mary Latimer Coleman
Emily Read Fox

Marriages

William H. Ashton and Anne Shippen Pepper.
Sidney Keith and Dorothy Sims Platt.
Alfred O. Crofts and Margaret A. Gray.

FOR RENT

Apartment, second floor. Also roomers or boarders wanted. For further information call the Parish Office.

CALENDAR

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8—5th Sunday after Trinity.
15—6th Sunday after Trinity.
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25—S. James, Apostle.
29—8th Sunday after Trinity.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

*New England Conscience, Not
Wholly Bad!*

One can easily see why "the New England conscience" is in disrepute. It is an uncomfortable companion. It won't let one alone. Ever on the qui vive for some new burden to assume or evil to correct it keeps life in a constant flutter of moral and often physical discomfort. Nevertheless there remain many things in its favor of significance to our age, and among them this very pertinent warning, "When all things go well with thee, Beware!"

The world's prophets have always cried out against Contentment. They have pointed out that when people's minds are lulled by prosperity that the "powers of darkness" do their best work. And it is in the religious sphere more quickly than any other that degeneration sets in. For strange as it may appear, even when one has come to know Him, it is easy to "forget" God.

Religion a Growth

So many people fool themselves about religion. The "good citizen" who "says his prayers" and "goes to Church on Sunday" inclines to call himself a "faithful follower" and to cruise along life's highway secure in the thought that he is maturing in religion as he is in years. But without constantly renewed efforts there can be no 'growing companionship with Christ,' which is the heart of the matter. To grow in grace we must be both better pray-ers and better actors in His sight. We talk as if

one conversion initiated a man eternally into the company of the saints.

The real saints of the world never climbed any high plateau of inspiration there to spend their days in measureless content. They have been men and women who struggled with the world and with themselves who by God's help were slowly fashioned and refined until at last they began to resemble in some features their Master. They had *many* conversions not one. Nor for long was their vigilance of spirit relaxed. The "New England conscience" did not originate at Plymouth in 1620!

Re-Conversion

The Church has long felt the wisdom of providing for periods of re-conversion and re-dedication. Lent is designed to render such service annually. Less well-known is the Preaching Mission, but its aim is the same. Could there be a better time in our Parish history—on the verge of the release of new spiritual energy that the New Church will give—to engage in a time of such reconsecration? Into the New Church we must go with renewed and refreshed spirits.

The Proposed Plan

Such a Mission has been arranged for the week preceding next Palm Sunday. The good that it will do us depends upon the time and effort that we give to it. Will not every member of the Parish make note today of the dates, March 17-24, and reserve the afternoons or evenings of that week for these religious exercises which for each of us can mean a definite event in our religious history?

THE PREACHING MISSION
Preacher — Rt. Rev. Robert E. L. Strider, D. D., Bishop Coadjutor of West Virginia.

Date — March 17th-24th.

Place — The Parish House, or possibly the New Church.

Hours of Services — *Daily* — Early Morning, Afternoon and Evening.

Methods — Sound teaching and addresses on Personal Religion (None of the Evangelical emotionalism usually associated with Revivals.)

Object — (1) To bring those outside of the Church within the sphere of her influence. (2) To help all to know more about what God wants of us and to incline our hearts to do His will.

WOMAN'S FRIENDLY

The Woman's Friendly Society meetings will begin on Wednesday, October 17th, in the Parish House at 8 P. M.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The opening meeting of the G. F. S. was held on Monday, October 1st. The fine attendance at this meeting we hope augurs well for the current year. On Monday, October 8th, at 7 o'clock there will be a supper followed at 8.15 by a speaker on "The Coming Election." We hope any who cannot attend the supper will come later to the meeting. The election of officers will also take place at this time.

On Monday, October 15th, the subject for the meeting is "Books I Read This Summer, or, Places I Went This Summer"; October 22nd will be a business meeting; and October 29th a Halloween Party.

CHURCH SCHOOL REOPENS

On Sunday, September 30th, all departments of the Church School reopened for the year. Although the full complement of teachers has not yet been secured a large

number of pupils have appeared, among them seventeen new ones.

The matter of space for the next three months which at first looked like a most embarrassing problem has been solved for us by the generous offer of Mrs. Chapman who is allowing us to use various classrooms and the gymnasium at Springside School. Without this timely help it is difficult to say how we could have carried on, as the main hall of the Parish House is of course not available.

The new Church School wing should be ready for us by the first of the year and will add enormously to the efficiency of the school. We have arranged with Shady Hill School to have the church girls in their fifth group come to the Parish House two mornings a week at nine o'clock for an hour's religious instruction. This is an experiment but should it prove successful must have far reaching consequences.

Each year the Church School grows in membership and we hope also in the quality of work being done. The visible increases this year seem even greater than usual. We are trying very hard to make the most of our widening opportunity.

SERVICES IN OCTOBER

Sunday evening service and the regular services on week days will recommence as usual with the first Sunday in October. Sundays, Evening Prayer and Address at 7.45; Thursdays, Holy Communion at 7.30 and 10.00; Fridays, Morning Prayer and Litany at 10.

CONFIRMATION CLASS

The first meeting of this year's Confirmation Class will take place in the Parish House at 5 o'clock, Sunday, October 7th.

Fourteen is the normal age that boys and girls should come forward for confirmation, but each year a number of older people are pre-

sented. I should be very glad to make appointments to talk with any members of the parish who have not been confirmed and who think of taking this step.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The first meeting of the season will be held on Friday, October 19th, at 10.30 A. M.

The full title of this organization is "The Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions." Since every member of the church is also a member of that Board it follows that every woman of the church is a member of the Auxiliary. In view of the helpful and interesting program of last year there may be a number of people who would like to join the Auxiliary this year. Such potential members will be most gladly welcomed.

PROGRESS ON THE NEW CHURCH

Due to the energetic action of our contractors, Cramp and Company, it was possible to lay the Corner Stone of the New Church on the 8th of July. From that point the work has gone on through the summer in a most satisfactory fashion. Temporary delay has been caused by the failure to receive shipments of cut-stone from Indiana; this composes the frame work of doors and windows. But we have been assured now that all this stone will be here within the month. This means that the building will be roofed in before winter starts. The contractors feel that there has not been undue delay and assure us that they still look forward to having the building finished in March as they originally promised.

Such state of affairs is due in large part to the excellent management of our architect, Mr. Zant-zinger, and Mr. Joshua Ash Pearson, a member of the Building Committee, who worked in very

close touch with the builders all through the summer. These people together with the contractor deserve the very heartiest thanks of the parish.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The first regular meeting of the Men's Bible Class will be held at 2.15 on Sunday, October 7th.

FOR RENT

Furnished apartment, D 1 Chestnut Hill Apartments, for six months, November to May. Large living room, bedroom, bath and kitchenette. Apply to janitor, C. H. 3324.

Two rooms on second floor, furnished; three rooms, bath and kitchenette on third floor, furnished or unfurnished. For further information call C. H. 0299 or the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

For ladies' and children's dress-making, smocking and millinery call C. H. 3380 or C. H. 3158.

KALENDAR

OCTOBER

7 18th Sunday after Trinity
14 19th Sunday after Trinity
18 S. Luke, Evangelist
21 20th Sunday after Trinity
28 SS. Simon and Jude, 21st Sunday after Trinity

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IN TOUCH WITH THE INFINITE

"If the tone of life is to be deep and rich, and not hard and metallic," says George Tyrrell, "it needs a strong infusion of mysticism, an abiding consciousness, or at least, subconsciousness, of the transcendent and infinite, of the darkness that walls round our tiny sphere of light."

There is profound meaning here for us Americans whose lives seething with activity and whose minds content only with the practical have so little time for the "eternal otherness" of life. Fortunately there comes each year All Saints' Day—a little interval amid the din withdrawing us for a moment and reminding us that the country of "the great majority," which whether we appreciate it or not, is still the native land of our soul.

In Bishop Brent's great prayer for the departed every one of us will hear the note that brings home to us our true nature:

O King of Paradise where light abounds and life reigns, give to our dear ones who are with Thee a full share of Thy treasures, that they may always be white with Thy purity, tranquil with Thy peace, and glad with Thy joy. Let us live vividly in their present love as they live in ours, until the time of separation is past, and we are taken to the place whither they have gone before, there to dwell with them in the perfect fellowship that knows no end.

To that brightest of all meetings
Bring us, Jesus Christ, at last;
To Thy cross, through death and
judgment,
Holding fast. Amen.

A PRAYER FOR THE PREACHING MISSION

A preacher, however talented and however saintly, appearing "out of the blue" to a rather puzzled and thoroughly unprepared congregation can do little, if anything for us. But if we know *why* he is coming and have made ourselves ready, the results may be very considerable.

The following prayer makes plain the aim of The Mission. Its use will prepare us for the days of Passion Week. Let us begin our preparation now. It is none too early. Spiritual crops are an unconscionable time a' sprouting.

O God, Holy Ghost, Sanctifier of the faithful, visit, we pray Thee, this Parish with Thy love and favour, enlighten our minds more and more with the light of the everlasting Gospel; graft in our hearts a love of the truth; increase in us true religion; nourish us with all goodness; and of Thy great mercy keep us in the same, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PROGRESS ON THE NEW CHURCH

The delay on the cut stone for the door and window frames and the general exterior trim of the church held back the masonry work all through October. The recent arrival of four carloads of the much needed material now makes the future brighter so that we expect to see the roof beams in place very soon. With reasonably good weather the whole work should be under cover by the first of December.

The plastering and wood finish of the Parish House wing have

progressed at such a rapid pace that we may have this building in use by next month.

The receipts of money from pledges made last January have on the whole been most satisfactory. There are, however, a number of arrears which we wish could be made up. Money is now being expended in very large sums. It would be a pity to be forced to borrow when pledges due have not been paid up.

ARCHDEACON SPURR TO PREACH

On Sunday morning, November 18th, the parish will hear from Archdeacon B. M. Spurr, who is doing general missionary work among the institutions in the Blue Ridge Mountains. He is doubtless known to many in the parish by the wonderful letters that he writes. He makes one feel more than repaid for any help given by the warmth of his appreciation. It will be good to hear his story of the West Virginia highlands, where the Church is doing a piece of work of which we may well be proud.

REFERANDA ON BALLOT

At the recent Diocesan Convention a report from the Department of Social Service commended to us Amendment No. 10 and urged us to set forward its fortunes. It authorizes the state to issue bonds to improve and expand the equipment of the state institutions for the care of prisoners and mental defectives. The present equipment is utterly insufficient for the numbers already under state care.

The bond issue contemplated will be spent over a period of ten years. Social workers unite in hoping that the amendment may pass.

RECOMMENDED MOVIES

The Church and Drama Associa-

tion of which Dr. Cadman is the president during the past two weeks has recommended the following pictures: "The Singing Fool," "Mother Knows Best," "White Shadows in the South Seas," "The Patriot," "Two Lovers," "Wings."

CONFERENCE ON THE CAUSE AND CURE OF WAR

With a view to studying the Kellogg Treaty a Conference for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania will be held at the Bellevue-Stratford on Thursday, November 15th, in three sessions at 10.30, 2.30 and 7 P. M. The Conference is a combined effort on the part of nine co-operating women's organizations to set before people the intrinsic value of the Treaty. The subject is of great and timely importance.

ST. ELIZABETH'S PHILADELPHIA

An invitation has come from the new rector of St. Elizabeth's Church, 1606 Mifflin Street, to the Patronal Festival, Monday, November 5th, at 10.45. Members of the parish who are interested in work among the foreign-born may be interested to go. A definite work has been started among Ukrainians, Greeks, Bulgarians, and Serbs together with the Italian work already in operation.

This service will undoubtedly mark a release of new energy in this interesting parish. The members of St. Paul's are most cordially invited.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Since the meetings were resumed in October the attendance has been good and several new members have been added to the roll.

During the summer months many of the members made articles in preparation for our Annual Ba-

CHURCH SCHOOL PERFECT ATTENDANCE—OCTOBER

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Adamson, Talbot	Hannan, Doris	Sims, Joseph
Anderson, Billy	Harris, Mary	Sims, Sandy
Anderson, Robert	Hay, Duncan	Strong, Sally
Ayton, Elizabeth	Hay, Ethel	Strong, Virginia
Ayton, George	Hay, Peter	Swain, Helen
Ayton, Henry	Hay, William	Thompson, George
Birkhead, Francesca	Holland, Harry	Thompson, Hugh
Birkhead, Olivia	Huggins, John	Thompson, Isabella
Birkhead, Sally	Huggins, Joseph	Thompson, John
Bishop, Mary	Huggins, Margaret	Thompson, Rolland
Blair, Edgar	Jordan, Jane	Thompson, William
Blair, Thomas	Jones, A.	Van Anglen, Eric
Boyd, Dorothy	Kessler, Stephen	Van Anglen, Robert
Boyd, Eleanor	Kulp, Betty	Ward, Adelaide
Brewster, Betty	Lavelle, Helen	Ward, Richard
Brewster, Philip	Lavelle, Richard	Whittaker, John
Brunt, Thomas	Lavelle, Robert	Whittaker, Philip
Brunt, Lucinda	LeBrun, Gladys	Wilmot, George
Buchenhorst, Harriet	Lightcap, Mary	Wilmot, Margaret
Colt, Judith	LeBrun, Marian	Wilmot, Nellie
Craig, Jack	Leiper, Jane	Wilmot, Robert
Crawford, Mary	Liberg, Carl	Wilmot, Samuel
Dale, Richard	Lightcap, Norman	Wilmot, William
Dickinson, Phyllis	Mathers, Mildred	Wistar, Cresson
Disston, Diana	McIlhenny, Alan	Wistar, Emlen
Disston, Effie	McIlhenny, Louise	Wright, Frances
Disston, Eliza	Meehan, J. Franklin, 3d	
Disston, Jacob, 3d	Meryweather, Juliana	FACULTY
Disston, Jessie	Meryweather, Mary	Birkhead, Rev. M. H.
Disston, Lucy	Messenger, Frances	Birkhead, Mrs. M. H.
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Dunn, Jane	Napier, Arthur	Dashiell, Mrs. P. T.
Ellison, Mary	Newhall, Barbara	Dashiell, Miss Alice
Fisher, Julie	Newhall, Paul	Dunbar, Mr. S. A.
Fisher, Sally	Nimon, Dorothy	Disston, Mrs. J. S., Jr.
Frazier, Agnes	Nimon, Mary	Earle, Miss Margaret
Gaynor, Margaret	Oppenlander, Betty	Gilson, Miss Rhea C.
German, Elizabeth	Parry, Francis	Goodin, Mrs. C. E.
Getz, Henry	Peabody, Endicott	Grant, Mrs. F. C.
Gibb, James	Peabody, George	Harraden, Miss Anna C.
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Gilchrist, Peter	Randolph, Rachel	Lackman, Mr. Richard
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Grant, Nancy	Rust, Randolph	Rust, Miss Audrev
Grant, Patricia	Shantz, Betty	Shuman, Miss Helen
		Starr, Mr. Isaac
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zaar which is due to be held in December, and the work at present is a continuance for the same purpose. We have only a few dollars in the treasury and there will be many needed for our Christmas help.

At our opening meeting the Rev Mr. Birkhead said much that was well worth hearing about the value of "Friendship and Service" and his words have gone far to inspire the Society with fresh effort to make our name a reality.

C. McKELVEY, Sec'y.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The following officers were elected by the G. F. S. in October: Chairman, Anna Harraden; Secretary, Mildred Mathers; Treasurer, Louise Irvine. The first Monday in November there will be a Supper followed by a Speaker. The meetings for the rest of the month will be devoted to handwork.

HAVE YOU CHANGED YOUR ADDRESS?

One of the great difficulties in parish administration is keeping up with people, especially those who move either into the parish or to a new location in it. Every autumn brings its sheaf of returned mail from people whom the postman has been unable to find. May we, therefore, appeal to those who have moved during the summer for their new address?

Another matter which should have a claim upon the consciences as well as upon the minds of the members of the parish is to send us the names of new church people in their neighborhood. This may not sound like a very heavy request but its fulfillment is exceedingly important if the church is to keep in touch with her people.

Information may be sent to the Parish Secretary whose office is in the old choir house and whose telephone is C. H. 0359.

FOR RENT

One third-floor front room next to bath. For further information call C. H. 0299 or the Parish Office.

Roumfort Inn, Roumfort Road Mt. Airy. 2 rooms and bath for rent with board. Tel. C. H. 1734 Mrs. A. H. Harris.

WANTED

The Consumptive Hospital is very much in need of a Billiard Table for their recreation room. If any one in the Parish has a table that they would like to give away it would mean much joy to the patients to have it. Call C. H. 1471 if you are interested.

A young man named Bridge, a patient, would like to repair watches which he does very well at the Hospital.

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CALENDAR

NOVEMBER

- 1 All Saints' Day
- 4 22nd Sunday after Trinity
- 11 23rd Sunday after Trinity
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Ernest Williams	Henry Ayton
Richard Neal	Richard Ward
Norman Lightcap	Crofton Thompson
George Ayton	Henry Getz
Carl Liberg	LeRoy Waters

Contra-Tenors

A. W. Specht James R. Corgoe

Tenors

David J. Olsen H. Tomlinson Louis H. Dow

Basses

Fred A. Barber Leonard Davies Lewis Easby

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Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, December 1928

No. 2

RECTOR'S COLUMN

NEW BUDGET

The matter of raising in full our Parish Budget is of the greatest importance in this year when we look forward to moving into our new church. It has been found necessary to increase the figure of it over 1928 by \$3,945.45, but this increase hardly represents the very much larger work that will be possible with our new equipment. A comparison with last year's items shows that the whole increase is included in two of them, allowances for paid teachers in the Church School and for an enlarged choir. The Vestry believes that the Parish will approve these proposals.

THE BUDGET SYSTEM

The Parish has prospered under the Budget System and the Annual Canvass for three years. We have not had to ask for money to make up a deficit during this period. *But we have never raised the full Budget at the beginning of any year.* This has introduced an element of uncertainty into our finances and kept on our books a debt incurred four years ago. We have only just managed to make ends meet.

LET US RAISE IT IN FULL

The Parish ought not to be willing to tolerate this any longer. Indeed, the Vestry will not authorize the increased expenditure contemplated unless a full subscription is received for 1929. There is no use in adopting businesslike methods unless we are going to carry them through. To work on the basis of a Budget that has not been fully subscribed is unbusinesslike. Let us by all means underwrite the work of the Parish for 1929. This calls for something like a 15 per cent increase in former pledges. The Ves-

try believes that the Parish considers the work to be worthy of such support.

THE BUDGET FOR 1929

FOR OURSELVES

Clergy Salaries	\$ 9,600.00
Pension Premiums	848.75
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	\$10,448.75

Church School

Director	\$ 3,600.00
Paid Teachers	846.70
Supplies	1,020.00
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\$ 5,466.70

Music

Choir Master	\$ 1,900.00
Asst. Choir Master	300.00
Men and Boys	6,525.00
Sheet Music	225.00
Outing	350.00
Care of Organ	120.00
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\$ 9,420.00

Parish Office

Secretary	\$ 1,716.00
Clerical Work	300.00
Printing	500.00
Postage	300.00
Telephone	200.00
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\$ 3,016.00

Care of Property

Sexton	\$ 1,500.00
Asst. Sexton	800.00
Cleaning	1,200.00
Sexton's Outing	100.00
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\$ 3,600.00

Running Expenses

Taxes	\$ 725.00
Insurance	600.00
Coal	1,250.00
Light and Power	500.00
Gas	25.00
Repairs	2,000.00
Altar Guild	400.00
Parish Activities	500.00

SAINT PAUL'S LEAFLET

Miscellaneous	1,200.00
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	\$ 7,200.00
FOR OTHERS	
Estimated Apport.	\$26,000.00
Episcopal Conv.	1,200.00
Sustentation Fund	500.00
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	\$27,700.00
For Ourselves	\$39,151.45
For Others	\$27,700.00
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Total	\$66,851.45

"EVERY MEMBER" SUNDAY

A letter explaining the Budget will have been received already by every member of the Parish. The pledge card enclosed in it will not be called for on December 2d. "Every Member" Sunday. But the people of the Parish are asked to fill out the pledge *and bring it themselves to Church*, offering it on the plate on that day. This act will constitute a genuine offering for the work in a sense that we have never made it before.

It will also greatly simplify the work of the canvassers who on Sunday, December 9th, and the week following will visit all who have not already offered their pledges.

The results of the Canvass should be in hand by December 16th when we shall know to what extent the work planned for 1929 can be undertaken.

CONFIRMATION CLASS

Bishop Garland on his annual visitation Sunday, November 25th, confirmed the following class:

Elizabeth Ayton
George Ayton, Jr.
Helen Suzanne Clement
Mary Linden Crawford
Phyllis Dickinson
Effie Fleming Disston
Sophia Disston
William Simpson Doughten
Elizabeth German

Elizabeth Potter Goodman
Suzanne Hammond
Helen Howe
Cornelia Jones
Stephen Joseph Kessler
Lloyd Harris Michener
Edward B. Myers, Jr.
Ellen Newhall
Grace Ledlie Newlin
Janet C. Newlin
Nicholas Newlin
Mary Nimon
Edward Parry
Henry Frazer Parry
Beatrice Penrose
Rachel Randolph
Marion Rosengarten
Katharine Stone
William Merrick Swain
William Thompson
Arthur Nelson Wrigley

OUR MISSIONARY APPORTIONMENT

With \$27,700.00 as a free-will gift to the work of our Diocese and the General Church, St. Paul's stands at the head of the list of all the parishes in this Diocese. This is as it should be and no surprise to any one who has known its history. The clergy and the people of St. Paul's have always considered the whole Church's program of work as a primary responsibility. This policy indicates a spiritual vitality that comes out inevitably in all parochial activities. People who know the whole Church tell us that this always happens.

We shall accordingly include in our Budget as usual that portion of the work of the National Church that falls to our share, rejoicing in the opportunity that is given us to testify for our Master wherever our people are at work in His Name.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

There will be a regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary on Friday, December 7th, at 10.30 A. M.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR NOVEMBER

PUPILS

Adamson, Billy 2	Hay, William 2	Stem, William 1
Adamson, Talbot 2	Henderson, Edith 2	Stone, Katherine 1
Allen, Camilla 1	Henderson, Mortland 2	Swain, Helen 2
Allen, Peggy 1	Holland, Harry 2	Thompson, George 2
Anderson, Robert 2	Huggins, John 2	Thompson, Gordon 1
Ayton, Elizabeth 2	Huggins, Joseph 2	Thompson, Hugh 2
Ayton, George 2	Jones, Cintra 2	Thompson, John 2
Ayton, Harry 2	Kite, Clement 1	Thompson, Rolland 2
Binford, Franklin 1	Kite, Sally 1	Van Auglen, Eric 2
Birckhead, Francesca 2	Lavelle, Helen 2	Van Auglen, Robert 2
Birckhead, Olivia 2	Lavelle, Richard 2	Van Auglen, Walter 1
Birckhead, Sally 2	Lavelle, Robert 2	Ward, Richard 2
Blair, Edgar 2	Lawson, David 1	Wesles, Arthur 1
Blair, Thomas 2	LeBrun, Gladys 2	Whittacker, John 2
Boyd, Nancy 2	LeBrun, Marion 2	Whittacker, Philip 2
Bort, William 2	Liberg, Carl 2	Williams, Aubry 1
Brewster, Betty 2	Lightcap, Mary 2	Williams, Betty 1
Brunt, Lucinda 2	Lightcap, Norman 2	Williams, Ernest 1
Buckenhorst, Harriett 2	Mann, Beverly 1	Williams, Nita 1
Churchman, Marian 1	Mathers, Mildred 2	Wilmot, Margaret 2
Craig, Jack 2	McIlhenry, Alan 2	Wilmot, Nellie 2
Dale, Jonh 1	Meehan, J. Franklin 2	Wilmot, Robert 2
Dickinson, Anna 1	Merryweather, Juliana 2	Wilmot, William 2
Disston, Dianna 2	Merryweather, Mary 2	Wistar, Emlen 2
Disston, Effie 2	Messenger, Frances 2	Wright, Frances 2
Disston, Eliza 2	Millman, Janet 1	
Disston, Jacob, 3d 2	Murray, William 2	
Disston, Jessie 2	Malie, Dorothy 1	
Disston, Lucy 2	Newbold, Anna 1	
Disston, Mary 2	Newbold, Arthur 1	
Disston, Sally 2	Newhall, John 2	
Dunn, Jane 2	Newhall, Paul 2	
Earle, Jane 1	Nimon, Dorothy 2	
Ellison, Mary 2	Parr, John 1	
Fisher, Julie 2	Parr, Richard 1	
Fisher, Sally 2	Parry, Francis 2	
Frazier, Agnes 2	Peabody, Endicott 2	
German, Elizabeth 2	Peabody, Mary 1	
Getz, Henry 2	Pearson, Elizabeth 1	
Gilchrist, Allan 2	Pearson, Harry 1	
Gilchrist, Edgar 2	Pearson, Stanley 2	
Gilchrist, Edmund 2	Pearson, Stephen 2	
Gilchrist, Peter 2	Randolph, David 1	
Glassey, Betty 2	Randolph, Rachel 2	
Glassey, Evelyn 2	Reath, Henry 2	
Grant, Francis 1	Reath, Thomas 2	
Grant, Joseph 2	Redhouse, Russell 2	
Grant, Patricia 2	Reynolds, Jeanne 2	
Haag, Betty 1	Roth, Mary 1	
Hammond, Suzanne 2	Rust, Randolph 2	
Hannan, Doris 2	Shuman, Frank 2	
Hart, Edward 1	Sims, Joseph 2	
Hay, Duncan 2	Sims, Sandy 2	
Hay, Ethel 2	Smith, Eleanor 1	
Hay, Peter 2	Smith, Helen 1	

FACULTY

Birckhead, Rev. M. H. 2
Birckhead, Mrs. M. H. 2
Brown, Mrs. A. H. 2
Cheston, Miss C. 1
Cheston, M. L. 1
Clav, Mrs. E. B. 2
Dashiell, Miss A. 2
Dashiell, Mrs. P. T. 2
Disston, Mrs. J. 2
Douglas, Miss E. 1
Dunbar, Mr. S. A. 2
Foote, Mr. 1
Gilson, Miss R. C. 2
Goodin, Mrs. C. E. 2
Grant, Mrs. 2
Harraden, Miss A. C. 2
Hay, Mr. E. N. 2
Hay, Mrs. E. N. 2
Judd, Mr. 2
King, Miss K. 2
Moore, R. 2
Morgan, Miss E.
Peabody, Mrs. M. F. 2
Redhouse, H. 2
Rust, A. 2
Shuman, H. 2
Starr, Mr. 2
Wistar, Mrs. C. C. 2

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

The Christmas services will be as follows:

Christmas Eve, 12 midnight, Holy Communion; Christmas Day, 8 A. M., Holy Communion; 10 A. M., Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon.

Notices of the Children's Carol service and Pageant will appear later.

EXHIBIT OF BOOKS AND PICTURES

Books and pictures suitable for Christmas gifts for boys and girls will be on exhibition in the library of the Parish House at the close of the service on Sunday, December 9th.

ST. ELIZABETH'S RE-ESTABLISHED

Under the direction of the Rev. John R. Crosby, St. Elizabeth's Church at 1606 Mifflin Street has been rehabilitated as a center for foreign work. It is wonderfully situated to make contact with the foreign-born of every nationality in Europe and in Dr. Crosby has been found a priest admirably qualified. He speaks eight languages and has won the confidence of many of these people.

The Diocese is in a position to do an extensive and important work among the large foreign-born population of Philadelphia today, if this work can get a start. The people take naturally to our service and soon become at home if properly directed.

The need of the moment seems to be for furniture and the priest in charge is looking for interest on the part of the Diocese at large. Any one who cares to visit St. Elizabeth's will not only see the start which has been made but will receive an intensely vivid impression of the Church's opportunity with our foreign-born neighbors. On the type of citizens they become the future of the country in large measure depends.

WOMAN'S FRIENDLY

The Woman's Friendly will hold its annual Christmas Bazaar in the Parish House on Wednesday, December 12th, from 2 until 9 o'clock. There will be useful and fancy articles for sale. Tea will be served. It is hoped that many will come to purchase their Christmas gifts at this time. As in former years the proceeds of this sale will be used to spread Christmas cheer among the needy.

KALENDAR

DECEMBER

- 2 1st Sunday in Advent.
- 9 2nd Sunday in Advent.
- 16 3rd Sunday in Advent.
- 21 S. Thomas, Apostle—Friday.
- 23 4th Sunday in Advent.
- 25 Christmas Day—Tuesday.
- 26 S. Stephen, Martyr—Wednesday.
- 27 S. John, Evangelist—Thursday.
- 28 Holy Innocents—Friday.
- 30 1st Sunday after Christmas.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

On Monday evening, December 3rd, St. Paul's G. F. S. are to be the guests of St. Peter's Branch at 3rd and Pine Streets. The meetings on the 10th and 17th will be devoted to the making of plans for the annual Christmas Party at Eddystone. The meetings on December 24th and 31st will be omitted.

FOR RENT

Two rooms on second floor, furnished; three rooms, bath and kitchenette on third floor, furnished or unfurnished. For further information call C. H. 0299 or the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

There is only one of the recently acquired Church properties for rent at this time and it is one of the most attractive of the group. 85 Bethlehem Pike has recently been vacated and after alterations will be for rent at \$85.00 a month. Keys and information can be obtained from Mr. Leonard W. Coleman, 8714 Prospect Ave., C. H. 1085.

PARISH DIRECTORY

S. PAUL'S CHURCH

East Chestnut Avenue

SERVICES

1st and 3rd Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Holy Communion and Sermon at 11 A. M.

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Church School: Sunday, 9.30 A. M.

Men's Bible Class: Sunday, 2.15 P. M.

Evening Prayer and Address: Sunday, 7.45 P. M.

Thursdays—Holy Communion at 7.30 and 10 A. M.

Fridays—Morning Prayer and Litany at 10 A. M.

Saints' Days—Holy Communion at 7.30 A. M.

The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

Rector

REV. MALCOLM E. PEABODY

14 E Chestnut Avenue. Telephone C. H. 0503

Curate

REV. MALBONE H. BIRCKHEAD

22 E. Chestnut Avenue. Telephone C. H. 1310

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Parish Secretary

MISS ANNA C. HARRADEN

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Organist and Choirmaster

ARTHUR W. HOWES

636 Mason Avenue. Drexel Hill.

Lansdowne 3969

Assistant Organist

FRANK A ROTH

8311 Ardleigh Street.

Sexton—JAMES E. McELHINNEY

5720 Beechwood St., Germantown

VESTRY

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

The picture of the entrance to the New Church that appeared on the Parish Christmas card showed in the tympanum above the door two scenes. On the left St. Paul is prostrate before the lightning flash that shows him our Lord. On the right he is seen preaching in captivity to those gathered about him outside his Roman prison. The actual design will be much handsomer than the picture as it appears on the card, but the subjects will be the same. In any case St. Paul's figure in the middle grasping the Sword of the Spirit commands both scenes.

The significance of this double ideal for the entrance to the Church will at once be apparent for it says to all who come, "Enter to meet with our Lord and to take Him for your leader. But know full well that the following of such a one involves the spreading of the Message that He taught."

Certainly one of the failures of contemporary Christianity lies in our thought of it as something that will **help us personally** without involving us in any further obligation. Whereas the very nature of Christianity, even its ability to help us, **depends upon our giving it away**. The conversion of St. Paul changed an active persecutor of Christianity into its most ardent missionary. Surely our Church which is called by his name will not be true either to him or his Lord until the conversion which we experience reaches down into

our lives. The converted life is one through which Jesus shines. He not only gives peace to His followers, He makes them

—"The Light of the World."

PARISH CANVASS MORE SUCCESSFUL THAN EVER

The fourth annual Parish Canvass has produced excellent results. We have 56 new pledges making a total of 541 in all. The total amount pledged is \$52,557.90, which is an increase of \$2,089.60 over 1928. These results have been made possible by the generosity of so many who have increased their pledges for 1929 and by the **excellent** work of the canvassers.

The full figure of the Budget for 1929, \$66,851.45, has not yet been reached. A part of the difference will be made up by regular subscribers who have not yet committed themselves for any definite amount for 1929. But if the work of the Church is to go on as the Rector and Vestry have planned, this money will have to be in sight, otherwise it will not be authorized. In a day when both the National Church and the Diocese are proceeding on the "pay as you go" plan, the Parish too is bound to do no less. The only businesslike way especially in a year so vital to the life of the parish is to have our full Budget guaranteed before we start off. If any on reading this wish to do their bit toward meeting the full Budget, the Rector will be glad to hear from them.

GENERAL CONVENTION REDUCES PENNSYLVANIA'S SHARE

The whole matter of the shares of the various dioceses in the missionary work of the Church came up for thorough discussion at the General Convention in Washington. One result of this was to reduce the share of some of the larger dioceses including that of Pennsylvania and to distribute the difference between some of the smaller ones.

Pennsylvania's share has been reduced from the high figure of \$316,000 per year to \$229,000 per year for the next three years. This reduction to the diocese will, of course, be handed on to the various parishes who will, it is hoped, make strenuous efforts to meet the much smaller amount in most cases asked of them.

The Diocesan Field Department of which your rector is chairman is offering its services to all clergymen to aid them to bring their parishes up to the amount asked of them. We shall do this by promoting publicity in the work that the Church is doing rather than by direct appeals for money.

In the case of St. Paul's, we have written into our 1929 Budget the same amount as in former years for the simple reason that certain of the poorer parishes will never be able to fulfill the sum asked of them. It is our privilege and pleasure to be able to do this and a great encouragement to all those upon whose shoulders responsibility lies.

THE PREACHING MISSION IN LENT

Plans are developing for the Preaching Mission that Bishop Strider will conduct among us during Passion Week, March 17 to 24.

The religious survey of Chestnut Hill in which the ministers of all the Churches have joined is bringing in large numbers of cards of the unchurched. It will be our first task to get into touch with these and unite them to our living fellowship.

The Mission, however, is quite as much to the "saints" as to "them that are without." We need to consolidate our position by a summing up of what we know and where we stand before a new lease of religious energy can flow through us. When the New Church is ready to be occupied we still have before us the much more difficult problem of using it "for the Glory of God and the good cheer of our fellow-man." Such a time of reconsecration as this Mission promises to provide will be the very best preliminary for the religious adventure that the New Church represents.

CHRISTMAS OFFERING

The Christmas Offering amounted to \$795.68. It has been devoted to fulfilling our quota for the missionary work of the Church.

NURSE AVAILABLE—Mrs. Steese, 116 W Sedgwick St. Call C. H. 0746

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR DECEMBER

PUPILS

Adamson, Talbot 3	Grant, Joseph 3	Redhouse, Pursell 3
Allen, Peggy 2	Grant, Nancy 2	Roth, Mary 2
Ayton, Elizabeth 3	Grant, Patricia 3	Roth, Walter 1
Ayton, George 3	Haag, Betty 2	Shantz, Ruth 2
Ayton, Harry 3	Henderson, Edith 3	Shantz, Irma 1
Binford, Franklin 2	Huggins, Joseph 3	Sims, Joseph 3
Birckhead, Olivia 3	Huggins, Margaret 2	Sims, Sandy 3
Blair, Edgar 3	Jones, Cintra 3	Smith, Eleanor 2
Blair, Virginia, 1	Kane, Robert 1	Smith, Helen 2
Blair, Thomas 3	Lavelle, Helen 3	Stone, Katherine 2
Boyd, Nancy 3	Lavelle, Richard 3	Thompson, John 3
Brunt, Lucinda 3	Lavelle, Robert 3	Ward, Richard 3
Buckenhorst, Harriet 3	LeBrun, Gladys 3	Wesseys, M. 2
Cheston, Annette 1	Leiper, Carol 1	Whittacker, John 3
Dickinson, Anne 2	Liberg, Carl 3	Williams, Ernest 2
Disston, Betty 1	Liggett, Louise 1	Wilmot, Margaret 3
Disston, Diana 3	Lightcap, Mary 3	Wilmot, Nellie 3
Disston, Eliza 3	Lightcap, Norman 3	
Disston, Jacob, 3d 3	Mathers, Mildred 3	FACULTY
Disston, Jessie 3	McIlhenny, Alan 3	Birckhead, Rev. M. H. 3
Disston, Lucy 3	McIlhenny, Louise 3	Birckhead, Mrs. M. H. 3
Disston, Mary 3	Merryweather, Mary 3	Cheston, Miss L. 2
Disston, Sally 3	Merryweather, Virginia 1	Douglas, Miss E. 2
Disston, Sophie 1	Messinger, Frances 3	Disston, Mrs. J. S., Jr. 3
Dunn, Jane 2	Moffley, Edward 1	Grant, Mrs. 3
Earle, Jane 2	Malle, Dorothy 2	Harraden, Miss A. 3
Ellison, Mary 3	Nimon, Mary 1	Hay, Mr. E. W. 3
Fisher, Sally 3	Peabody, George 2	Hay, Mrs. E. W. 3
Frazier, Agnes 3	Pearson, Elizabeth 2	Judd, Mr. 3
Getz, Henry 3	Pearson, Harry 2	King, Miss K. 3
Gilchrist, Peter 3	Pearson, Stanley 3	Morgan, Miss E.
Glassey, Betty 3	Pearson, Stephen 3	Moore, Mr. R. 3
Glassey, Evelyn 3	Randolph, Rachel 3	Peabody, Mrs. M. E. 3
Goodfellow, Thorp 1	Reath, Henry 3	Redhouse, Mr. H. 3
Grant, Francis 2	Reath, Thomas 3	Rust, Miss A. 2
		Starr, Mr.

WORK ON THE NEW CHURCH PROGRESSING AS PER SCHEDULE

In spite of the delay in the delivery of materials last October, work on the New Church has gone on so satisfactorily that much of this lost time has been caught up. The structure is now entirely roofed in and the interior finish about to be started upon. The making of glass for the windows, of wainscoting and carving for the stalls, pulpit, etc. is to be done elsewhere and can be promptly installed when we are ready for them.

The next step will be the installation of interior stone upon the walls and the oak beams that construct the roof. This work can go ahead independent of the weather as the windows will be covered in and steam heat introduced into the building.

PARENTS AND TEACHERS MEETING

New Wing To Be Opened

On Tuesday, January 8th, at 8.15 we are holding a meeting in the Parish House to which all the teachers and parents of the Church School have been invited. On this occasion the New Wing of the Church School will be opened and an inspection of the premises invited.

An address will be made by the Rev. J. W. Suter, Jr., Chairman of the Department of Religious Education of the National Council. He will talk to us on, "What

We Are Aiming At and How We Can Better Cooperate to Promote the Work." To this meeting all members of the Church are cordially urged to come.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

During the winter months the Woman's Auxiliary meets every Friday morning in the Parish House at 10.30. All women of the parish are cordially invited to attend these meetings at which there are speakers from the different mission fields.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Robert Glendinning III
Joseph Robert Seka
Louis Paul Tatman

Marriages

Henry S. Pancoast, Jr. and
Marion W. Jones.

Burials

Mary A. Prichett
Clara Louisa Thomas
Lucy Rogers Wessels

KALENDAR

January

- 1 Circumcision.
- 6 Epiphany.
- 13 1st Sunday after Epiphany
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RECTOR'S COLUMN

In reading the other day what Father Huntington, old in wisdom and experience, has to say about "A Preaching Mission" I came across these simple words: "That people should know that God loves them, should feel that they have disappointed His love and gone away from Him, should see how they can be restored to God in Christ and through His love live in fellowship with Him, —this must be the aim of a Mission."

It struck me as a pretty clear way of expressing the aim of the whole season of Lent. It is a season that offers us the chance of getting those periodic necessities of life. Re-illusion and Re-encouragement.

In the hope of affording an opportunity for gaining them this year St. Paul's will offer the Book List and the usual Services. But the Preaching Mission of March 17 - 24 will provide a new and unusual way.

We can look forward to Bishop Strider's message with considerable anticipation. In the meantime let us one and all lay the foundations for the Mission by remembering both the man and the work in our prayers.

LENTEN SERVICES

Lent comes in this year on February 13th. The principal accent of the season will come during Passion Week when we shall have Bishop Strider of West Virginia with us to conduct a Preaching Mission. The Lenten season exists in order to enable

people to strengthen the stakes of their religious life. Instead of extending special efforts over the whole season this year we shall intensify them during the five days of March 18 to 22.

Lent will not, however, be without an opportunity for the ordinary observances. There will be a daily Evening Service at 5 P. M. except on Wednesdays when at 8.15 P. M. the Rector will conduct a service of which the principal feature will be a consideration of and comment on chapters of Fosdick's book, "The Meaning of Prayer."

A list of books most of which have been read by members of the parish Reading Committee will be distributed next week together with an announcement of all services and a prayer for the Preaching Mission, which it is hoped all will use.

SPECIAL GIFTS IN 1928

The special contributions in 1928 were as follows:

Good Friday (Jerusalem)	\$153.07
Near East	223.57
China Famine	408.08
Red Cross—Florida	402.00
Archdeacon Spurr	267.98
Bishop Garland	142.28
Thanksgiving	
(Episcopal Hospital)	520.00
Porto Rico	331.84

\$2,448.62

PARISH REGISTER

BURIALS

Ellen Burdick
William Mancill Maguire
Clara Louisa Thomas

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ACCOUNTING WARDEN

For the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1928

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance, Dec. 31, 1927..	\$ 300.14	Missions	\$24,328.15
Expenses	33,273.52	Salaries	17,415.86
Missions	24,328.15	Music	5,981.95
Endowment	1,794.52	Taxes	752.19
Rector's Fund	1,569.56	Printing	445.79
Sink, Fund & Int.	67.00	Insurance	480.41
Loan Account	2,500.00	Repairs	1,815.50
Int. on Deposit	94.03	Loan Account	2,500.00
Gifts	1,671.78	Light and Power	324.95
Parish Activities	71.00	Gas	17.80
1929 Sinking Fund	10.00	Postage	302.00
		Telephone	197.77
		Cleaning	894.20
		Misc. Expenses	1,294.34
		Altar Guild	400.00
		Parish Activities	287.32
		Care of Organ	151.50
		Pension Premiums	848.75
		Rector's Fund	1,569.56
		Coal	912.20
		Sink, Fund & Int.	156.54
		Endowment	1,794.52
		Gifts	1,671.78
		Sexton's Outing	100.00
		Church School	954.89
		Balance, Dec. 31, 1928 ..	81.73
	\$65,679.70		\$65,679.70

Respectfully submitted

ISAAC STARR,
Accounting Warden.These accounts have been audited
by Wiegner, Rockey & Co., Certified Public Accountants.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY

for 1928

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance, Jan. 1, 1928	\$ 62.13	Expenses	\$185.11
Dues	44.75	Personal gifts, fruit and flowers for sick and to missions	241.10
Fair (personal donations and sale)	494.93	Christmas Cheer to various missions and worthy causes	294.40
Rummage Sale and personal donations	253.93		
	\$855.73		\$720.61
	720.61		
Balance	\$135.12		

MRS. GEORGE GREBE, Treas

CHURCH SCHOOL PERFECT ATTENDANCE

January, 1929

PUPILS

Allen, Peggy 3	Huggins, Joseph 4	Sims, Joseph 4
Ayton, Elizabeth 4	Huggins, Margaret 3	Sims, Sandy 4
Ayton, George 4	Kane, Robert 2	Stem, William 2
Ayton, Henry 4	Lavelle, Helene 4	Thompson, Hugh 3
Bimford, Franklin 3	Lavelle, Richard 4	Van Anglen, Walter 2
Birckhead, Francesca 3	Lavelle, Robert 4	Ward, Adelaide 2
Birckhead, Olivia 4	Leiper, Carol 2	Ward, Richard 4
Birckhead, Sally 4	Leiper, Edith 1	Wessels, Arthur 2
Blair, Edgar 4	Liggett, Louise 2	Wessels, Margaret 3
Blair, Thomas 4	Lightcap, Mary 4	Wetherill, Frederic 1
Buchenhorst, Harriett 4	Lightcap, Norman 4	Wetherill, Isabel 1
Churchman, Beatrice 1	Mathers, Mildred 4	Whittaker, John 4
Churchman, Marian 2	McIlhenny, Alan 4	Williams, Aubrey 2
Disston, Diana 4	Meryweather, Juliana 4	Williams, Ernest 3
Disston, Eliza 4	Meryweather, Mary 4	Wistar, Emlen 2
Disston, Jacob, 3rd 4	Meryweather, Virginia 3	Wright, Frances 4
Disston, Jessie 4	Messenger, Frances 3	Wright, Stephen 1
Disston, Lucy 4	Moffley, Edward 2	Wrigley, Arthur 1
Disston, Sally 4	Newbold, Sewell 1	
Disston, Sophie 2	Newhall, Barbara 2	
Disston, Wm., Jr. 1	Newhall, Paul 3	
Dunn, Jane, 4	Nimon, Dorothy 4	
Ellison, Mary 4	Nimon, Mary 2	
Fisher, Sally 4	Oppenlander, Betty 2	
Frazier, Agnes 4	Parry, John 3	
Gaynor, Margaret 2	Parry, Richard 2	
Getz, Henry 4	Parry, Francis 3	
Gilchrist, Allan 3	Peabody, George 3	
Gilchrist, Edgar 3	Peabody, Mary 2	
Gilchrist, Edmund 3	Pearson, Harry 3	
Gilchrist, Peter 4	Pearson, Stanley 4	
Glasse, Evelyn 4	Pearson, Stephen 4	
Goodfellow, Thorp 2	Randolph, David 2	
Haag, Betty 3	Randolph, Rachel 4	
Hannan, Doris 3	Reath, Henry 4	
Harris, Mary 2	Reath, Thomas 4	
Hay, Duncan 3	Redhouse, Russell 4	
Hay, Ethel 3	Robinson, Anne 3	
Hay, Peter 3	Roth, Mary 3	
Hay, William 3	Roth, Walter 2	
Henderson, Edith 4	Shantz, Betty 3	

FACULTY

Birckhead, Rev. M. H. 4
Birckhead, Mrs. M. H. 4
Cheston, Miss C. 2
Dashiell, Mrs. P. T. 3
Dunbar, Mr. S. A. 3
Disston, Mrs. J. S., Jr. 4
Foote, Mr. F. A. 3
Harraden, Miss A. C. 4
Hay, Mr. E. N. 4
Hay, Mrs. E. N. 4
Judd, Mr. O. F. 4
King, Miss K. 4
Moore, Mr. R. 4
Morgan, Mr. M. S. 2
Peabody, Rev. M. E. 3
Redhouse, Mr. H. 4
Ritter, Miss 1
Rust, Miss A. 4
Will'ing, Mrs. C. 2
Wistar, Mrs. C. C. 3

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

At the Annual Meeting held January 23rd much satisfaction was expressed with work accomplished for the year 1928.

The Wednesday evening meetings were usually given to sewing; therefore, many garments that had been purchased from the Diocesan Supply Bureau were made. These were given to the City Mission. Some clothing was made for the crippled children of St. Michael's Home. Clothing was given to two men of St. Titus' Mission (in charge of the Rev. Mr. Hopkin.)

Four dozen tea towels were sent to St. Luke's Hospital, Tokyo, Ja-

pan. A barrel filled with clothing, shoes, toys, etc., was sent to Yancey, Va. Two barrels and a box filled with warm clothing and useful articles were sent to Labrador for the work in charge of Dr. Grenfell.

The Society is grateful and wishes to thank most sincerely all friends of the congregation who by their encouragement in patronizing our Sales, and giving of generous donations, have made this work possible.

The membership of 54 at present on the roll extends a cordial invitation to "Come and have a cup of tea with us any Wednesday evening." Catherine McKelvey, Sec.

THE FINAL RESULTS OF THE PARISH CANVASS

The results of the Parish Canvass to date as compared with those of a year ago are as follows:

	1928	1929
Pledges	485	563
Amount Pledged:	1928—\$50,468.30	1929—\$53,770.90

The increase in both columns is encouraging. But it shows that the full Budget of \$66,851.45 has not been raised. Yet the Vestry has seen fit to authorize the undertaking of the Church's full program, since from other sources (such as plate collections and contributions from those who have not signed pledges) very nearly the full amount may be said to be in sight. Due to the fact that we shall have to raise further funds for the completion of the New Church, it was deemed wise not to press the canvass further at this time. With the normal increase which we have learned to expect of new pledges, another year will perhaps find us even closer to making up our full Budget at this stage.

PENNSYLVANIA ASSUMES FULL QUOTA

At a recent meeting of the Executive Council of the Diocese the full figure of \$229,000.00 asked of us by the National Church was assumed. While the total which may be expected from the parishes and missions does not guarantee this amount, it was thought to be well within the means of the Diocese to raise it. The Field Department has certain plans in mind to pro-

mote interest in this cause.

The step which they intend to take at once is in the form of a request sent to every rector to appoint a member of his parish who shall act as the local representative of the Field Department. At a Dinner to be held for the clergy and such representatives on February 19th Mr. George Wharton Pepper and the Bishop, who are largely responsible for the reduction in Pennsylvania's quota, will speak. It is of paramount importance that the people of the parishes be fully informed of the program of work which the General Church has in hand. By this plan the Department hopes to get co-operation at the point where it will tell most.

POSITIONS WANTED

Experienced Protestant girl wants table work or waiting or both. For further information write or call the Secretary's Office, C. H. 0359.

Two members of the Bible Class desire positions as chauffeurs. Call the Parish Office for further information, C. H. 0359.

Position as janitor, taking care of fires or garden work. Apply to William Lawn, 25 Southampton Ave., Chestnut Hill.

KALENDAR

FEBRUARY

- 2 Presentation of Christ in the Temple, Saturday.
- 3 Sexagesima Sunday.
- 10 Quinquagesima Sunday
- 13 Ash Wednesday.
- 17 First Sunday in Lent.
- 24 Second Sunday in Lent.
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The criticism is largely true—but so is the change in attitude. Today people feel that Christianity is so much of a necessity in life that the Christian Society must be re-awakened and refitted for its task.

In no department of its work does our Church stand in greater need of thorough overhauling than in that of evangelism, of spreading the "Good News of the Gospel." We do this fairly well through our professional paid missionaries. All honor to them. But how many of us Episcopalians look on ourselves as missionaries in our own person?

There are many here in Chestnut Hill who need what the Church has to give them. Over two hundred of our own Church people live here connected with no parish at all! They will be visited without delay and invited to join the parish. But this piece of work is only typical of the far larger one that should be going on all the time.

If a man sees a good play or reads a good book he "propagands" about it until his friends feel bound to share his joy. Surely if the Church really plays in our lives as great a part as the drama or our books, may we not with equal enthusiasm bring with those whose bare lives require the comfort and the power that comes through the "fellowship of Christian minds?"

GOOD FRIDAY

OBSERVANCE

A large committee of representative citizens is again making an effort to have Good Friday properly observed throughout the city. They have asked all ministers to urge their people to attend service on that day, devoutly observing the hours between 12 and 3 P. M. They ask, in addition, that insofar as possible all places of business and amusement be closed during these three hours.

This movement is growing both geographically and intensively. It is making Good Friday one of the best kept holy days of the year. With such a comprehensive and earnest movement all Christian people should find themselves in hearty sympathy.

PROGRESS ON THE NEW CHURCH

The work of general construction is now nearly complete but the finishing operations are many. When the various members of the roof trusses are finally in place, it remains to put on the finish. The oak panelling and carving have all been made up elsewhere but its installation calls for careful work and will require time. The stained glass, with the exception of the East and Rose Windows, is all ready to put in, in fact one window may now be seen in the nave. Good progress is being made on the organ but it has not yet left the factory. The electric fixtures which are to be made by Mr. Yellin will be ready when the rest of the work is nearing completion.

Delays which many of us felt from the beginning would be inevitable have postponed our getting into the New Church but there is no reason to think that the postponement will be a very long one. The Building Committee feels that it is far more important to make decisions after due time for consideration than it is by hurrying to get the use of the church a week or two earlier. In the next issue of "The Leaflet" we expect to set a definite date for the opening service.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Woman's Auxiliary meets every Friday at 10.30 in the Parish House. There will be a speaker at each meeting.

THE PREACHING MISSION

Beginning Sunday, March 17th, and lasting for eight days, Bishop Strider will hold at St. Paul's a Preaching Mission. The principal services will be on Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock and each evening except Saturday at 8.15. He will point out the practical value in life of certain Christian beliefs and in this way help us to make Christianity a "going concern for every day."

At 4.30 each afternoon there will be a class in Personal Religion which will cover such subjects as "The Use of the Bible," and "Suggestions Concerning Prayer and Worship."

There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion each morning at 7.30.

As this is the principal activity of the Parish during Lent it is to be hoped that people will reserve the evenings of the week of March 17th for the Mission.

THE PARISH LIBRARY AND SECRETARY'S OFFICE

We are gradually collecting quite a number of books representing the volumes recommended in our Book Lists over the past few years. Copies of these books are in constant demand at the Public Library where we have placed a full set. All these books may be borrowed, however, from the Parish Library in the Secretary's Office. This office is now to be found in the New Parish House at the left of the main doorway. The telephone number is the same, C. H. 0359, and the secretary is in attendance each day from 10 to 1 and from 2 to 5. It is to be hoped that members of the parish will avail themselves of this office and the books that it contains.

TWO NEEDY CASES

The Family Society of Philadelphia does excellent work in the way of relief and help for those in need. One method they have used in order to secure adequate financial help which gains the personal interest of the benefactors is to get people to adopt needy families during the period of their distress.

Thinking that this policy might interest members of our congregation your rector asked this Society to send him a story of two families in the Germantown district representing cases of pressing need. Should any member of the parish care to lend assistance, Mr. Peabody will be very glad to hear about it.

The Case of Mrs. J.

Mrs. J. lost her husband in 1926. She is a fine mother and an excellent housekeeper. She has four children between the ages of nine and five but is in frail health. Twice she has had breakdowns and is even now attending a State tuberculosis clinic for treatments. Her home is clean and attractive, her children well dressed and cared for, though she can do hardly any work and has to rest after the simplest task.

The Family Society funds are too low to pay for her laundry.

They do pay her rent and insurance and supply some clothing. Last month they had to cut the budget 37½% owing to shortage of funds. This will bring financial worry to Mrs. J. who is most anxious to keep her home together. The doctor says that if she is to improve, she should be free from care.

The Case of Mr. S.

Mr. S. works in an automobile factory except when times are dull when he picks up odd jobs at which he is very handy. Due to malaria contracted in Mexico where he served with the marines, he has an infection that has led to several operations which is culminating in one for double mastoid that is to take place next month. His wife is not strong but is doing her best at present to care for the family in order to give him a chance to regain his health. There are seven children, three of them have had pneumonia this winter. Their health is not very vigorous either.

If the man could get a job in the country and the family could move there following his operation, it would give them all a better chance. In the meantime, the family must be supported. It receives \$10.00 a week from the Family Society for food and \$2.50 a week from the Poor Board. Except for this nothing is coming in, as the oldest child, only ten, is too young to work.

CHURCH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Perfect Attendance for, February

PUPILS

Aitken, Theodore 1	Henderson, Mortland 3	Stone, Katharine 3
Allen, Camilla 2	Holland, Alice 2	Swain, Helen 3
Ayton, Elizabeth 5	Holland, Harry 3	Thompson, Crofton 3
Ayton, George 5	Howe, Arthur 2	Thompson, Hugh 4
Ayton, Henry 5	Huggins, Joseph 5	Thompson, William 2
Binford, Franklin 4	Jones, Cintra 4	Thompson, Rolland 3
Birckhead, Olivia 5	Kite, Clement 2	Uhle, Omer 1
Birckhead, Sally 5	Kulp, Betty 2	Van Anglen, Eric 3
Bishop, Mary 2	Kurtz, John 1	Van Anglen, Robert 3
Blair, Edgar 5	Lavelle, Helene 5	Van Anglen, Walter 3
Blair, Thomas 5	Lavelle, Richard 5	Ward, Adelaide 3
Boyd, Fulton 1	Leiper, Edith 2	Wetherill, Frederick 2
Brewster, Mary 1	Liberg, Carl 4	Whittaker, John 5
Brunt, Thomas 2	Liggett, Louise 3	Whittaker, Philip 3
Buchenhorst, Harriett 5	Lightcap, Mary 5	Wild, Ronald 1
Cassard, Louise 1	Lightcop, Norman 5	Williams, Aubry 3
Cheston, Annette 2	Mathers, Mildred 5	Williams, Ernest 4
Churchman, Beatrice 2	McEvers, Mary 2	Wilmot, Margaret 4
Churchman, Marian 3	McKoy, Thomas 1	Wilmot, William 3
Clement, Gregory 1	McNamee, Joseph 2	Wistar, Emlen 3
Clement, John 1	Meryweather, Mary 5	Wright, Frances 4
Cook, Virginia 1	Meryweather, Virginia 4	Wright, Stephen 2
Craig, Jack 3	Millman, Janet 2	Wrigley, Arthur 2
Dickinson, Anne 3	Morrow, Robert 2	
Disston, Betty 2	Murray, William 3	
Disston, Diana 5	Napier, Arthur 2	
Disston, Effie 3	Newbold, Arthur 2	
Disston, Eliza 5	Nimon, Dorothy 5	
Disston, Jacob, 3d 5	Nimon, Mary 4	
Disston, Jessie 5	Parry, John 3	
Disston, Lucy 5	Parry, Richard 3	
Disston, Mary 4	Parry, Francis 4	
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Dunn, Jane 5	Pearson, Elizabeth 3	
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Getz, Henry 5	Randolph, Rachel 5	
Gilchrist, Edmund 4	Reath, Henry 5	
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Grant, Joseph 4	Robinson, Anne 4	
Grant, Nancy 3	Root, William 3	
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Hannan, Doris 4	Rust, Randolph 3	
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LENTEN SERVICES IN
MARCH

In addition to the daily services at 5 P. M. which take place each week day except Saturday, the Wednesday evening meetings will take place for two more times, March 6 and 13. The following are the subjects for these—"Prayer and the Goodness of God," "Hindrances and Difficulties."

The meeting of the children for work on Thursdays at 4.15 began with a fine group. This meeting is always followed by a service at 5. We should be glad to welcome all boys and girls in the parish whether or not they are members of the Church School.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER
DAY

Easter falls on March 31st this year, which means that Holy Week begins on Sunday, the 24th. A special card will appear later announcing more fully about the Mission and services in Holy Week and Easter Day. This will be mailed to every member of the parish.

CALENDAR
March

- 3—3rd Sunday in Lent.
- 10—4th Sunday in Lent.
- 17—5th (Passion Sunday in Lent.
- 24—6th (Palm) Sunday in Lent.
- 25—Monday before Easter.
- 26—Tuesday before Easter.
- 27—Wednesday before Easter.
- 28—Maundy Thursday.
- 29—Good Friday.
- 30—Easter Even.
- 31—Easter Day.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY

The meetings continue as usual on Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock in the Parish House. During Lent, however, the members first attend the service at 8.15 and sew for an hour afterwards. The garments now being made are for The House of the Holy Child, West Philadelphia,—all Diocesan work. We would remind our friends that again we hope to send several barrels of warm clothing to Dr. Grenfell's Mission later in the season and we will be most grateful for anything they can give towards the same.

New members are always welcome and to the new members of the Parish we extend a most cordial invitation to join us on Wednesday evenings and have a "cup of tea."

—C. P. Pepper (for the Secy.)

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THE RECTOR'S COLUMN

Lent and Eastertide do as much!

The Season of Lent just past has been remarkable by reason of the Preaching Mission which Bishop Strider carried on among us. The Mission was well attended. We had in the congregation an average of more than 130 a night. Many people have spoken of the help they received from it. Some members of the community not connected with St. Paul's have been brought into touch with the Church. Another confirmation class is to be prepared and presented this spring. Its members have in part at least been influenced by the Mission. Our Easter congregations were never so large. These results are all good. They testify to a heightened "spiritual temperature."

Some one may ask what we plan by way of "following-up" the Mission. The answer is, "To try to enter into our regular parish work and worship a little more devotedly and intelligently than ever before." Certainly no special activity will be initiated. What each of us needs is to learn how to love Christ more dearly and to follow Him more nearly. If the Preaching Mission has helped us to do these things, it has been a great occasion in our spiritual pilgrimage. May every

SUMMER CONFERENCES

If there is one factor which has quickened the conscience of the Church of late years more than another, it is the Summer Conferences. Our Church has only lately become active along this line with a result that it has availed itself of the mistakes of others. Most of our Church Conferences are carried on with great intelligence. The faculties are chosen with considerable discretion, as a result of which they have grown in popularity and reputation.

The two best Conferences are probably the one held at Wellesley, Mass., June 24 to July 5, and that at Frederick, Md., the Blue Mountain Conference, July 8 to 19. It is these that will make the strongest appeal to the members of St. Paul's. We are mentioning them thus early in order that people may consider the dates in making their summer plans.

Of course the value of a summer conference consists not only in actual study, but also in meeting numbers of people who are trying to do the same work that we are. It is hoped that St. Paul's may have a considerable delegation both at Wellesley and at Frederick this year.

A PRAYER IN ADVANCING YEARS

O God, our Heavenly Father, whose gift is length of days, help us to make the noblest use of mind and body in advancing years.

According to our strength, apportion Thou our work. As Thou hast pardoned our transgressions, sift the ingatherings of our memory that evil may grow dim and good may shine forth clearly.

We bless Thee for Thy gifts, and especially for Thy presence, and the love of friends in heaven and earth. Grant us new ties of friendship, new opportunities of service, joy in the growth and happiness of children, sympathy with those who bear the burdens of the world, clear thought and quiet faith.

Teach us to bear infirmities with cheerful patience. Keep us from narrow pride in outgrown ways, from blind eyes that will not see the good of change, impatience judgments of the methods and experiments of others. Let Thy peace rule our spirits through all the trial of our waning powers. Take from us all fear of death, and all despair or undue love of life, that with glad hearts at rest in Thee, we may await Thy will concerning us: through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

NEW CHURCH

By the date of issue of the Leaflet a considerable portion of

the interior scaffold will have been removed, enabling us to get a very good idea of what the finished Church will look like. The Church is open on Sunday mornings with a view to conveniencing all those who desire to visit it.

The finishing of the structure now involves only the installation of the woodwork in the chancel, the organ, the cork and slate on the floor, the making and installing of the lighting fixtures and the windows. This work certainly should be done within the coming month.

We therefore feel fairly confident in planning to have our opening service on Whitsunday, May 19th.

SPRING CONFIRMATION

A confirmation class is being started on Sunday, April 7th, at 5.30 in the Parish House to prepare three or four people who have asked to be presented at this season. The Rector will gladly present any, especially adults, who would like to take advantage of this opportunity. If you are interested, come to the first meeting.

FOR SALE

Six-room house for sale. Convenient to Pennsylvania Railroad and Germantown Avenue. For further information, call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR MARCH

PUPILS

Adamson, Billy 3	Kane, Warren 1	Thompson, Hugh 5
Adamson, Talbot 4	Kurtz, John 2	Thompson, Isabella 2
Anderson, Billy 2	Lavelle, Helene 6	Thompson, John 4
Ayton, Elizabeth 6	Lavelle, Richard 6	Thompson, William 3
Ayton, George 6	Lavelle, Robert 5	Thompson, Rolland 4
Ayton, Henry 6	LeBrun, Gladys 4	Uhle, Omer 2
Binford, Franklin 4	LeBrun, Marian 3	Van Anglen, Eric 4
Birckhead, Francesca 4	Leiper, Edith 3	Van Anglen, Robert 4
Bishop, Mary 3	Lightcap, Mary 6	Van Anglen, Walter 4
Blair, Edgar 6	Lightcap, Norman 6	Ward, Adelaide 4
Blair, Virginia 2	Manning, Joseph 1	Ward, Richard 6
Blair, Thomas 6	Mathers, Mildred 6	Wesles, Arthur 3
Boyd, Dorothy 2	Mathews, Jack 1	West, Thomas 1
Boyd, Fulton 2	McIlhenny, Alan 5	Wetherill, Isabel 2
Brewster, Betty 3	McIlhenny, Louise 4	Whittaker, John 6
Brewster, Mary 2	McKoy, Thomas 2	Whittaker, Philip 4
Bromley, Janet 1	McNamee, Joseph 3	Wild, Ronald 2
Brunt, Lucinda 4	Meckley, Richard 1	Williams, Aubrey 4
Buchenhorst, Harriet 6	Meehan, Thomas 2	Williams, Ernest 5
Cheston, Robert 1	Merryweather, Mary 6	Wilmot, Margaret 5
Dale, Robert 2	Merryweather, Virginia, 5	Wilmot, Nellie 4
Dickinson, Anne 3	Messenger, Frances 4	Wilmot, Robert 4
Disston, Diana 6	Moffley, Edward 3	Wilmot, William 4
Disston, Effie 4	Murray, William 4	Wistar, Cresson 2
Disston, Eliza 6	Newbold, Anna 2	Wistar, Emlen 5
Disston, Jacob 3rd 6	Newbold, Arthur 3	Wright, Frances 5
Disston, Jessie 6	Newbold, Sewell 3	Wright, Stephen 3
Disston, Mary 5	Newhall, Barbara 3	Wrigley, Arthur 3
Disston, Sally 6	Newhall, John 3	
Disston, Sophie 3	Newhall, Paul 4	
Ellison, Mary 6	Nimon, Dorothy 6	
Fisher, Sally 6	Nimon, Mary 5	
Getz, Henry 6	Parry, John 4	
Gibb, James 2	Parry, Richard 4	
Gilchrist, Edmund 5	Parry, Francis 5	
Glassey, Betty 5	Pastorius, Francis 2	
Glassey, Evelyn 6	Peabody, Endicott 5	
Glassey, George 2	Peabody, George 4	
Glassey, Patty 2	Peabody, Mary 4	
Grant, Joseph 5	Pearson, Harry 4	
Grant, Nancy 4	Pearson, Stanley 6	
Haag, Betty 4	Pearson, Stephen 6	
Hannan, Doris 5	Randolph, David 3	
Harrison, Suzanne 1	Randolph, Rachel 6	
Hay, Duncan 5	Reath, Henry 6	
Hay, Ethel 5	Reath, Thomas 6	
Hay, Peter 5	Redhouse, Russell 6	
Hay, Stephen 1	Robinson, Anne 5	
Hay, William 5	Root, William 4	
Henderson, Edith 6	Roth, Mary 5	
Henderson, Mortland 4	Rust, Randolph 4	
Henderson, Ruth 1	Shantz, Irma 2	
Holland, Alice 3	Shuman, Frank 4	
Howe, Arthur 2	Stewart, John 1	
Huggins, John 3	Stone, James 2	
Huggins, Joseph 6	Strong, Sally 2	
Johnson, Kitty 1	Swain, Helen 4	
Jones, Cintra 5	Tatman, Paul 3	
Kane, Robert 3	Thompson, George 4	

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Ritter, Miss 3
Rust, Miss O. 5
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Weill, Miss L. 3
Willing, Mrs. 4
Wistar, Mrs. C. C. 5

THE "TWO NEEDY CASES"

The response to the appeal for the "Two Needy Cases" has been admirable. A number of people have given money and clothing. The appreciation of the Family Society has been quite touching. With its reduced budget, the Society has been put to it to care for their dependents. Our contributions came at a moment when they were particularly hard up. I wish to thank the Parish very much for this generous response.

M. E. P.

THANKS TO THE GERMAN-TOWN TRUST COMPANY

In order to make payments to our contractors for the New Church building a loan has been made of a rather large sum of money from the Germantown Trust Co. The conditions of the loan are so favorable, however, that we wish to take this occasion to express publicly our appreciation for the considerable service they have done us.

EASTER STATISTICS

The offering for the Parish Endowment for Easter Day amounted to \$1,226.90. Approximately 1400 people attended Church on this day. 622 made their Communion.

The offertory for the Jerusalem and the East Mission on Good Friday was \$145.62.

KALENDAR

April

- 1—Easter Monday.
- 2—Easter Tuesday.
- 7—1st Sunday after Easter.
- 8—Annunciation.
- 14—2nd Sunday after Easter.
- 21—3rd Sunday after Easter.
- 25—S. Mark, Evangelist.
- 28—4th Sunday after Easter.

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John Laurence Cornog, Jr.
June Sue Wilson

Marriages

Felix M. Green and Katherine L. Chestnut.

Confirmation

Lewis Paul Tatman.

A PRAYER

These are the gifts I ask of thee,
Spirit serene,—
Strength for the daily task;
Courage to face the road;
Good cheer to help me bear the
traveler's load;
And for the hours of rest that
come between.
An inward joy in all things heard
and seen.
These are the sins I fain would
have thee take away,—
Malice and cold disdain;
Hot anger, sullen hate;
Scorn of the lowly, envy of the
great;
And discontent that casts a
shadow gray
On all brightness of a common
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RECTOR'S COLUMN

This New Church of Ours

There is a saying in one of the capitals of Europe that the American Church is still in the "brick and mortar" stage of development. The saying is so true that it might well be expanded to extend over our whole civilization. We Americans have not yet got beyond the point when we feel that with a building put up, the end for which it is designed has also been accomplished. When we make a law we imagine that the evil it is meant to end is thereby destroyed.

A characteristic of somewhat older civilizations and of maturer people alike is their query in the face of a new and beautiful building or fresh equipment of any sort, "What are you going to use it for?" Such a query faces us to-day.

The splendid enthusiasm that has built our New Church and gone so far towards paying for it may now address itself to the great question of the use to which we shall put it. Our success will depend upon the consecrated intelligence that we continue to bring to its solution as the years go by.

One idea suggests itself at this time, however, which, if put into practice throughout the parish, will help us feel increasingly the Presence of Him whose House we have built. It is this—that we try to make a habit of "dropping in to the

Church" for a word of prayer whenever we go by. The doors will be open all day. We plan, too, to have a light ever shining upon the altar. This will give the feeling of life, and encourage thought and attention.

The practice will prove of the greatest personal help to those who adopt it. But in addition to this, the fact of such constant prayer will be felt by everybody, and promote perhaps more than will any other single influence the work of bringing God and men together. For this the Church exists. Failing success in this the presence of a building however glorious will prove to be but a monument of "bricks and mortar."

THE NEW CHURCH

Financial Report

The financial standing of the New Church is good. We expect to put up the building, furnish it, and clear up the grounds for \$550,000, which is the amount of money we looked forward to spending. Toward this amount there was pledged \$404,000 at the end of our campaign last year. By April 30th \$300,000 had been paid up. We still need to raise \$150,000, therefore, with carrying charges for financing in addition. This will make a total of \$170,000 as the objective of our coming appeal.

In order to reduce the amount which must be borrowed to the lowest figure possible, we have written to those not yet paid up announcing our condition and asking them if they will and conveniently can assist the situation by making advance payments. Virtually all pledges are paid up to date. This is a most unusually favorable condition both as to amount subscribed and amount paid and shows the enthusiastic backing which the parish has given to the whole project.

Plans for Appeal for Further Funds

We have already started in an informal way to raise the \$170,000 above referred to. A general appeal will be made early in June when all members of the parish will again be approached. Meantime we are preparing a booklet describing various memorials which may be given, consisting chiefly of things already incorporated in the building itself. In a Church which is likely to be so permanent such objects as sedilia, choir stalls, altar and reredos are likely to be memorials of a sort that will attract attention both because of their intrinsic worth and probable permanence.

PRAYER FOR THE NEW CHURCH

O Almighty God, who through the preaching of Thy blessed apostle St. Paul, hast caused the light of the Gospel to shine throughout the world, grant we beseech Thee that the New Church to be called by his name may set forth the joyful vigor of his faith, and so rekindle in us a deeper devotion to Thy Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

CHINA FAMINE RELIEF

The total amount received for the China Famine Relief Fund from members of this parish was \$584.66.

NEAR EAST RELIEF

The National Council of our Church has circularized all parishes urging a concerted appeal for the Near East Relief on Sunday, the 12th of May. The facts seem to warrant our enthusiastic cooperation.

For nearly ten years the American people have been caring for the children orphaned and made refugee by the fighting in Asia Minor that followed in the wake of the Great War. Many thousands of these children have been saved for lives of usefulness. The N. E. R. has taught them trades and many are now earning their own living. At the end of another year the remaining 32,000 children can be put on their own and the work will be completed.

This is the last appeal which is being made for this great charity. The campaign will end on June 30th and no further appeals will be made. Here is an opportunity to finish a work which has been ably carried on and generously supported. It will be a satisfaction to all who give to feel that they have had a hand in such a splendid piece of work.

Contributions may be made on Sunday, May 12th, in the offering plate or sent direct to the Near East Relief, or to the rector.

SERVICES ON WHITSUNDAY, MAY 19th

In the Parish House
8.00 Holy Communion
9.30 Church School Service
In the New Church
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The Woman's Friendly Society will hold a Strawberry Festival on Wednesday, June 5th, from 3 to 7 P. M. at the residence of Miss Mary E. Hebard on Norwood Avenue. In case of rain it will take place in the Parish House. We hope our friends will come and help us to make it a success. There will be home-made cake, candy and ice cream, and a table of useful articles.

The Society hopes to send several barrels of warm clothing to Dr. Grenfell's Mission again this year and will be most grateful for any articles for the same. They may be sent to the Parish House up to the last week in May marked for Dr. Grenfell.

The Woman's Friendly meetings will close on Wednesday, June 12th, for the season. We heartily thank our friends for their many kindnesses in helping us to carry on this work.

C. P. PEPPER
(For the Secretary)

FOUND—In collection of April 7 an old Spanish coin, evidently a pocket piece. The owner may claim same by communicating with the Accounting Warden.

Announcing the opening of the Stewart Domestic Employment Agency, 5620 McMahon Ave., E. Cheltenham Ave., Germantown.

On Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays in May from 11 to 1 and from 3 to 5.30 o'clock Mrs. Philip Oudry Davis, of 41 West Gravers Lane, will be glad to show anyone a number of Tenaflly Weavers hand-woven skirts, dress materials, luncheon sets, bags, evening shawls, baby blankets, couch-throws, etc. Appointments can be made to see them at other times by calling Chestnut Hill 2709.

A LETTER FROM BISHOP STRIDER

Wheeling, W. Va., April 17, 1929
My dear Peabody:

Many, many thanks indeed for your cordial letter and the generous offering which reached me a few days ago. I think the offering was splendid and I appreciate it from my heart. We are hoping to erect a building soon at the West Virginia University through which to do Church-work among the students who come from every section of our state, and I am designating your offering as the first contribution to that worthy missionary cause.

You gave me a happy week and I do not know how to thank you. . . .
With every good wish,

Gratefully and faithfully yours,
R. E. L. STRIDER

KALENDAR

1. SS. Philip and James.
5. 5th Sunday after Easter.
9. Ascension Day.
12. Sunday after Ascension.
19. Whitsunday.
20. Whitsun Monday.
21. Whitsun Tuesday.
26. Trinity Sunday.

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Barbara Fay Brakeley
Carryl Barton Brewster.
Arthur Whitney Howe, III
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William Thompson	Henry Aytton
Norman Lightcap	Crofton Thompson
Richard Lavelle	Henry Getz
Ernest Williams	Richard Ward
Carl Liberg	LeRoy Waters
Richard Neal	Thomas Heaton
Ronald Wild	Harvey Scheetz
Omar Uhle	Endicott Peabody
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Thomas Morrow	John Matthews

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Wilmot, Samuel Wilmot, Lloyd Mitch-

ener, Robert Kurtz

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Training Class

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Wednesdays at 4.15 P. M.

Fridays at 4.15 P. M.

Saint Paul's Leaflet

"WHAT WILT THOU HAVE ME TO DO?"

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

Almost the best thing that happened on our opening day at the New Church was the following telegram received from the Rev. Patrick Leonard, the Toc H padre, who has preached to us and been with us on several other occasions this winter:

"All joyful and triumphant blessings on your festival. The New Church is wonderful and all glorious within, may the King ever delight in it, and match the Beauty of your handiwork with the Beauty of His holiness and the wonder of His works."

No comment can add anything to this message. It perfectly fulfills the situation.

SUMMER HOLIDAYS

It is an odd fact that in the minds of so many people Winter, Work and Church are associated thoughts, while Summer, Holidays, and Absence from Church compose the corresponding combination. This may be partly due to the fact that absence from home tends to break up the church-going habit. The out-of-doors beckons charmingly, too, of a Sunday morning.

Let us bear in mind two facts on this point which seem pertinent: (1) the *greater* need of worship at a time when we are concerned with enjoying ourselves. Let God be the Companion of our play as well as of our work. (2) Most of our Churches hold a Communion service at 8 o'clock on Sunday morning. If we plan to go off for the day, this service affords us the opportunity

to be with God and to take Him with us wherever we may go.

This after all is the purpose of the Christian, *being with God*. It is by the disciplined life of prayer and of Church worship that we gradually acquire a sense of That Presence. In making the effort to get to Church or in making a new church habit our holidays may, therefore, instead of composing a spiritual vacuum supply spiritual opportunity.

UNION SERVICES

St. Paul's will again take part in the Union Services held by the various churches on Chestnut Hill during the summer months. This is an opportunity to worship with our brethren which comes altogether too infrequently. Let us visit their churches and be sure that when they come to St. Paul's they will receive a warm welcome. The dates and places of meeting follow:

June 23.	1st Presbyterian Church.
June 30	Meth. Episcopal Church.
July 7	St. Paul's Church.
July 14	Baptist Church.
July 21	Trinity Presbyterian.
July 28	Lutheran
August 4	1st Presbyterian
August 11	Methodist Episcopal
August 18	St. Paul's
August 25	Baptist
September 1	Trinity Presbyterian
September 8	Lutheran

SUMMER SERVICES

The services during the month of June will be as usual with the exception of the Sunday evening service which will be omitted.

After July 1st there will be no more weekday services until October but the three regular Sunday services at 8, 9.30 and 11 will be held as usual.

The Rector will be in residence here until Monday, July 8th, after which the Rev. H. W. Gernand, who supplied here so successfully a few years ago, will be in charge. He will live in the rectory and besides taking the Sunday services during July will be on call for all who want him.

Mr. Birkhead will return from his vacation on the 3rd of August and except for the week when he is at camp with the Woodcraft League boys will be available at his house as usual.

A PRAYER FOR VACATIONS

Loving Father, who didst make this earth so fair. Open our eyes to see its wonders and our hearts to feel its beauty. In our days of refreshment and recreation draw us nearer to Thee through the things which Thou hast made. May the joy of Thy sunshine, the quiet of Thy forests, the murmur of Thy streams and the steadfast strength of Thine everlasting hills, teach us the deep secret of Thy Peace. Calm our fretful spirits. Deepen the current of our shallow lives. Renew in us faith and courage, physical strength and spiritual vision, that we may know ourselves to be safely held in Thy strong hands, and may joyfully conform our lives to Thy great purposes.

From this life, so near to Nature's heart, may we drink in new strength to help us reach the restless hearts of men. Give us Thy secret, and the power to share it with our fellows; that we may go back to the world and its duties, stronger, simpler, sweeter; and may thus become more worthy messengers of Him who saw His Father's goodness in the sparrow's flight, and His Father's love in the beauty which clothes the lil-

ies of the field. We ask it for His dear sake. Amen.

"WOODBINE WILLIE"

In March of this year there died one of the great prophetic figures of our day, the Rev. G. A. Studdert Kennedy, whose poems and books and sermons have been, since the War, a help and inspiration to the English-speaking world.

He left behind a wife and three children and an income of 150 pounds a year for their support. Offers of help for education have been received but the two younger boys, aged 7 and 2 years, will be entirely dependent upon the mother for several years to come. Efforts are being made in England in which many of us in this country will want to take part to help out this situation. The aim is to raise 7000 pounds, which, set aside as capital, together with the value of his life policies, will produce an income of 500 pounds a year.

Col. Arthur Woods, 61 Broadway, New York, is the treasurer of the Studdert-Kennedy Memorial Fund in this country and checks may be sent to him direct or to the rector who will gladly forward them.

Some will feel that Studdert Kennedy did wrong in failing to provide for his family, but his love for the needy and all in distress led him to give away all his income apart from the bare necessities. Of course his "mistake" is obvious. But would that we had more prophets and saints like him with their mistakes!

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Nearing our summer closing there is a sense of satisfaction in feeling that through co-operation and understanding the Society grows stronger as it grows older and so is able to accomplish some things that are worth while.

Since the meetings began last

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

MAY

Aitken, Theodore 2
Allen, Camilla 4
Allen, Herrick 1
Allen, Peggy 5
Ayton, Elizabeth 8
Ayton, George 8
Ayton, Henry 8
Buiford, Franklin 6
Blair, Edgar 8
Blair, Virginia 4
Blair, Thomas 8
Boyd, Eleanor 3
Boyd, Nancy 5
Brewster, Mary 4
Brunt, Thomas 4
Brunt, Lucinda 6
Buckenhurst, Harriet 8
Cheston, Annette 3
Craig, Jack 4
Disston, Betty 3
Disston, Diana 8
Disston, Effie 5
Disston, Eliza 8
Disston, Jacob 8
Disston, Lucy 7
Disston, Mary 6
Disston, Sally 8
Disston, Sophie 4
Disston, William 4
Dodge, Cornelia 1
Dodge, Esther 1
Dunn, Jane 6
Ellison, Mary 8
Fleu, Conyers 1
Fulton, Boyd 4
Getz, Henry 8
Gilchrist, Edgar 5
Glassey, Evelyn 7
Hart, Edward 2
Harrisson, Suzanne 2
Hay, Duncan 7
Hay, Ethel 7
Hay, Peter 7
Hay, Stephen 3
Hay, William 6
Heaton, Thomas 3
Henderson, Edith 8
Henderson, Mortland 6
Henderson, Ruth 2
Huggins, Joseph 8
Huggins, Margaret 4
Jones, Cintra 7

Kane, Robert 5
Lavelle, Helene 8
Lavelle, Richard 8
Lavelle, Robert 7
Lawson, David 3
LeBrun, Gladys 5
LeBrun, Marion 4
Liberg, Carl 5
Liggett, Louise 4
Lightcap, Mary 8
Lightcap, Norman 8
Little, Marguerite 1
Mathers, Mildred 8
Mathews, Jack 2
Matlack, Ralph 1
McEvers, Mary 4
McIlhenny, Alan 6
McKoy, Thomas 3
Merryweather, Juliana 5
Merryweather, Mary 8
Messenger, Frances 5
Millman, Janet 3
Morrow, Robert 3
Newbold, Anna 3
Newbold, Arthur 6
Newbold, Sewell 4
Newhall, John 5
Newhall, Paul 6
Nimon, Dorothy 8
Nimon, Mary 7
Oppenlander, Betty 4
Peabody, Endicott 7
Peabody, George 6
Pearson, Elizabeth 5
Pearson, Harry 5
Pearson, Stanley 8
Pearson, Stephen 8
Pemberton, Priscilla 4
Randolph, Rachel 8
Reath, Henry 8
Reath, Thomas 8
Redhouse, Russell 8
Robinson, Nancy 8
Root, Stanley 5
Roeth, Walter 4
Shantz, Betty 6
Shantz, Irma 3
Sheetz, Harvey 1
Shuman, Frank 6
Stem, William 4
Stone, Katherine 4
Strong, Virginia 2

Thompson, George 5
Thompson, Gordon 2
Thompson, Isabella 4
Thompson, John 6
Uhle, Omer 4
Van Englen, Eric 6
Van Englen, Robert 6
Ward, Adelaide 6
Ward, Richard 8
Wetherill, Isabel 3
Whittacker, John 8
Williams, Audrey 6
Williams, Betty 2
Williams, Ernest 7
Williams, Nita 3
Wilmot, Margaret 7
Wilmot, Nellie 6
Wilmot, Robert 6
Wilmot, William 6
Wistar, Cresson 3
Wrigley, Arthur 4

FACULTY

Birkhead, Rev. M. H. 7
Cheston, Miss C. 4
Cheston, Miss L. 6
Clay, Mrs. E. B. 6
Dashiell, Mrs. P. T. 7
Disston, Mrs. J. S., Jr. 6
Douglas, Miss E. 4
Dunbar, Mr. S. O. 7
Earle, Miss M. 4
Grant, Mrs. F. 5
Harraden, Miss A. C. 8
Hay, Mr. E. N. 7
Hay, Mrs. E. N. 7
Judd, Mr. 8
Merryweather, Miss D.D. 2
Minchin, Mr. 4
Moore, Mr. R. 8
Nalle, Mrs. R. 2
Peabody, Rev. M. E. 7
Peabody, Mrs. M. E. 7
Redhouse, Mr. H. 8
Ritter, Miss 5
Rust, Miss A. 7
Shuman, Miss H. 5
Starr, Mr. I. 6
Weill, Miss L. 5
Williamson, Miss 2
Willing, Mrs. 6
Wistar, Mrs. C. C. 7

WHO WILL HELP A COLORED CRIPPLED BOY?

Out at the House of St. Michael and All Angels, 607 N. 43rd St., a boy of 14 years is badly in need of a new pair of legs which will cost \$250.00. It seems wise to make them of airplane metal which lasts much longer and makes the arti-

ficial limbs about 20 pounds lighter than materials used for this purpose in the past. At present the boy has to go about on his stumps until he can get his new legs. If anyone cares to give towards this fund, contributions may be sent to Mrs. David Pepper, Roumfort Inn, Mt. Airy.

October much sewing has been done on Diocesan work which was designated for the City Mission and for the House of the Holy Child. Several of our members visited the Church House on May 1st and were much impressed with this great work and glad to have a part in it. At present garments are being made for the crippled children of St. Michael's Home.

A Strawberry Festival and Sale held at the home of Miss Hebard, Norwood Avenue, on May 29th, realized about \$200, which will be used for many summer needs of our interest.

The Society is sincerely grateful for the many generous donations and for the unstinted support in various ways, and to all who sent the warm useful clothing for the Labrador Mission Barrel.

The last business meeting of this season was held on June 5th.

CATHERINE MCKELVEY, SES.

FLOWER MISSION

The Flower Mission will continue as usual this season. The amount of joy brought by a small bunch of flowers to a city flat is out of all proportion to the effort we put into raising them and delivering them there. Surely this is one of the most rewarding kinds of service.

The members of the Parish have been most generous, regular and prompt in their delivery of flowers on Wednesday mornings before 10 o'clock and in the loan of their cars for delivery. The work will again be in charge this summer of Mrs. B. F. Pepper, Jr., and Mrs. Henry S. Jeanes, Jr., who so efficiently carried it on last year.

We shall begin the Mission on Wednesday, June 12th. Let us have an especially successful day to start off with.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Commencement Day for the

Church School falls on June 9th this year. There will be no teaching sessions during the summer but at 9.30 every Sunday morning the regular service will be held for the boys and girls of the parish and for all others who wish to attend.

In the case of pupils who failed to be promoted an opportunity will be given to make up the work which they have missed or failed to qualify in. If a child's name is not on the printed list of promotions to the next grade, the parents can help very much by looking up the teacher of the one concerned and securing from her the program of work to be done.

A reading list is being distributed among the pupils suggesting a few verses from the Bible to be read each day during the summer. Here is an opportunity for children to contract the habit of daily Bible reading that will stand them in good stead in the years that lie ahead. It is also an encouragement to those families who wish to hold daily family prayers. The plan was tried last summer with considerable success.

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Baptisms

Sylvia Bell
David Albert Elgin
Dian Vickerman

Marriages

Lewis Miller Stevens and Elizabeth Morgan

Burials

William J. Haines

CALENDAR

June

2 1st Sunday after Trinity
9 2nd Sunday after Trinity
11 S. Barnabas
16 3rd Sunday after Trinity
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Richard Laveite	Isaac Currier
Ernes; Williams	Mortland Henderson
Ronald Wild	Robert Morrow
Omar Uhle	Harry West
Fred Ashby	William Wilmot
Thomas Morrow	Harry Ashenfelder
Henry Ayton	James Gibb
Crofton Thompson	P. Duffy
Henry Getz	Ralph Matlack
Richard Ward	Robert Lavelle
LeRoy Waters	J Brown
Thomas Heaton	Robert Rigor
Harvey Scheetz	Walter Dickinson
Endicott Peabody	David Lawson
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John Stawart	Andrew Braun

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

A Long Record of Service

Mr. Isaac Starr has been Accounting Warden of this parish for twenty-nine years, during the first fourteen of which he was also Secretary of the Vestry. On October 1st he resigned his office. He will, of course, continue as a member of the Vestry.

This is a fine record of long-continued service. Mr. Starr as Accounting Warden has seen the parish through years of expansion and growth. Nor has the growth been simply numerical. The Church during this period has finished one cycle of thought and entered another. Today she is devoting her attention to the spiritual functions which most concern her—Religious Education, Worship, work with individuals, and the spreading of the Gospel. This has resulted at St. Paul's in the construction of a first-rate equipment, in additions to the staff, and in greatly increased activity. The resulting need for funds has brought forth most generous support, but the proper care of all this money has infinitely added to the task of the Accounting Warden. Mr. Starr has carried on the work throughout the years with the care that such a task requires, but he has also brought to it an enthusiasm for the cause which has exalted this task to a religious function, which, indeed, it properly is.

As we thank him for the years of labor which he has so cheerfully given, we shall want especially to tell him that the most valuable feature of his contribution has been his steady consciousness of the cause in which he was enlisted and the Master whom he served.

Rector's Office Hours

I shall keep office hours in the Parish House on Tuesday from 2 to 3 and from 5 to 7 every week. If there is anyone who wants to see me and finds it inconvenient to come at either of these times, the Parish Secretary will gladly make an engagement for me if she is called at C. H. 0359.

I may be found in the small office on the ground floor of the New Parish House Wing. Will those who come kindly enter by the front door of the Parish House?



The Story of the East Windows

The beauty of the East Window group in our New Church speaks for itself. The story that it tells, owing to the distance from the eye, is not so clear.

Each window is made up of various medallions set in a background of blue glass. The story which they gradually reveal is that of Saul's Preparation for his conversion. It is done in thirteen steps, beginning with:

1. The upper medallion in the left hand window. Saul learns tent making as a youth.
2. The lower one shows him a student at the Greek university in Tarsus.
3. In the upper medallion of the right-hand window Saul is seen at the feet of Gamaliel, the great Jewish Teacher of Jerusalem.
4. In the lower one he is seen trying to teach religion based upon the Jewish Law.
5. In the lowest right-hand medallion of the centre window St. Stephen is preaching the Christian Gospel.
6. At the left he is being denounced by Saul.
7. In the centre they are stoning him to death.
8. In the middle section at the left

Saul is actively persecuting the Christians.

9. At the right he is applying for letters that will enable him to spread abroad the torch.
10. In the centre he sits in contemplation before Damascus, at the end of his journey.
11. In the centre medallion of the top row comes the lightning from Heaven and the conversion.
12. At the left Paul is visited by Ananias and his sight restored.
13. Finally, at the right, he himself is seen preaching the Gospel.

Above, in the centre, appears our Lord in glory—up to Him Paul is gazing beyond the lightning, and Stephen beyond his murderers. His face constitutes the point upon which the whole group focuses.

In the tracery above the medallions there will be found in the left window the arms of the diocese, in the right those of the parish. Finally, in the little section at the top of the central window, above all the little angels' heads, is the figure of a Ship, an ancient Christian symbol, signifying the Church in which all may be saved.

These windows are the gift of Mrs. Francis I. Gowen and her children in memory of Francis I. Gowen.

The Problem of Acoustics

In a building which is in so many respects successful, it is a pity that the acoustics as regards music are not yet satisfactory. The Building Committee having investigated, believes that this matter can be rectified and is already taking steps to replace the sound-absorbing material in part of the ceiling with a harder substance. This does not involve an elaborate reconstruction nor heavy expense. It can probably be carried out, too, pretty promptly. When accomplished, the harder substance in the ceiling will undoubtedly supply the resonance now lacking and enable us to not only hear the organ and the choir better, but to hear the results of our own personal efforts. We shall sing bet-

ter and more heartily if we each feel our own voices supported by a chorus of song.

The New Accounting Warden

On October 1st Mr. Joshua Ash Pearson was elected Accounting Warden of the parish. We greet him gladly in this office. A worthy successor of Mr. Starr, he comes to us not only with a wealth of business experience, but with many years behind him of service to the Boys' Club of Germantown, the Welfare Federation, and many another charity. The parish is fortunate indeed to secure a man of such financial and spiritual qualifications to handle its material resources.

All Regular Services to Recommence

Service on Sunday evenings will begin on October 6th and be held at 7:45 P. M. as usual.

Week day services will consist of the regular celebration of the Holy Communion at 7:30 and 10 o'clock on Thursdays and Morning Prayer and Litany at 10 o'clock on Friday. Holy Communion will also be celebrated at 7:30 o'clock on Saints' days.

The Church School

Our school, which opens on October 6th at 9:30 A. M., will have 48 teachers and officers, a larger number than ever before. This is due to a demand on the part of parents and pupils in the parish for a larger Church School and one that is more efficiently handled than formerly—which is as it should be, for perhaps the first function of the Church is the nurture and training of children in religion.

While regretting the loss of our Director of last year, Mrs. Brown, we nevertheless look forward in the coming season to the management of the school by an Executive Committee, of which Miss Margaret Earle is chairman, and of which every member has through several years of experience attained to a

valuable knowledge of the work. With the fine group of teachers who have volunteered and the excellent equipment which has now been provided, the school may well look forward to a year of accomplishment and adventure in this vital and ever-expanding field. Despite the loss of our Director, the added responsibility which every teacher and officer feels is the most promising feature in a situation that for every reason looks bright.

Confirmation Class

The first meeting of the new Confirmation Class will take place on Sunday, October 13th, at 5 o'clock, in the Parish House.

Confirmation is the normal step that is taken by one growing up in the Church. It does not mean "joining" the Church, but rather entering into the responsibilities that full membership entails. We, therefore, urge all boys and girls to take this step by the time they are fifteen years old, if not earlier.

The opinion is growing, however, that confirmation at an earlier age, such as twelve or even eleven, has the advantage of enabling the child to start religious habits early in life, a time when they are most easily formed and kept.

In the announcement of the opening of the class, while we hope that a number of adults may be moved to join it, and while we expect the larger number to be fourteen to fifteen years of age, we shall not discourage those who are younger from coming forward if they and their parents genuinely wish it.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Painter announces the reopening of her Music Studio October 1st. Classes in Theory now forming to prepare for Piano Lessons. Piano pupils will be received at any time. Early registration will insure a choice of hours.

34 W. Gravers Lane.

Phone C. H. 2434.

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WANTED—Man and wife; man to be house-man and chauffeur, wife for chamber work. Apply at C. H. 0170 before 10 A. M. on any morning.

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18. S. Luke, Evangelist
20. Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity
27. Twenty-second Sunday after Trinity
28. SS. Simon and Jude

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Cintra Morgan

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There are few departments of our activity that most of us know so little about as the Church's Program of Work. If we attend services in the Parish Church, we get familiar with the names of certain parochial institutions. But the great work of the Church lies beyond our ken. Out of good sporting spirit many of us contribute to it, taking the word of the clergyman that it is worth doing and well done. But we have almost no definite information beyond that.

The fault for this should probably be laid at the clergy's door quite as much as at the layman's. The fact however remains that the Church's great Program of Work languishes because we know so little about it. Yet *it is* our job to know about it, for it describes the work that we are doing by many means and in many places.

"The Church's Program of Work for 1929-1931" is a course book full of information. It is *not* "as exciting as a novel" to peruse, but it is brief and to the point. Copies of this publication may be purchased in the Church Porch. Were the members of St. Paul's to know its contents, the whole Church would reap the benefit of a parish membership which is alert to her great undertakings and enthusiastic in their promotion. Reading the booklet is a small task. Its results may be very considerable.

The New Prayer Book

Our late Presiding Bishop, just before his death, appointed the first Sunday in Advent as the day on which the New Prayer Book should be introduced throughout the Church. Copies are being ordered and the pews will be fully supplied on that date. We shall also have for sale in the porch, leather bound copies of the Prayer Book and combination Prayer Book and Hymnal sets.



Bishop of Winchester Coming

We are to have the distinction on Sunday, November 24th, of having the Rt. Rev. Frank Theodore Woods, D. D., of Winchester, preach to us. Bishop Woods is the visiting preacher from the Anglican Church to America this year. He has addressed many gatherings outside of the Church in addition to his preaching engagements, for the aim of his visit is to cement the friendship of the two nations.

Winchester, after London, is the senior diocese of the Anglican Church. It is at the present time occupied by one of the leaders of Anglicanism. May we all remember the date and give our visiting friend a hearty reception.



The Church School

During the first month of the new season it looks as if we were reaping some of the results of three years of hard work. A much larger number of teachers have

been secured than in former years, but many of them have classes that are too numerous. The attending membership of the school has suddenly jumped from 200 to 250. This is both satisfying and embarrassing.

In the absence of a Director of Religious Education this year we are carrying on to the best of our ability and with the very best spirit and hearty co-operation from all those involved in the work. We have good reason to be happy over the growing confidence that people seem to have in the Church's ability to teach religion, and we hope to carry on this year without greatly lowered efficiency. Such results as we have, however, have come since the advent of a Director and we look forward to the day when we can secure a new one to take advantage of the splendid situation which is now manifesting itself.

A Pamphlet Illustrating the New Church

Early in October a copy of a pamphlet, including a report and carrying illustrations of the New Church, was mailed to everyone in the Parish. Its aim was threefold: (1) to put in people's hands a first rate set of pictures, (2) to inform people concerning our present financial situation, (3) to advise them of the opportunities for giving further memorials.

In the Valley Forge church the choir and clergy stalls have all been donated as memorials. Inscriptions have been carved upon the panels above the seats carrying the family crest of the donor and the result is not only very handsome, but contributes greatly to the *personal* character of the church. A new church

is likely to be devoid of just that personal touch which makes one feel at home. Were parts of this church's fabric and furniture to be given as memorials they would without doubt contribute to the religious feeling of all who come to worship.

Should anyone wish an extra copy of this pamphlet, it may be obtained by applying at the Parish Office.

Thanksgiving Day

Upon the 28th of November Thanksgiving Day will fall this year. We shall hold the service of Holy Communion in the church at 7:30 and again at 10, accompanied by an address. In a year in which we have as individuals and as a parish received so much at God's hands, we shall especially want to thank Him. May we take advantage of this traditional day for doing so by coming to His House and expressing our thanks for His Goodness with all our hearts?

The Church of the Majority

"By far the largest and strongest portion of the Church is invisible. Its life is altogether hid with Christ in God. The good people of all time are a multitude which no man can number, occupied yonder in doing God's work without division of interests. Their relation to us is organic. They cannot live without sharing their life with us. We cannot move without touching them. As they love us, so they pray for us; as we love them, so we pray for them, for prayer is love melted into worship. Nothing retains to better advantage the lives of yesterday in the life of today

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR OCTOBER

PUPILS

Adamson, Billy
Adamson, Talbot
Allen, Camilla
Allen, Herrick
Anderson, Billy
Anderson, Robert
Ayton, Elizabeth
Ayton, George
Ayton, Henry
Binford, Franklin
Birkhead, Francesca
Birkhead, Olivia
Birkhead, Sally
Blair, Edgar
Blair, Virginia
Blair, Thomas
Boyd, Eleanor
Boyd, Nancy
Brannen, Helen
Brewster, Betty
Brewster, Mary
Brown, William
Brunt, Lucinda
Brunt, Thomas
Buckenhorst, Harriet
Clay, Edward
Clement, Gregory
Clement, John
Coleman, Eugenia
Craig, Jack
Currier, Isaac
Dale, Richard
Dale, Robert
Darrow, George
Dickinson, Anne
Disston, Jessie
Disston, Mary
Dodge, David
Dodge, Cornelia
Duffy, Albert
Earle, James
Eggleston, Betty
Eggleston, Thomas
Elgin, Robert
Ellison, Mary
Ellison, Thomas
Fassitt, John
Fleu, Conyers
German, Elizabeth
Getz, Henry
Glassey, Betty
Glassey, George
Glassey, Patty
Goodfellow, Thorp
Goodin, Gail
Goodin, Joan
Goodrich, Anne
Goodrich, Elizabeth
Grant, Francis
Grant, Joseph
Grant, Nancy
Hamilton, Alexander
Hannan, Doris

Harris, Mary
Hart, Edward
Hay, Duncan
Hay, Ethel
Hay, Peter
Hay, William
Heinith, Billy
Henderson, Edith
Henderson, Mortland
Henderson, Ruth
Holland, Alice
Holland, Harry
Howe, Arthur
Huggins, John
Huggins, Joseph
Huggins, Margaret
Jefferson, Edward
Johnson, Katherine
Jordan, Jane
Kane, Robert
Kulp, Betty
Kulp, Robert
Kurtz, John
Lavelle, Helene
Lavelle, Richard
Lavelle, Robert
Lawson, David
Leapson, Doris
Le Brun, Gladys
Lightcap, Norman
Little, Marguerite
Mathers, Mildred
Mathews, John
McIlhenny, Alan
McIlhenny, Louise
McNamee, Joseph
McNamee, Thelma
Mechan, Franklin
Meehan, Thomas
Meryweather, Juliana
Meryweather, Mary
Meryweather, Virginia
Messenger, Carl
Messenger, Francis
Millman, Janet
Moffley, Edward
Murphey, Evelyn
Murphey, Rhoads
Nalle, Dorothy
Nalle, Richard
Neal, Richard
Newhall, Paul
Newton, Richard
Nimon, Dorothy
Nimon, Evelyn
Oppenlander, Betty
Parry, Francis
Parry, John
Parry, Stephen
Peabody, Endicott
Peabody, Samuel
Pearson, Danny
Pearson, Stephen

Pervette, Donald
Randolph, David
Randolph, Rachel
Reath, Henry
Redhouse, Russell
Richards, Arthur
Shantz, Betty
Shantz, Irma
Smith, Helen
Stem, William
Strong, Sally
Swain, Helen
Thompson, Hugh
Thompson, Isabella
Thompson, John
Thompson, William
Thompson, Rolland
Uhle, Omer
Van Anglen, Eric
Van Anglen, Robert
Van Anglen, Walter
Ward, Adelaide
Ward, Richard
Wetherill, Cynthia
Whittaker, Philip
Williams, Brewster
Williams, Ernest
Wilmot, Margaret
Wilmot, Nellie
Wistar, Cresson
Wistar, Emlen
Wright, Minturn
Wright, Nancy
Wrigley, Arthur
Zimmerman, Teddy

FACULTY

Campbell, Mr. P.
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Hay, Mr. E. N.
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Manning, Mr. J. T., Jr.
Morgan, Mr. M. S.
Nalle, Mrs. P.
Peabody, Mrs. M. E.
Redhouse, Mr. H.
Ritter, Miss M.
Shuman, Miss H.
Starr, Mr. I.
Stevens, Mrs. L.
Stewart, Mr. R.
Williamson, Miss K.
Wistar, Mrs. C. C.
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than prayers for the departed. If to them our prayers were nothing more than a caress of love, who would dare withhold from them this devotion?

"O King of Paradise, where light abounds and life reigns, give to our dear ones who are with Thee a full share of Thy treasures, that they may always be white with Thy purity, tranquil with Thy peace, and glad with Thy joy. Let us live vividly in their present love as they live in ours, until the time of separation is past, and we are taken to the place whither they have gone before, there to dwell with them in the perfect fellowship that knows no end.

To that brightest of all meetings
Bring us, Jesus Christ, at last;
To Thy cross, through death and judgment,
Holding fast. Amen."

"With God in Prayer"—C. H. Brent.

A Prayer for Peace

O Blessed Jesus, Saviour of all mankind, at whose birth the night was filled with Heavenly radiance; lighten the thick darkness of the world, and the gloom of our miseries and fears; have compassion upon the peoples of the earth stumbling in confusion, and guide our feet into the way of peace; who art with the Father and the Holy Ghost One God, World without end. Amen.

ROOM FOR RENT—At 97 Bethlehem Pike. For further information kindly call C. H. 2660.

WORK WANTED—A woman would like work by the day. Will anyone desiring information kindly call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359?

HOUSE FOR RENT—A desirable residence belonging to St. Paul's Church and located at 87 Bethlehem Pike will be ready for occupancy on November 1st. The property is quite attractive with large living room, open fire-place, dining room, kitchen, laundry, etc., five bedrooms and two bathrooms. There is a large garden. The whole property is in first class condition. Kindly apply to Leonard W. Coleman, C. H. 1085, for further particulars.

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NOVEMBER

1. All Saint's Day
3. 23rd Sunday after Trinity
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24. Sunday next before Advent
28. Thanksgiving Day
- 30 S. Andrew, Apostle

Tenaflly Weavers' Homespuns

Mrs. Philip Oudry Davis, of 41 W. Gravers Lane, has a new assortment of Tenaflly Weavers' Homespuns and hand woven articles which she will be glad to show on any Tuesday, Wednesday or Saturday to anyone who is interested. She will also be glad to make appointments for other times and may be reached at C. H. 2709.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

Parish Business

December stands for festivity and fun, for gayety and gifts, but it also stands for business and budgets—and chronologically as well as alphabetically the last comes first.

Due to the extraordinary generosity of the Vestry toward the clergy, the proposed budget has grown somewhat this year. For plans to increase our salaries so liberally, Mr. Bircckhead and I have the most heart-felt appreciation. But before we can accept these increases the full program of work and of outside giving will have to be assured, for of course no increases that involve us can ever be allowed to interfere with undertakings already in hand.

But as if this were not enough the Vestry has matched their action with their word and assumed the full task of conducting our Budget campaign this year. Your highly beneficed clergy are to be no longer allowed to involve themselves with mundane things but to confine themselves to spiritual affairs! One hardly knows whether to be more thankful for such a division of labor or for the contemplated increase in salary, which will, I trust, make us more able husbandmen in this fertile corner of the Vineyard.

Christmas Festivity

Christmas is pre-eminently the children's Feast, because it is the Feast of

the Child. It tells us on the very face of it more about God than any other season of the Christian Year, for we have but to gaze upon that dear scene at Bethlehem in order to understand it. "God did not come," says Joseph Fort Newton, "a giant to little folk, He took our tiny shape and let us hold Him in our arms." Why don't we do so?

How typical of our times that we should try to substitute "something better" for the manger and its family; on Christmas cards poinsettias and snowdrifts, upon our tables an ever more elaborate menu, for our friends, "bigger and better" presents, and for the young people increasingly magnificent entertainments. But it all leaves us sadly dissatisfied! The old Christmas spirit is no longer there, nor has "pressing" helped to intensify it. It has dispelled it.

Christmas moves in an atmosphere of wonder around "yon Virgin, Mother and Child." Join the age-old procession that winds up the chilly street through the stable door and gives one long, loving look into the manger cradle and the Child of all the ages who lies therein.

Christmas stands for adoration and lives by it. And you cannot elaborate adoration. You can only very simply take part in it as children do. Surely there exists still in each of us enough of the child to exalt us at Christmastide into worshippers and pilgrims like the shepherds of old, who left for a while their tasks to gaze and to worship in silence, wonder and awe.

Annual Canvass for Our Budget

Your Vestry Committee in charge of raising the funds necessary to carry through the Budget for the year 1930, will have issued before "The Leaflet"

goes to print a card describing the Budget and a letter interpreting it.

You are asked to offer your pledge cards on the plate at service on Sunday, December 1st, or to mail them to the Accounting Warden during the following week. The personal canvass which takes place on December 8th will be made by the men of the Parish and will only include those who have not sent in their subscriptions before that date.

"I Know You Are So Busy"

This remark is made many times a year to the clergy by considerate people, who probably little realize what a terrible indictment it is. Any clergyman who is "too busy" to see any member of his parish who needs his help at any time is "too busy" to do his job.

The first call on a clergyman's time should be the personal one. With a view to making himself more available your Rector holds office hours every Tuesday from 2 to 3 and from 5 to 7. If, however, anyone wishes to make a special appointment, he can do so through the Parish Secretary, telephone C. H. 0359.

Christmas Services

All services will be in the church this year, including the Carol Service for all children of the parish at 3:30 on Tuesday, December 24th.

We shall hold our regular Midnight Communion Service beginning with carols at 11:30 P. M. on Christmas Eve.

On Christmas Day Communion will be celebrated at 8 o'clock and again at 10 o'clock with sermon.

Have You Your New Prayer Book?

Copies of the new Prayer Book will be in the pews on the first Sunday in December, but people will also wish to purchase their own. In order to accom-

modate them we have secured a number of sample copies and will take orders for them in the Church Porch after service on December 1st. The books may also be purchased at George W. Jacobs & Co., at Wanamaker's, and at the Fire-side Book Shop in Chestnut Hill.

The Woman's Friendly Society

With much regret the Society has to record the resignation of Mrs. David Pepper after eighteen years of unflagging zeal and labor as President and Leader; also that of Miss Mary E. Hebard, highly esteemed Vice-President for many years. While we regret their retiring from office, we can be grateful for happy memories of their many acts of loving service and cheer through all the period of our association. And for these we thank Mrs. Pepper and Miss Hebard.

We are fortunate in having secured Miss Elsie Douglas for our new President.

We are having our Annual Christmas Bazaar on December 4th, when we trust that our many friends will come and help make it a success in their usual generous way. There will be useful articles for the household and pretty things for gifts and a tree for the children—as well as cake, candy, ice cream, and a very "Friendly" tea table. Donations of any kind will be much appreciated.

CATHERINE MCKELVEY,
Secretary.

The Girls' Friendly Society

The G. F. S. wishes to thank those members of the Parish who did so much to make its recent Sale and Tea such a success.

The Monthly Supper will take place on Monday evening, December 2nd, at 7 P. M., and will be followed by a "Question Box Discussion" and basket ball practice.

Plans are being made for the Christmas Party which will this year be given at the Transfiguration Mission.

PROGRAM

Young People's Fellowship

Sunday, December 1st, 8 A. M.—Corporate Communion Service; 8:30 A. M.—Breakfast in the Parish House; 7 P. M.—Discussion, "What the Worship at the Church Means to Me."

Sunday, December 8th, 7 P. M.—Rev. Malcolm E. Peabody will speak on "The Gothic Church or Meeting House."

Friday, December 13th, 8 P. M.—Diocesan Dance at Brookline Square Club.

Sunday, December 15th, 6 P. M.—Monthly dinner at the Parish House;

7 P. M.—Illustrated lecture on "My Trip to the Holy Land" by Mr. Isaac Starr.

Sunday, December 22nd, 7 P. M.—Rev. M. H. Birkhead will speak on "The Meaning of Christmas."

Monday, December 23rd, 7 P. M.—Distribution of Christmas Baskets.

Tuesday, December 24th, 12 M.—Midnight Service at St. Paul's Church.

Friday, December 27th, 6 P. M.—Christmas Party at the College Settlement.

Sunday, December 29th, 7 P. M.—Discussion on "The New Year."

The Young People's Fellowship

Mr. Poole's able leadership has carried the Young People's Fellowship through two successful months with still further and greater interest in the coming months. In December all interest

will focus on Mr. Starr. He will show us motion pictures of his trip through the Holy Lands at our regular monthly supper meeting on the 15th. We extend our welcome to all young people.

Golden Rule Sunday

There has gradually grown up, as a result of the activities of the Near East Relief, a custom in many churches of making a common offering on a Sunday early in December for some worthy philanthropy.

It happens this year that another famine is raging in China. The lack of rain meant a crop failure and throughout wide areas people are starving to death. Not only is this a comment on the Chinaman's ignorance of agriculture but also upon the inadequacy of his religion, which produces the policy which is responsible for these famines.

December 8th has been designated as Golden Rule Sunday this year. We shall seize the opportunity by making an offering for the 4,000,000 people in China who are within the scope of relief operations. The appeal should have special force for our Church people since it is in China that our chief missionary work lies.

A Morning Prayer for Guidance

"Grant us, O Lord, to pass this day in gladness and peace, without stumbling and without stain: that reaching eventide victorious over all temptation, we may praise thee, eternal God, who art blessed and dost govern all things, world without end." Amen.

Mozarabic Liturgy (A. D. 700).

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR NOVEMBER

PUPILS

Allen, Clifford, 1
 Ashenfelder, Harry, 1
 Ayton, Elizabeth, 1
 Ayton, George, 2
 Ayton, Henry, 2
 Binford, Franklin, 2
 Birckhead, Francesca, 2
 Birckhead, Olivia, 2
 Birckhead, Sally, 2
 Blair, Edgar, 2
 Blair, Virginia, 2
 Blair, Thomas, 2
 Brannen, Helen, 2
 Brewster, Betty, 2
 Brewster, Mary, 2
 Brown, William, 2
 Brunt, Lucinda, 2
 Brunt, Thomas, 2
 Buckenhorst, Harriet, 2
 Coleman, Eugenia, 2
 Cost, Edward, 1
 Craig, Jack, 2
 Currier, Isaac, 2
 Dale, John, 1
 Dale, Richard, 2
 Dale, Robert, 2
 Dallas, Constance, 1
 Darrow, George, 2
 Dickinson, Ann, 2
 Disston, Diana, 1
 Disston, Eliza, 1
 Disston, Jacob, 1
 Disston, Jessie, 2
 Disston, Mary, 2
 Disston, Sally, 1
 Earle, James, 2
 Earle, Jane, 2
 Eggleston, Betty, 2
 Eggleston, Thomas, 2
 Ellison, Mary, 2
 Ellison, Thomas, 2
 Fisher, Julie, 1
 Fisher, Sally, 1
 Fleu, Conyers, 2
 Frazier, Agnes, 1
 German, Elizabeth, 2
 Getz, Henry, 2
 Gilchrist, Edgar, 1
 Gilchrist, Edmund, 1
 Gilchrist, Peter, 1
 Glendinning, Henry, 1
 Glendinning, Virginia, 1
 Goodfellow, Thorp, 2
 Goodin, Gail, 2
 Goodrich, Ann, 2
 Goodrich, Elizabeth, 2
 Grant, Joseph, 2

Grant, Nancy, 2
 Grant, Patricia, 1
 Hay, Duncan, 2
 Hay, Ethel, 2
 Hay, Peter, 2
 Hay, Stephen, 1
 Hay, William, 2
 Heaton, Thomas, 1
 Henderson, Edith, 2
 Henderson, Mortland, 2
 Holland, Alice, 2
 Holland, Harry, 2
 Howe, Arthur, 2
 Huggins, John, 2
 Huggins, Joseph, 2
 Jefferson, Edward, 2
 Johnson, Robert, 1
 Jordan, Jane, 2
 Kane, Hamilton, 2
 Kane, Robert, 2
 Kulp, Betty, 2
 Kulp, Robert, 2
 Lavelle, Richard, 2
 Lavelle, Robert, 2
 Leiper, Carol, 1
 Leiper, Edith, 1
 Liggett, Louise, 1
 Lightcap, Norman, 2
 Mathers, Mildred, 2
 McEvers, Hugh, 2
 McIlhenny, Alan, 2
 McNamee, Joseph, 2
 McNamee, Thelma, 2
 Meehan, Franklin, 2
 Meehan, Thomas, 2
 Meryweather, Mary, 2
 Messinger, Carl, 2
 Messinger, Frances, 2
 Moffly, Edward, 2
 Nalle, Dorothy, 2
 Nalle, Richard, 2
 Newbold, Arthur, 1
 Newhall, Barbara, 1
 Newhall, Paul, 2
 Nimon, Dorothy, 2
 Nimon, Evelyn, 2
 Nimon, Mary, 1
 Oppenlander, Betty, 2
 Parry, Francis, 2
 Parry, John, 2
 Parry, Richard, 1
 Parry, Stephen, 2
 Peabody, Endicott, 2
 Peabody, George, 1
 Peabody, Mary, 1
 Peabody, Samuel, 2
 Pearson, Stanley, 1
 Pearson, Stephen, 2
 Pemberton, Priscilla, 1
 Prevette, Eugenia, 1

Randolph, David, 2
 Reath, Henry, 2
 Redhouse, Russell, 2
 Richards, Arthur, 2
 Richards, Virginia, 1
 Root, Stanley, 2
 Roth, Mary, 1
 Roth, Walter, 1
 Strong, Sally, 2
 Swain, Helen, 2
 Thompson, Isabella, 2
 Thompson, John, 2
 Uhle, Omer, 2
 Van Anglen, Eric, 2
 Van Anglen, Walter, 2
 Ward, Adelaide, 2
 West, Harry, 1
 Wetherill, Frederick, 1
 Wetherill, Isabel, 1
 Whittaker, Philip, 2
 Wilmot, Margaret, 2
 Wilmot, Nellie, 2
 Wilmot, Robert, 1
 Wilmot, William, 1
 Wistar, Emlen, 2
 Wright, Minturn, 2
 Wright, Nancy, 2
 Wrigley, Arthur, 2

FACULTY

Birckhead, Rev. M. H., 1
 Cheston, Miss C., 2
 Clay, Mrs. E. B., 1
 Dallas, Mrs. G. M., 2
 Dunn, Miss, 2
 Goodfellow, Mrs. A., 2
 Hay, Mr. E. N., 2
 Hay, Mrs. E. N., 2
 King, Miss K., 1
 Manning, Mr. J. T., Jr., 2
 Merritt, Mr. J. S., Jr., 1
 Merritt, Mrs. J. S., Jr., 1
 Moore, Mr. R., 2
 Nalle, Mrs. R. T., 2
 Newhall, Mrs. W. P., 1
 Parry, Mrs. G. G., 1
 Peabody, Mrs. M. E., 2
 Redhouse, Mr. R., 2
 Shuman, Miss H., 2
 Starr, Mr. I., 2
 Stewart, Mr. R., 2
 Ware, Mr. W., 1
 Weill, Mrs. A., 1
 Weill, Miss L., 1
 Wetherill, Mr. W. C., 1
 Williamson, Miss K., 2
 Wistar, Mrs. C. C., 2
 Wood, Miss M., 2
 Wright, Mr. M., Jr., 2

The Church Baptistery

In early Christian times the Baptistery was a separate hall built on to the Church. In it the catechumens were instructed and all were baptized by immersion at the hands of the Bishop. Since then it has ever been the custom of the Church to baptize children and others in public, that is, in the Church. Private baptism except "in extremis" has always been discouraged, partly to prevent the action of unauthorized persons, and more significantly to bring out the meaning of baptism, which is initiation into the Church accompanied by promises from sponsors to nurture the child in the Christian Faith.

Our own Baptistery was a part of the former Church but has been built into the present structure in its proper place near the door. It was originally given in memory of two young men, Harold and Alex Crombie Humphreys, who were drowned together in the River Nile. The windows represent S. John the Baptist, immediately behind the font, with Noah and his Ark on one side and Moses with the Tables of the Law on the other. On the left hand side stands a window to one of the Evangelists (this window must be illuminated by electricity to be seen), while opposite to it, down the passage at the end of the Children's Corner, is a fine figure of S. Paul. The large memorial tablet properly inscribed will be found in the wall behind the font.

A CARPENTER desires a situation on an estate or in an institution. Forty years' experience. Works from plans. Call C. H. 4395.

A CHAUFFEUR desires a position. For information call C. H. 4395.

ROOMS FOR RENT. Two rooms and bath. Call C. H. 0809.

BICYCLES WANTED. If anyone has a bicycle not being used, the Water Tower Recreation Center would greatly appreciate having it as they are trying to organize a Bicycle Club.

KALENDAR

DECEMBER

1. 1st Sunday in Advent
8. 2nd Sunday in Advent
15. 3rd Sunday in Advent
21. S. Thomas, Apostle
22. 4th Sunday in Advent
25. Christmas Day
26. S. Stephen
27. S. John
28. Holy Innocents
29. 1st Sunday after Christmas

PARISH REGISTER

BAPTISMS

Sidney Procter Clark
 Elizabeth Dexter King
 Shelby Mackay Johnson

MARRIAGES

William Gordon Reed and Elizabeth Julia Purviance.

BURIALS

George Edward Davison

PARISH DIRECTORY

S. PAUL'S CHURCH

East Chestnut Avenue

SERVICES

1st and 3rd Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Holy Communion and Sermon at 11 A. M.

2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 A. M.

Church School: Sunday, 9:30 A. M.

Mens' Bible Class: Sunday, 2:15 P. M.

Evening Prayer and Address: Sunday, 7:45 P. M.

Thursdays—Holy Communion at 7:30 and 10 A. M.

Fridays—Morning Prayer and Litany at 10 A. M.

Saints' Days—Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M.

The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

Rector

REV. MALCOLM E. PEABODY

18 E. Chestnut Avenue. Telephone C. H. 0503

Curate

REV. MALBONE H. BIRCKHEAD

22 E. Chestnut Avenue. Telephone C. H. 1310

Parish Secretary

MISS ANNA C. HARRADEN

Office, Parish House. Telephone C. H. 0359

Home address, 8620 Evergreen Place
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Organist and Choirmaster

ARTIUR W. HOWES, JR.

636 Mason Avenue, Drexel Hill
Clearbrook 3969

Assistant Organist

FRANK A. ROTH

8311 Ardleigh Street

Sexton

JAMES E. McELHINNEY

5720 Beechwood Street, Germantown

VESTRY

WM. LORD SEXTON, Rector's Warden
JOSHUA ASH PEARSON, Accounting Warden
MARSHALL S. MORGAN, Secretary
ISAAC STARR
ELIJAH DALLETT
JOSEPH WOOD WAGNER
H. FRAZER HARRIS
P. T. DASHIELL
A. A. JACKSON
BRUCE FORD
FREDERIC S. WHITTAKER
RADCLIFFE CHESTON, M. D.

CHURCH SCHOOL

Superintendent, REV. M. E. PEABODY
Executive Secretary, Miss Margaret Earle
General Secretary, Mrs. E. B. Clay.
Treasurer, Miss Margaret Earle
Primary Dept. Chairman, Miss Charlotte Cheston
Choir, Mrs. Charles Willing

PARISH AGENCIES

The Altar Society—Warden, Mrs. John Andrews Harris, Jr.; Secretary, Mrs. Joseph R. Carpenter, Jr.; Treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Bartow.
Men's Bible Class—President, Isaac Starr; Vice President, Elijah Dallett; Chaplain, Rev. M. H. Birkhead. Meetings, Sundays at 2:15 P. M.
The Church Periodical Club—Mrs. Robert L. Wood.
The Girls' Friendly Society—Branch President, Mrs. M. E. Peabody. Meetings, Mondays at 8:15 P. M.
The Woman's Auxiliary—President, Mrs. B. Franklin Pepper. Meetings, Fridays at 10:30 A. M.
The Woman's Friendly—President, Miss Elsie Douglas. Meetings, Wednesdays at 8 P. M.
The Parish Council—Chairman, Rev. M. E. Peabody.
Young People's Fellowship—President, Lawrence Corn. Meetings, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Every other Friday at 8.
Woodcraft League—Head Guide, Rev. M. H. Birkhead; Chief, Henry Scheetz; Foot Chief, Samuel Wilmot; Tally Keeper, Stephen Kessler; Wampum Keeper, George Wilmot; Medicine Man, John Jago. Meetings, Thursdays at 7 P. M.

CHOIR

Sopranos

William Thompson	Isaac Currier
Norman Lightcap	Mortland Henderson
Richard Lavelle	Robert Morrow
Ernest Williams	Harry West
Omar Uhle	William Wilmot
Edwin Morrow	Harry Ashenfelder
Henry Ayton	P. Duffy
Crofton Thompson	Ralph Matlack
Henry Getz	Robert Lavelle
Richard Ward	J. Brown
LeRoy Waters	David Lawson
Thomas Heaton	B. Fleu
Harvey Scheetz	Robert Wilmot
John Matthews	Thomas Meehan
Thomas Blair	Robert Merkins
C. Fleu	Duncan Hay

Contra-Tenors

A. W. Specht	John Wetherstine
James R. Corgee	Samuel Berry

Tenors

David J. Olsen	H. Tomlinson
Edward Wallis	Louis H. Dow

Basses

Lewis Easby	Fred A. Barber
Logan M. Dayton	Leonard Davies
Wm. De Vore	Thomas Branson

Crucifer: Robert L. Wood, Jr.

Servers: George Huggins, Stephen Getz, George Wilmot, Samuel Wilmot, Lloyd Michener, Robert Kurtz, Edward Parry, Henry F. Parry, Edgar Blair, Robert Morrow, Arthur Wrigley.

Choir Mother: Mrs. Harold R. Burleigh

Rehearsals

Tuesdays at 4:15 and 7:30 P. M.
Wednesdays at 4:15 and 7:30 P. M.
Fridays at 4:15 and 7:30 P. M.

SAINT PAUL'S LEAFLET

"WHAT WILT THOU HAVE ME TO DO?"

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

Confirmation

The confirmation of a class of young people never fails to impress one with the infinite possibilities of our Church. "If these really go out in the spirit of Jesus," we reflect, "there is enough leadership among them to capture a whole world for Christ."

We sometimes fail to add to our reflection the thought that their life in the spirit of Jesus will depend more than anything else upon their religious practices. It is those who pray daily, who worship weekly, and who prepare carefully for their communions who thereby are enabled to think His thoughts and to do His will. There is a Christian "Way of Life." They who walk in it gradually advance toward Him who is its End and Goal.

Our Part in Peace

"Laborare est orare": Prayer is Work.

We often hear men say, "If you can't do anything else for a cause, at any rate you can pray for it!"—As if praying were a last recourse. Prayer generally opens the way to action. It enables us to work, but it also enlightens and empowers others. Intercessory prayer actually accomplishes things.

Your efforts and mine will probably not be consciously realized at the con-

ference meeting to consider the reduction of naval power. But we shall nevertheless express in prayer our hopes that God's Will for the World's Peace may thereby be further advanced. A suggested prayer follows:

FOR PEACE

Almighty God, from whom all thoughts of truth and peace proceed; kindle, we pray Thee, in the hearts of all men the true love of peace, and guide with Thy pure and peaceable wisdom those who take counsel for the nations of the earth; that in tranquillity Thy Kingdom may go forward till the earth is filled with the knowledge of Thy love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Accounting Warden's Report for 1929

The general report of the Parish appears elsewhere in this issue. Two points are worthy of especial notice. (1) We had to borrow \$1,700. from the bank in order to pay current expenses. (2) We subscribed a considerable sum to outside objects, bringing the total of gifts for others almost equal to the amount spent upon ourselves.

Christmas Offering

The amount of the Christmas Offering for the general work of the Church was \$1009.93.

Confirmation Class

The following names are those composing the confirmation class to be presented to the Bishop on the First Sunday after Epiphany, January 12, 1930:

Mary Appleton
J. Edgar Blair, Jr.
Alice Beatrice Churchman
Gregory Clement, Jr.
Charles Edward Cost
Peggy Day
Josephine Doughten
Peyton Jones
Sallie Merrick Kite
Anne Krumbhaar
Barbara Kurtz
John F. Kurtz
Richard Lavelle
Edith B. Leiper
Dora Lewis
Marcella Louise Morgan
Louise Gilpin Morris
Anna Coxé Newbold
Arthur Emlen Newbold, 3rd
Thomas Reath, 3rd
Charlotte Neall Repplier
Sidney Neall Repplier
Arthur Charles Richards, Jr.
Anne Lewis Ross
Anne Scull
Gordon Thompson
Margaret Wilmot

"If With All Your Heart"

Two men into the Temple went
To hear the Gospel free:
One's mind on worldly cares was bent,
One yearned his Lord to see.
To both the service was the same;
Yet one departed as he came.
The other left with soul aflame.
Which of the twain were ye?

JOSEPH MILTON.

Report on 1930 Budget

There has been pledged to date \$53,956.70 towards our 1930 Budget by 534 people. This is an encouraging increase of \$3,085.60 over the total amount pledged on January 1, 1929, but there is a corresponding decrease in pledges of 29. Nor has the Budget figure been met by a margin of \$20,690.14.

A certain amount of money always comes in during the year from various sources so that the Vestry has seen fit even under these circumstances to authorize the undertaking of the Parish Program as planned for the year. It is not unlikely, however, that a further request for funds may be made as the year draws towards its close.

It is thoroughly satisfactory to note that with only nine pledges of \$1,000. or more and none of more than \$1,500. as large a sum as represented above has been raised. The increase in the total is also encouraging. But the time has yet to come when the total Budget shall be raised at the outset of the year. Until that time arrives the Parish will not fully realize the advantage of the Budget system.

PROGRAM

Young People's Fellowship

Sunday, January 5th, 7 P. M.—Discussion on "Honesty."

Friday, January 10th, 8 P. M.—Rehearsal for play.

Sunday, January 12th, 7 P. M.—Discussion on "Why Is Jesus the World's Greatest Leader?"

Friday, January 17th, 8 P. M.—Dr. G. E. Raiguel, Lecturer, will lecture

Report of the Accounting Warden to the Rector and Vestry of St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, for the Year 1929

INCOME

From Pledges, etc., for Church Budget	\$37,186.01
From Pledges, etc., for Missions	24,018.10
Loose Collections	582.95
Endowment, Easter, 1929, Collection	1,319.77
Rector's Fund	1,541.94
Interest on Deposit	85.20
Gifts for Special Purposes	3,869.78
Loan Account, Germantown Trust Co.	1,700.00
Income from Endowment	1,100.00
For 1930 Budget	3,092.00
	<hr/> \$74,495.75

DISBURSEMENTS

Robert's Mortgage Interest	\$2,845.00
Endowment Payment	1,254.90
Rector's Fund	1,541.94
Gifts for Special Purposes	3,869.78
Missions	\$22,574.41
Diocesan Assessments	1,443.69
	<hr/> 24,018.10
Clergy Salaries	\$9,700.00
Pension Premiums	848.75
	<hr/> 10,548.75
Church School	3,919.06
Music	9,468.54
Parish Office	3,323.91
Care of Property	3,049.57
Running Expenses	6,876.73
Cash Balance, 12/31/29 (see note)	3,779.47
	<hr/> \$74,495.75

Note:—

Balance of 1929 Money	687.47
For 1930 Budget	3,092.00
	<hr/> \$3,779.47

Detail of Gifts for Special Purposes: Not Applicable to Mission Quota of Diocese and General Church—

Rev. R. E. S. Strider (Holy week)	\$505.00
Bishop of Jerusalem (Good Friday)	152.37
Porto Rico	50.00
China Famine	414.66
Near East Relief	475.22
Hare Industrial School	513.01
Gift Towards Robert's Property Mortgage Interest	1,500.00
Golden Rule Foundation	259.52
	<hr/> \$3,869.78

Detail of Mission Payments—Paid by Accounting Warden	\$24,018.10
Credits from Church House of Diocese of Pennsylvania—Thanksgiving Offering for Episcopal Hospital	436.27
Women's Auxiliary	450.00
Domestic Committee	
Colored	267.50
Indian Hope	370.50
Foreign	630.00
Diocesan	295.50
Sunday School Lenten Offering	377.84
Remitted Direct to New York For Church Extension	707.25
	<hr/> 1,062.00

Amount Pledged by St. Paul's Special Credits from Church House of Diocese of Pennsylvania, Paid Direct and Not Applicable to Mission Quota of St. Paul's—	\$27,614.96
Domestic Committee	\$85.00
Colored	250.00
Foreign	65.00
Diocesan	155.00
Welfare Federation	2,668.34
For Dr. Teusler	1,000.00
For City Mission	77.00
For Power Plant, Hudson Stuck Memorial Hospital, Alaska	1,000.00
From Girls' Friendly Soc.	5.00
	<hr/> \$5,305.34

Loans Outstanding With Germantown Trust Co.	\$4,200.00
Endowment Income for 1930	2,526.23

Respectfully submitted,

JOSHUA ASH PEARSON,
Accounting Warden.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR DECEMBER

PUPILS

Adamson, Billy, 2
 Adamson, Talbot, 2
 Aitken, John, 1
 Aitken, Theodore, 1
 Allen, Clifford, 2
 Ayton, Elizabeth, 3
 Ayton, George, 3
 Bechtel, Alfred, 1
 Binford, Franklin, 3
 Birkhead, Francesca, 3
 Birkhead, Olivia, 3
 Birkhead, Sally, 3
 Blair, Edgar, 3
 Blair, Virginia, 3
 Blair, Thomas, 3
 Boyd, Nancy, 2
 Brannen, Helen, 3
 Brewster, Betty, 3
 Brewster, Mary, 3
 Brunt, Lucinda, 3
 Brunt, Thomas, 3
 Buckenhorst, Harriet, 3
 Cheston, Annette, 1
 Cost, Edward, 2
 Darrow, George, 3
 Dickinson, Anna, 3
 Disston, Diana, 2
 Disston, Eliza, 2
 Disston, Sally, 2
 Earle, James, 3
 Eggleston, Betty, 3
 Eggleston, Thomas, 3
 Ellison, Mary, 3
 Ellison, Thomas, 3
 Fisher, Julie, 2
 Fisher, Sally, 2
 German, Elizabeth, 3
 Getz, Henry, 3
 Glendimming, Virginia, 2
 Goodfellow, Thorp, 3
 Hay, Duncan, 3
 Hay, Ethel, 3
 Hay, Peter, 3
 Hay, Stephen, 2
 Hay, William, 3
 Henderson, Edith, 3
 Henderson, Mortland, 3
 Henderson, Ruth, 2
 Holland, Alice, 3

Holland, Harry, 3
 Howe, Arthur, 3
 Huggins, John, 3
 Huggins, Joseph, 3
 Jefferson, Edward, 3
 Johnson, Katherine, 2
 Johnson, Robert, 2
 Kulp, Betty, 3
 Kulp, Robert, 3
 Lavelle, Helene, 2
 Lavelle, Richard, 3
 Lavelle, Robert, 3
 Le Brun, Gladys, 2
 Leiper, Edith, 2
 Liggett, Louise, 2
 Lightcap, Norman, 3
 Mathers, Mildred, 3
 McIlhenny, Alan, 3
 Meehan, Thomas, 3
 Meryweather, Juliana, 2
 Meryweather, Mary, 3
 Meryweather, Virginia, 2
 Messenger, Frances, 3
 Moffley, Edward, 3
 Murphy, Evelyn, 2
 Murray, William, 1
 Nalle, Richard, 3
 Newbold, Sewell, 1
 Newhall, Barbara, 2
 Nimon, Dorothy, 3
 Oppenlander, Betty, 3
 Parry, Francis, 3
 Parry, John, 3
 Parry, Richard, 2
 Parry, Stephen, 3
 Peabody, George, 2
 Pearson, Stanley, 2
 Pearson, Stephen, 2
 Pemberton, Priscilla, 2
 Prevette, Eugenia, 2
 Reath, Henry, 3
 Redhouse, Russell, 3
 Root, Stanley, 3
 Roth, Mary, 2
 Rust, Randolph, 1
 Shantz, Irma, 2
 Smith, Eleanor, 2
 Stem, William, 2
 Swain, Helen, 3

Thompson, Gordon, 1
 Thompson, Isabella, 3
 Thompson, John, 3
 Thompson, Rolland, 2
 Uhle, Omer, 3
 Van Anglen, Eric, 3
 Van Anglen, Walter, 3
 Ward, Adelaide, 3
 Wetherill, Cynthia, 2
 Wetherill, Isabel, 2
 Whittaker, John, 1
 Whittaker, Philip, 3
 Wilmot, Margaret, 3
 Wilmot, Robert, 2
 Wilmot, William, 2
 Wright, Nancy, 3
 Wrigley, Arthur, 3

FACULTY

Birkhead, Rev. M. H., 2
 Campbell, Mr. P., 2
 Cheston, Miss C., 3
 Dunn, Miss, 3
 Goodfellow, Mrs. A.
 Hay, Mr. E. N., 3
 Hay, Mrs. E. N., 3
 King, Miss K., 2
 Merritt, Mr. J. S., Jr., 1
 Moore, Mr. R., 3
 Nalle, Mrs. R., 3
 Newhall, Mrs. W. P., 2
 Parry, Mrs. G. G., 2
 Peabody, Mrs. M. E., 3
 Redhouse, Mr. H., 3
 Ritter, Miss M., 2
 Schwartz, Miss O., 1
 Starr, Mr. I., 3
 Stewart, Mr. R., 3
 Ware, Mr. W., 2
 Weill, Mrs. A., 2
 Weill, Miss L., 2
 Williamson, Miss K., 3
 Willing, Mrs. C. 3
 Wistar, Miss E., 3
 Wood, Miss M., 3
 Wright, Mrs. M., 1
 Young, Miss M. C., 1

on "The United States and World Affairs."

Sunday, January 19th, 6 P. M.—
 Monthly dinner at the Parish House.

7 P. M.—Discussion on "Charity."
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Sunday, January 26th, 7 P. M.—Mr. B. F. Landstreet will speak about "Toc H" and "The College Settlement Farm-Camp."

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The Christmas party at the College Settlement Farm was the most successful social event of the Fellowship this season. A picturesque farmhouse with its quaint charm gave the party a new and interesting note. We are looking forward to another day at the farmhouse in the spring at which time we plan to have a supper and straw ride.

Dr. George Earl Raiguel, a well-known lecturer on Current Topics will be with us on Friday, the 17th, at 8 P. M. He will speak on "The United States and World Affairs." Those who would like to join the Fellowship at that time and listen to a most interesting lecture are welcome.

Great interest also centers on Mr. Barent F. Landstreet, who will speak on Toc H and the College Settlement on January 26th.

WORK WANTED. A young man would like to take care of a furnace or do things around a house such as beating rugs. He has been well recommended and may be reached by calling C. H. 4169.

Two members of the Men's Bible Class would like jobs as chauffeurs. For further information kindly call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

POSITION WANTED. A young man of good habits and ability is very anxious for a job as chauffeur. He is married and has three small children. He has had no work for several months and is in a very serious condition financially. If anyone is interested, will he kindly call C. H. 4395 for further information?

A member of the Men's Bible Class would like a job as gardener. Kindly call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359, if you desire further information.

CLOTHES NEEDED. If anyone has any clothes suitable for children from ten to fourteen years of age, they would be very greatly appreciated by the children in our Italian missions. Any contributions may be sent to the Parish House, or, if more convenient, will be called for by telephoning C. H. 0722.

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JANUARY

1. Circumcision
5. 2nd Sunday after Christmas
6. Epiphany
12. 1st Sunday after Epiphany
19. 2nd Sunday after Epiphany
25. Conversion of S. Paul
26. 3rd Sunday after Epiphany

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 Mary Ashhurst Smythe
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 Amanda Fell Steel
 Elizabeth Foard Borie

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

Consult a Specialist

If the Church is doing her task better every year, one good reason is because people have re-discovered what her task really is. They properly require that instead of concerning herself with secondary matters she again devote her energies to the *Promotion of Worship*, the *Spread of the Gospel*, and the *Education of her people in Religion*. This is all to the good. A good program is the best earnest of its own fulfilment.

This kind of a program has also the effect of making the parson's job more worthy. It restores his profession to him. Theoretically he has always been an expert in matters that pertain to the soul, but in practise of late years few have consulted him. He has been "so busy with a number of things."

It is high time for the parson to regain his position as a specialist in matters of personal religion. Yet the people of the Church alone can work this modern Reformation. If *they* expect these things of him, he will gradually become expert. The supply needs a demand to draw it out. At a time when so many questions on religion are puzzling people's minds, common-sense would seem to counsel the consultation of those who are *supposed* to know.

Your clergy in this parish, sensible of the honor you have done them in so

generously increasing their salaries, request that they be used "for all they are worth"! They are never "too busy" to meet with those who wish to consult them on personal matters of any sort—hence the office hour, and the telephone at each house whose bells are in working order as *THE LEAFLET* goes to press!



Dr. Case's Visit

Miss Adelaide T. Case, Ph. D. of Columbia University, is to visit our Church School on Sunday, February 9th. Dr. Case is an expert in Religious Education and a member of the Department in our own National Council.

She will inspect our Church School in the morning and meet with the teachers in the afternoon.

There will be tea at 4:15 in the Parish House to which all parents are being asked. This will be followed by an informal meeting at which Dr. Case will describe some of the aims and methods of modern Religious Education.

We are very anxious to have every parent at this meeting because it offers such an opportunity to learn from a great leader about what we can do for our children in the way of religion.



New Church School Management

Because we have encountered some difficulty in securing a successor to Mrs. Brown, our recent Director of Religious

Education, a large Executive Committee of the Church School has been formed which under the supervision of the Rector will carry on not only the administrative work but will also initiate new action. The new Executive Committee will, in other words, be responsible for carrying on our Church School.

The plan promises to work out admirably. Its members have had considerable experience in Church School work and are both willing and able to give the attention to the work which it so richly deserves.

The Committee is made up of the following: Miss Margaret Earle, chairman; Miss Charlotte Cheston, Mrs. Edward B. Clay, Mrs. Richard T. Nalle, Miss Louise Weill, Miss Katharine Williamson and Mrs. Charles Willing.

Diocesan News

Parishes and Missions of the Diocese of Pennsylvania gave for the general work of the Church \$27,000.00 more in 1929 than in 1928.

The Diocese of Pennsylvania met its apportionment in full for the support of the National Church for the year 1929 by its payment of \$229,000.00.

Y. P. F.

The Young People's Fellowship feels very grateful to Mr. Poole for the privilege of hearing Dr. George E. Raiguel at its meeting on January 17th. He discussed topics such as the World Court, the War Debt, Prohibition and the Chinese Wars.

Mr. Barent Landstreet also spoke. His topic was Toc H and the College Settlement Farm. The Farm and its work created such interest that the Y. P. F. will endeavor this summer to aid those in charge in any way possible.

The meetings during February will be devoted to discussions by members of the Fellowship. The regular monthly supper meeting will be held as usual.

All young people desiring to join us at any time will be cordially welcomed.

The Woman's Friendly Society

During the year 1929 much sewing was done on Diocesan garments which were designated for the House of the Holy Child, also some things for Labrador and many little dresses for the crippled children of St. Michael's Home.

Five barrels filled with warm clothing and useful articles were sent to Labrador for the mission work of Dr. Grenfell and one barrel with clothing, toys, etc., was sent to Island Ford, Virginia.

A Strawberry Festival and Sale was held on the lawn of Miss Mary E. Hebard's home on May 29th and a Bazaar was held in the Parish House on December 4th, the proceeds of which were, in large part, distributed to the various needs in which we are interested.

The Diocesan clothing being made at present is for the Sheltering Arms.

The Society is sincerely grateful to all who have helped so generously with donations to its sales and with clothing for the Mission barrels.

CATHERINE MCKELVEY,
Secretary.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH SCHOOL

January 1st to December 31st, 1929

RECEIPTS

Church Support	\$114.32
Envelopes	753.15
Loose Offerings	187.56
Special Offerings	436.33
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	\$1,491.36

EXPENDITURES—For Ourselves

Church Support	\$120.87
Furnishings for Church School	
Wing	107.04
St. Paul's Church Building Fund.....	156.40
Prizes for 11 years perfect attendance	20.00
Calendars	12.50
Spirit of Missions	10.00
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	\$426.81

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR JANUARY

PUPILS

Adamson, Billy, 3	Goodfellow, Thorp, 4	Prevette, Eugenia, 3
Adamson, Talbot, 3	Hannan, Doris, 2	Randolph, David, 3
Aitken, John, 2	Harris, Mary, 2	Reath, Henry, 4
Aitken, Theodore, 2	Hart, Edward, 2	Redhouse, Russell, 4
Allen, Clifford, 3	Hay, Duncan, 4	Robinson, Nancy, 1
Allen, Herrick, 2	Hay, Ethel, 4	Root, Stanley, 4
Anderson, Billy, 2	Hay, Stephen, 3	Roth, Mary, 3
Anderson, Robert, 2	Hay, William, 4	Shantz, Betty, 2
Ashenfelder, Harry, 2	Henderson, Edith, 4	Shull, Jean, 1
Ayton, Elizabeth, 4	Henderson, Mortland, 4	Sims, Joseph, 1
Ayton, George, 4	Henderson, Ruth, 3	Swain, Helen, 4
Ayton, Henry, 3	Holland, Alice, 4	Thompson, Isabella, 4
Binford, Franklin, 4	Holland, Harry, 4	Thompson, John, 4
Birckhead, Francesca, 4	Howe, Arthur, 4	Uhle, Omer, 4
Birckhead, Olivia, 4	Huggins, John, 4	Ward, Adelaide, 4
Birckhead, Sally, 4	Huggins, Joseph, 4	Wetherill, Isabel, 3
Blair, Edgar, 4	Huggins, Margaret, 2	Whittaker, John, 2
Blair, Virginia, 4	Jefferson, Edward, 4	Whittaker, Philip, 4
Blair, Thomas, 4	Johnson, Katherine, 3	Wilmot, Margaret, 4
Boyd, Nancy, 3	Johnson, Robert, 3	Wilmot, Nellie, 3
Brannen, Helen, 4	Kane, Robert, 3	Wilmot, Robert, 3
Brewster, Betty, 4	Kulp, Betty, 4	Wilmot, William, 3
Bromley, Janet, 1	Lavelle, Helene, 3	
Brown, William, 3	Lavelle, Richard, 4	
Brunt, Lucinda, 4	Lavelle, Robert, 4	
Brunt, Thomas, 4	Liggett, Louise, 3	
Buckenhorst, Harriett, 4	Lightcap, Norman, 4	
Clay, Edward, 2	Manning, Joseph, 2	
Cost, Edward, 3	Mathers, Mildred, 4	
Craig, Jack, 3	Mathews, John, 2	
Dickinson, Anna, 4	Meryweather, Juliana, 3	
Disston, Eliza, 3	Meryweather, Mary, 4	
Disston, Jacob, 2	Meryweather, Virginia, 3	
Disston, Jessie, 3	Messenger, Carl, 3	
Disston, Mary, 2	Messenger, Frances, 4	
Disston, Sally, 3	Moffley, Edward, 4	
Dunn, Jane, 2	Murphey, Evelyn, 3	
Earle, James, 4	Murphey, Rhoads, 2	
Earle, Jane, 3	Murray, William, 2	
Eggleston, Betty, 4	Nalle, Richard, 4	
Eggleston, Thomas, 4	Newhall, Barbara, 3	
Elgin, Robert, 2	Nimon, Dorothy, 4	
Ellison, Mary, 4	Nimon, Evelyn, 3	
Fisher, Julie, 3	Nimon, Mary, 2	
Fisher, Sally, 3	Oppenlander, Betty, 4	
Fleu, Barty, 1	Parry, Richard, 3	
Frazier, Agnes, 2	Peabody, George, 3	
German, Elizabeth, 4	Peabody, Samuel, 3	
Getz, Henry, 4	Pearson, Danny, 2	
Gilchrist, Peter, 2	Pemberton, Priscilla, 3	

FACULTY

Campbell, Mr. P., 3
Cheston, Miss C., 4
Dixon, Mrs. G., 1
Dunn, Miss, 4
Earle, Miss M., 2
Goodfellow, Mrs. A., 4
Hay, Mrs. E. N., 4
King, Miss K., 3
Manning, Mr. J. T., Jr., 3
Moore, Mr. R., 4
Nalle, Mrs. R. T., 4
Newhall, Mrs. W. P., 3
Peabody, Mrs. M. E., 4
Redhouse, Mr. H., 4
Ritter, Miss M., 3
Shuman, Miss H., 3
Starr, Mr. I., 4
Ware, Mr. W., 3
Weill, Mrs. A., 3
Weill, Miss L., 3
Williamson, Miss K., 4
Willing, Mrs. C., 4
Wistar, Mrs. C. C., 3
Wistar, Miss E., 4
Wood, Miss M., 4
Wright, Mr. M., 3
Wright, Mrs. M., 3
Young, Miss C., 2

For Others

Lenten Offering	\$377.84
St. Elizabeth's Mission	26.58
Holy Trinity, Conshohocken	67.13
Bishop's Bricks	14.81
Balloons for Chestnut Hill Hospit'l	1.00
Hare Industrial School	150.00
Japanese Kindergarten	66.37
Liberia	59.90
Children's Hospital Drive	3.90
Cuban Christmas Box	59.71
Indian Christmas Box	32.16
Wahpeton, Trinity Government School	104.79
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	\$964.19



TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE
WOMEN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Balance on Hand Dec. 31, 1928.....	\$135.12
For Dues	34.10
Donations and Sales, Strawberry Festival	241.50
Donations and Sales, Fair	383.48
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	\$794.20
Receipts in Full for 1929—	
Donations and Expenditures.....	708.90
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Balance on Hand Dec. 31, 1929—	\$85.30
Donations Paid Out—	
For Sick	\$61.50
New Church	100.00
G. F. S.	10.00
Christmas Cheer	223.00
Miscellaneous Help	123.00
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	\$517.50
Expenses Paid Out—	
Supply Materials	\$55.89
Materials for Strawberry Festival and Fair	111.84
Express	8.42
Printing	15.25
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	\$191.40

MRS. GEORGE GREBE,
Treasurer.

Memorial Flowers

The new flower list has been placed in the porch of the church. There are still some Sundays open for anyone who may care to give Memorial Flowers for the Altar.

FOR RENT. Two rooms and bath. Convenient to train and trolley. Breakfast will be served. For further information call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

WORK WANTED. A young woman would like work by the day. She will take care of children, serve as a waitress or do any other kind of work. She may be reached at Victor 7505 or by calling the Parish Office.

CALENDAR

FEBRUARY

- 2. 4th Sunday after Epiphany
- 9. 5th Sunday after Epiphany
- 16. Septuagesima
- 23. Sexagesima
- 24. S. Matthias

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William Noble Hawley
Joseph Janney Hawley
Sumner Wheeler White, 3rd
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Henry Ayton	P. Duffy
Crofton Thompson	Ralph Matlack
Henry Getz	Robert Lavelle
Richard Ward	J. Brown
LeRoy Waters	David Lawson
Thomas Heaton	B. Fleu
Harvey Scheetz	Robert Wilmot
John Matthews	Thomas Meehan
Thomas Blair	Robert Merkins
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RECTOR'S COLUMN

Lent-Keeping

There is a question that arises each year in the minds of all of us just at this time as to the *value* of Lent. "Can any program that I propose for myself be carried through profitably to the end?" That depends of course on the wisdom of the plan and the endurance of its maker.

The aim of one's Lenten plan will naturally be Growth in the spiritual life. Your parish Church will try to do her part by offering special opportunities for quiet devotion, a class in the field of personal religion, a series of lectures that will further advance our growing interest in Worship, and a list of books recommended by your parish Reading Committee. But it will be for the individual to decide how to combine the Church's leadership with his own private efforts.

In constructing a program for oneself one ventures to suggest that it may help to keep in mind: (1) That the mood of Lent being primarily devotional, one will do well to plan definite ways of advance in one's private prayers; (2) that Lent involves opportunities for mental refreshment and that a course of lectures or reading once chosen should rigidly be adhered to; (3) that the Lenten principle of self-sacrifice is fundamental to any progress in life along any line and that our sacrifice should, there-

fore, never be undertaken for its own sake, but incidentally for that of a cause we are steadfastly pursuing. The giving up of candy just for the sake of giving up something will probably not raise our religious temperature a single degree, but the wisely planned program which informs us about God and leads us to live nearer Him may set our hearts on fire. The saints all began with simply the will to learn more and to pray better.



Lenten Services

The list of our Lenten services, which follows, includes a series of addresses by the Rev. Royden K. Yerkes, D. D., which ought to be intensely interesting. Dr. Yerkes will take up the origins of Worship and will then show how from them has developed the system of Worship which we now have. The tracing of the history will also help to indicate the meaning of such an important service, for example, as the Holy Communion. Dr. Yerkes, who is a scholar, also has that rare ability to talk about his subject in simple language. His course promises to be thoroughly worth while.

On Monday afternoons at 5 P. M. there will be a class in Personal Religion led by the Rector. It will be held in the church. We shall consider each week a chapter in Dr. Fosdick's book, "The Manhood of the Master." Copies

will be on hand at the first meeting for all who wish to take them.

SERVICES

March 5th—Ash Wednesday	
Holy Communion	7:30 A. M.
Service of Preparation for Lent	10:00 A. M.
Children's Service	5:00 P. M.
Dr. Yerkes' First Address, "What Is Religion?"	8:15 P. M.
Mondays—Class in Personal Religion	5:00 P. M.
In the church, led by the Rector.	
Tuesdays—Evening Prayer	5:00 P. M.
Wednesdays	5:00 P. M.
A series of addresses by the Rev. Royden K. Yerkes, on the subject of "Worship."	
Thursdays—	
Holy Communion	7:30 and 10 A. M.
Children's Service and Address	5:00 P. M.
Fridays—Morning Prayer and Litany	10:00 A. M.
Evening Prayer	5:00 P. M.



A Reading List for Lent

The Reading Committee of the Parish having carefully reviewed a number of books has sorted out three as of especial significance, namely, "The Warrior, The Woman, and The Christ," by G. A. Studdert Kennedy, "The Great Conjecture," by Winifred Kirkland, and "Letters to His Friends," by Forbes Robinson. All of them are meditative or devotional in character as befits the mood of Lent.

The Committee has also arranged a subsidiary list of three books of a slightly different sort, "The Splendor of God," by Honore Willsie Morrow, "Edward Lincoln Atkinson," by Bishop Slattery,

and "Behold the Man," by Friedrich Rittelmeyer. A few words of comment in the Lenten folder will describe each one.

These books may be secured from the Loan Library of the Parish in the Church porch after Sunday service, or ordered there. They may be found, too, in the Public Library in Chestnut Hill, and at the Fireside Book Shop.



The Rotan Legacy

Through the generosity of the late Samuel P. Rotan, St. Paul's has been presented with a legacy of \$10,000., payable when the trusts left for members of his family lapse. This is an extraordinarily kind gift as it equals in amount that which was left to another parish where he was a vestryman.



Bishop Strider to Return

The preacher at the 11 o'clock service on Sunday, March 16th, will be our friend, the Rt. Rev. R. E. L. Strider, D. D., who carried on our Parochial Preaching Mission last year. He brought us such a considerable contribution that we shall all gladly greet him when he comes back again.



Girls' Friendly Society

During Lent the G. F. S. will have a mission study class on the subject, "Our World At Work." There will be a supper on March 10th at 7 P. M., followed by a speaker who will tell about some phase of our Church's missionary work. As there will be open discussion at each meeting, we hope that all the members will come and contribute to the success of the class by joining in these discussions.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR FEBRUARY

PUPILS

Allen, Clifford, 4	Nimon, Evelyn, 4	Kane, Hamilton, 3
Ashenfelder, Harry, 3	Nimon, Mary, 3	Kane, Robert, 4
Ayton, Elizabeth, 5	Oppenlander, Betty, 5	Kite, Clement, 1
Ayton, George, 5	Parry, Francis, 4	Kulp, Betty, 5
Ayton, Henry, 4	Parry, John, 4	Kulp, Robert, 4
Bechtel, Alfred, 2	Parry, Richard, 4	Lavelle, Helene, 4
Binford, Franklin, 5	Parry, Stephen, 4	Lavelle, Richard, 5
Birckhead, Francesca, 5	Peabody, Endicott, 3	Lavelle, Robert, 5
Birckhead, Olivia, 5	Peabody, Mary, 2	Leiper, Carol, 2
Blair, Edgar, 5	Peabody, Samuel, 4	Liberg, Carl, 1
Blair, Virginia, 5	Pearson, Danny, 3	Lightcap, Norman, 5
Blair, Thomas, 5	Pearson, Stephen, 4	Mathers, Mildred, 5
Boyd, Eleanor, 2	Platt, Clayton, 1	Mathews, John, 3
Boyd, Fulton, 1	Prevette, Donald, 2	McEvers, Hugh, 2
Brewster, Betty, 5	Prevette, Eugenia, 4	McNamee, Thelma, 3
Brewster, Mary, 4	Reath, Henry, 5	Merryweather, Mary, 5
Brown, William, 4	Redhouse, Russell, 5	Merryweather, Virginia, 4
Brunt, Lucinda, 5	Robinson, Nancy, 2	Messenger, Carl, 4
Brunt, Thomas, 5	Root, Stanley, 5	Messenger, Frances, 5
Buckenhorst, Harriett, 5	Roth, Mary, 4	Murphey, Evelyn, 4
Cheston, Annette, 2	Roth, Walter, 2	Murphey, Rhoads, 3
Clay, Mary, 1	Stem, William, 3	Wistar, Cresson, 2
Cost, Edward, 4	Thompson, Isabella, 5	Wrigley, Arthur, 4
Dallas, Constance, 2	Thompson, John, 5	
Disston, Diana, 3	Thompson, William, 2	
Disston, Eliza, 4	Uhle, Omar, 5	
Disston, Sally, 4	Van Anglen, Eric, 4	
Duffy, Albert, 2	Van Anglen, Walter, 4	
Dunn, Jane, 3	Ward, Adelaide, 5	
Eggleston, Betty, 5	Whittaker, John, 3	
Eggleston, Thomas, 5	Williams, Aubry, 1	
Egnor, Edward, 1	Williams, Brewster, 1	
Elliison, Mary, 5	Williams, Leslie, 1	
Fisher, Julie, 4	Wilmot, Margaret, 5	
Fleu, Barty, 2	Wilmot, Nellie, 4	
Frazier, Agnes, 3	Hay, Duncan, 5	
German, Elizabeth, 5.	Hay, Ethel, 5	
Getz, Henry, 5	Hay, Peter, 4	
Goodfellow, Thorp, 5	Hay, Stephen, 4	
Grant, Joseph, 3	Hay, William, 5	
Hamilton, Alexander, 1	Heinith, Billy, 2	
Hannan, Doris, 3	Henderson, Edith, 5	
Harbison, Stuart, 1	Henderson, Mortland, 5	
Morris, William, 1	Henderson, Ruth, 4	
Murray, William, 3	Holland, Harry, 5	
Nalle, Dorothy, 3	Howe, Arthur, 5	
Nalle, Richard, 5	Huggins, Joseph, 5	
Newbold, Sewell, 2	Huggins, Margaret, 3	
Nimon, Dorothy, 5	Johnson, Robert, 4	

FACULTY

Birckhead, Rev. M. H., 3
Campbell, Mr. Perry, 4
Cheston, Miss Charlotte, 5
Coleman, Mr. Wilfred, Jr., 2
Dallas, Mr. George M., 1
Dunn, Miss, 5
Goodfellow, Mrs. Arthur, 5
Hay, Mr. Edward N., 4
Hay, Mrs. Edward N., 5
King, Miss Katherine, 4
Manning, Mr. Joseph T., 4
Morgan, Miss Nancy, 1
Nalle, Mrs. Richard, 5
Peabody, Mrs. Malcolm E., 5
Shuman, Miss Helen, 4
Ware, Mr. Walter, 4
Williamson, Miss Katherine, 5
Willing, Mrs. Charles, 5
Wistar, Mrs. C. C., Jr., 4
Wistar, Miss Elizabeth, 5
Wood, Miss Mary, 5
Young, Miss Carroll, 3

The Women's Friendly

The Women's Friendly is sewing this winter, first for the Supply Bureau, and after that allotment is finished, for the House of the Holy Child. As most of this work is done during meetings, and we are compelled to work by hand, much time is wasted. We are very anxious to have our own electric sewing machine which while quiet will take care of long seams and those parts of the work which are best done mechanically. If any one reading this notice can assist us to find such a machine, we will all be very grateful, and the work which is our contribution to the Church much advanced thereby.

Later there will be a rummage sale, which will be an outlet for those things left over from the winter that puzzle us all to dispose of.

ELSIE DOUGLAS.



A Way to Help

If there is anyone who would be willing to assist the Choir Mothers in the mending of the cottas, their services would be very much appreciated. Will any who are interested kindly call C. H. 0785 for further information and instruction?



Dr. Grenfell Coming to Preach

The parish is to be highly privileged by the visit of Sir Wilfred Grenfell, K. C. M. G., who will make an address at our 11 o'clock service on Sunday, March 30th. He will come definitely to appeal for the support of his work, but he never fails to deliver a message that promotes the religious life of all who hear him. He, too, will be most thoroughly welcome at St. Paul's.



Bishop Rowe in Philadelphia

There is to be a meeting at the Bellevue-Stratford on Thursday, March 13, at 8:30 P. M. under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese at which Bishop Rowe, of Alaska, will speak. He is one of the outstanding

figures of the Church. Any members of this congregation who find they can go will be most welcome there.



Positions Wanted

A YOUNG WOMAN, a member of this parish, recently graduated from a business school, would like a position as a secretary or stenographer.

A YOUNG WOMAN, graduate of a business school, would like full or part time employment in secretarial work. She prefers a position in the country. For further information regarding either of the above, kindly call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

A WOMAN desires work by the hour taking care of children. If anyone needs such help, will they kindly call C. H. 3758?



CALENDAR

MARCH

2. Quinquagesima
5. Ash Wednesday
9. First Sunday in Lent
16. Second Sunday in Lent
23. Third Sunday in Lent
25. Annunciation
30. Fourth Sunday in Lent

PARISH REGISTER

BAPTISMS

Nancy Clement Neely
Peter Geyelin

MARRIAGES

Thomas C. Denton and
Margaret Litchfield

BURIALS

Joseph McLaughlin
Elizabeth C. Parsons
Mary Foster
Arthur Hugh Thompson
Elizabeth Haslam



Books Wanted

Books are badly needed for the Library at the Consumptive Hospital. Books of travel, history and fiction will be most gratefully received.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

What Really Matters.

"Especially must we teach our children this. The first prayer I want my son to learn to say for me is not 'God keep Daddy safe,' but 'God make Daddy brave, and if he has hard things to do make him strong to do them.' Life and death don't matter, Pat, my son; right and wrong do. Daddy dead is Daddy still, but Daddy dishonored before God is something awful, too bad for words." (*Studdert-Kennedy, "The Hardest Part."*)

Modern Psychology

Our minds are positively drenched with the popular form of modern psychological doctrine. We meet it on every hand—the newspaper, the advertisements, the conversation of our friends. Some of it tends to make us better students of human nature, but it certainly tends also to deprave conscience. It enormously extends the field of plausible excuses, for example. If we be treated tactlessly or thoughtlessly, if our happiness be impaired, "Who shall blame us," we reflect "for reacting unfavorably?" Thus one wrong act begets another.

Personal Responsibility

But our own wrong act is not inevitable, for we are not robots (whatever the Behaviourists say). Rather are we God's children whom He properly holds responsible for our actions. *And this makes all the difference in the world.* It means that we *don't* have to retaliate when people hurt us. We can forgive them. The pain may arouse in us the impulse to strike back, but a power within us that exalts mercy above revenge changes its direction and expres-

sion. Studdert-Kennedy is proclaiming a Christian idea 2000 years old and dulled with repetition, but it is one we still need desperately to learn. The Right and Wrong of our actions far outrun in importance anything else about them.

The Christian's Advantage

The concluding days of Lent and the Easter season each year portray anew that Character who above the most difficult situation that a man has ever encountered, rose sublime. In following His footsteps we shall rediscover the springhead of inspiration whence He drew His power. In the light of His struggle and victory we shall pick up heart to live nearer to Him through the coming months.



It Is Good to Be Here

Christ, whom men saw on the mountain-top transfigured with the splendour of God; Christ, whom they saw at Thy ascension girt about with the light of heaven, Thy pierced hands stretched out in longing over the world; open our eyes to see Thee as Thou art; help us to know Thee, that we may love Thee; so to love Thee that we may grow more like Thee; so to follow Thee that through us others may know Thee and find in Thee their hope, their life, their joy. Amen.—(*From the Grey Book.*)



"Christ's Offering and Ours"

The Lord took bread, and said it was His Body; and He gave thanks for it, and broke it, and gave it to them and said, "Do this in remembrance of Me." He took the bread of which He said it

was His Body—"This is My Body: as I treat this bread, so I treat My Body"—and gave it to them; and said, "Do that, if you want to show you remember Me." Do what? The sign, no doubt. But far more important, what it signifies. The demand is nothing less than this, that men should take their whole human life, and break it, and give it for the good of others.—*Archbishop Temple.*



China Famine Continues

Stories of the stark horror of the famine in north China continue to issue from the China Famine Relief. Its cause has been excessive drought over a period of three to five years. Its zone is five great provinces in north China far removed from the area of the civil war. The Chinese Government has in spite of its poverty appropriated \$2,500,000. to meet the need. \$750,000. has been forwarded by the China Famine Relief from our own country.

In spite of this, over 5,000,000 have died and many more millions are doomed. In addition to the famine, typhus fever rages in the summer, while the cold in Shensi has been so intense that thousands have frozen there daily in the winter.

The earliest harvest cannot occur in north Shensi before September, nor in the southwest part of the province before July. A missionary who knows the ground reports: "Saddest of all sights was to see the families moving listlessly along the highroads, wandering anywhere where there might be the smallest possible chance of obtaining food, and to see the parents, when the strength of the children gave out, urging themselves forward in order to get out of earshot of the moans of the little ones who were thus abandoned to their fate."

The relief has taken the form chiefly of direct feeding, but it is also important to create means of self-support by means of road-building, irrigation projects, flood damming, dykeing, giving employ-

ment to large numbers, and supplying seed beans, which mature more quickly than any other crop.

The directors of the China Famine Relief and the National Committee who represent clergy and laymen of all churches and of none are now making their appeal throughout the country. A dollar will go a long way in China. Our country has already saved from one quarter to one half a million lives. Will any who care to help send their checks to the Rector or direct to the China Famine Relief, U. S. A., 205 E. 42nd Street, New York City?



Changed Church Ceiling

The lack of resonance in the new church is virtually the only mar to its perfection. The choir and the organ cannot be properly heard and the congregation is prevented from singing effectively. The cause of this is the incorporation of "Acoustex" paneling in the ceiling. When this is removed we have every reason to believe that our acoustical problem will disappear also.

The work of replacing the Acoustex with oak will begin directly after Easter, but will not interfere with our Sunday services. The work will be completed on three bays each week and the scaffolding entirely removed by the week-end. The entire operation should be over by the end of May.



Dr. Fosbroke to Take Three Hour Service

St. Paul's people will have the privilege of listening to one of the best preachers in the Church on Good Friday at the Three Hour Service. Dean Fosbroke, of the General Theological Seminary in New York, the official seminary of our Church, will make the addresses and conduct the prayers. He was formerly professor of Old Testament at the Cambridge Theological Seminary, where he proved himself to be a teacher of outstanding capacity. His contribution should be a very considerable one.

The Women's Friendly

Once in a while things happen which are so wonderful and bring such real happiness in their train, that one can only thank the Giver of all Good Gifts for the kindness that makes them possible.

So it was with the Friendly, when on Wednesday evening we found a "brand new" Wilcox & Gibbs electric sewing machine waiting for us! A machine that runs like clock work and is going to keep us all working at top speed to give it sufficient work to do!

Who the giver is we have not as yet been able to discover, but we would like so very much to know, for one of the best things about a gift is the joy of saying "Thank you" in person. If that same giver will not tell us where we may turn, this note must be our thanks, but we hope that the real joy and blessing which has come to us and to those for whom we work will circle back to the heart of our good friend whose thought of us made this fulfillment of our wish come to pass.

In the name of all the Friendly,
ELSIE DOUGLAS.



The Girls' Friendly Society

During March the G. F. S. has been studying "Our World at Work" in Japan, China, the Philippines and Porto Rico. In April we shall continue this with Africa and the United States for subjects.

There will be a supper on Monday, April 7, at 7 P. M., to which all members are cordially invited to come and bring a "covered dish."



Young People's Fellowship

Mr. Peabody's enlightening talk on "How to Keep Lent" and Mr. Birckhead's talk on "Lent," in the past month, both served to bring to the Y. P. F. a clearer understanding of the Lenten season.

The Sunday evening meetings of the Fellowship in the coming month will

be devoted to discussions by the members. All social activities, however, will be suspended until after May the ninth, at which time the Fellowship will present the play, "A Second Puncture."

We are looking forward to seeing Mr. Starr's motion pictures of his trip to Guatemala in the near future.

All young people desiring to join the Young People's Fellowship come to a meeting and see and let yourselves be seen. You will be cordially welcomed.



Caring for Undernourished Children of the Unemployed

In response to a very urgent need for immediate action, the Diocesan Committee of the Woman's Auxiliary has undertaken to organize at St. Barnabas' Mission, 3rd and Dauphin Streets, Kensington, a station which is supplying a substantial supper five evenings a week.

The rector, Mr. Eastburn, and the workers at St. Barnabas have borne the brunt of the work. Money has been supplied from St. Paul's and other churches to pay for the food, and five parishes, among them our own, have taken charge each of one evening.

The children who receive tickets for the suppers belong to the Out-patient Department of the Episcopal Hospital, of St. Christopher's Hospital and St. Barnabas' Mission itself. It is in no sense a "free for all." The children helped are definitely of the undernourished type.

160 children are daily supplied with a substantial supper and the capacity of the Mission is being daily expanded to care for more. The work will probably go on for some weeks. No more money is needed but we are greatly in need of workers who will undertake to give their Thursday afternoons to this most important piece of service. Will those so inclined kindly get in touch with the Parish Secretary, Miss Harraden, C. H. 0359?

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR MARCH

PUPILS

Allen, Clifford, 5	Huggins, John, 5
Anderson, Robert, 3	Huggins, Joseph, 6
Ashenfelder, Harry, 4	Huggins, Margaret, 4
Ayton, Elizabeth, 6	Jordan, Jane, 3
Ayton, George, 6	Kane, Peter, 4
Ayton, Henry, 5	Kane, Robert, 5
Binford, Franklin, 6	Kulp, Robert, 5
Birckhead, Francesca, 6	Lavelle, Helene, 5
Birckhead, Sally, 5	Lavelle, Richard, 6
Blair, Edgar, 6	Lavelle, Robert, 6
Blair, Thomas, 6	Leapson, Barbara, 1
Boyd, Dorothy, 1	Leapson, Doris, 2
Boyd, Eleanor, 3	Leapson, Winifred, 1
Boyd, Fulton, 2	Lightcap, Norman, 6
Boyd, Nancy, 4	Meehan, Franklin, 3
Brannen, Helen, 5	Merryweather, Mary, 6
Buckenhorst, Harriett, 6	Messenger, Francis, 6
Craig, Jack, 4	Millman, Janet, 2
Currier, Isaac, 3	Murphey, Evelyn, 5
Davis, Oudry, 1	Murphey, Rhoads, 4
Disston, Jessie, 4	Morris, William, 2
Disston, Mary, 4	Nalle, Richard, 6
Disston, Sally, 5	Newhall, Barbara, 4
Eggleston, Thomas, 6	Nimon, Dorothy, 6
Egnor, Edward, 2	Nimon, Evelyn, 5
Elgin, Robert, 3	Nimon, Mary, 4
Ellison, Mary, 6	Oppenlander, Betty, 6
Ellison, Thomas, 5	Parry, Francis, 5
Fisher, Julia, 5	Parry, John, 5
German, Elizabeth, 6	Parry, Richard, 5
Getz, Henry, 6	Parry, Stephen, 5
Goodfellow, Thorp, 6	Peabody, Endicott, 4
Goodin, Gail, 3	Reath, Henry, 6
Goodrich, Elizabeth, 3	Redhouse, Russell, 6
Grant, Joseph, 4	Robinson, Nancy, 3
Grant, Nancy, 3	Root, Stanley, 6
Hannan, Doris, 4	Roth, Mary, 3
Hart, Edward, 3	Roth, Walter, 3
Hay, Ethel, 6	Ruc, Francis, 1
Hay, Stephen, 5	Rust, Randolph, 2
Heaton, Thomas, 2	Shantz, Irma, 3
Henderson, Edith, 6	Shuman, Frank, 1
Henderson, Mortland, 6	Sims, Joseph, 2
Henderson, Ruth, 5	Smith, Eleanor, 3
Howe, Arthur, 6	Smith, Helen, 2

Swain, Helen, 5
Thompson, Isabella, 6
Thompson, John, 6
Van Anglen, Eric, 6
Van Anglen, Robert, 2
Ward, Adelaide, 6
West, Harry, 2
West, Thompson, 1
Williams, Brewster, 2
Wilmot, Margaret, 6
Wilmot, Robert, 4
Wilmot, William, 4
Wood, Eleanor, 1
Zimmerman, Richard, 1
Zimmerman, Teddy, 2

FACULTY

Birckhead, Rev. M. H.
Campbell, Mr. Perry, 5
Coleman, Mr. S. W., 3
Dallas, Mr. George, 2
Dixon, Miss Gilbert, 2
Dunn, Miss, 6
Goodfellow, Mrs. Arthur, 6
Hay, Mr. Edward M., 5
Hunter, Mr. Alfred, 1
King, Miss Katherine, 5
Manning, Mr. Jos. T., Jr., 5
Moore, Mr. Richard, 5
Morgan, Mr. Marshal S., 1
Newhall, Mrs. William, P., 4
Peabody, Mrs. Malcolm E., 6
Redhouse, Mr. Herbert, 6
Ritter, Miss Marie, 4
Starr, Mr. Isaac, 5
Ware, Mr. Walter, 5
Wetherill, Mr. W. Chattin, 2
Wetherill, Mrs. W. Chattin, 1
Williamson, Miss Katherine, 6
Willing, Mrs. Charles, 6
Wistar, Miss Elizabeth, 6
Wood, Miss Molly, 6
Wright, Mr. Minturn, 4

Sewing Machine Needed

The Home for Consumptives, Chestnut Hill, needs a sewing machine. If anyone knows of a machine that is not in use, it would be very much appreciated at the Home.

Positions Wanted

A YOUNG WOMAN, an experienced teacher, who has taught music and other subjects, would like a resident position in the country as a governess. For further information, kindly call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

A YOUNG WOMAN would like work by the day taking care of children, doing waitress' work, or any other kind of work. She may be reached at Victor 7505.

A YOUNG MAN would like work by the hour or day doing such things as "spring cleaning" in the house or garden. He may be reached at C. H. 4169.

PERSONAL CARE and constructive play during afternoons for the "Unusual Child." For information call Germantown 6173.



Calendar for Holy Week and Easter Day

Palm Sunday
8:00 Holy Communion
9:30 Morning Prayer and Address
11:00 Morning Prayer and Sermon
2:15 Bible Class
7:45 Evening Prayer and Address
Monday, Tuesday
7:30 Holy Communion
5:00 Evening Prayer

Wednesday
7:30 Holy Communion
8:15 Dr. Yerkes' last lecture

Maundy-Thursday

7:30 Holy Communion
8:15 Evening Celebration of the Holy Communion

Good Friday

9:30 Children's Service
12 to 3 Three Hour Service of the Passion, conducted by the Very Rev. Hughell E. W. Fosbroke, D. D.

Easter Even

7:30 Holy Communion
4:00 Holy Baptism

Easter Day

7:00 Holy Communion
8:00 Holy Communion
9:30 Holy Communion
11:00 Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon
2:15 Bible Class
3:30 Carol Service

Easter Monday and Tuesday
7:30 Holy Communion

CALENDAR
APRIL

6. Fifth (Passion) Sunday in Lent
13. Palm Sunday
14. Monday before Easter
15. Tuesday before Easter
16. Wednesday before Easter
17. Maundy-Thursday
18. Good Friday
19. Easter Even
20. Easter Day
21. Easter Monday
22. Easter Tuesday
27. First Sunday after Easter
28. S. Mark, Evangelist

PARISH REGISTER
BURIALS

Edward J. Lavino
Lillie L. Harshaw
Howard S. Kneedler

PARISH DIRECTORY

S. PAUL'S CHURCH

East Chestnut Avenue

SERVICES

1st and 3rd Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Holy Communion and Sermon at 11 A. M.

2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 A. M.

Church School: Sunday, 9:30 A. M.

Men's Bible Class: Sunday, 2:15 P. M.

Evening Prayer and Address: Sunday, 7:45 P. M.

Thursdays—Holy Communion at 7:30 and 10 A. M.

Fridays—Morning Prayer and Litany at 10 A. M.

Saints' Days—Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M.

The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

Rector

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Curate

REV. MALBONE H. BIRCKHEAD

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JOSEPH WOOD WAGNER
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Executive Secretary, Miss Margaret Earle
General Secretary, Mrs. E. B. Clay.
Treasurer, Miss Margaret Earle
Primary Dept. Chairman, Miss Charlotte Cheston
Choir, Mrs. Charles Willing

PARISH AGENCIES

The Altar Society—Warden, Mrs. John Andrews Harris, Jr.; Secretary, Mrs. Joseph R. Carpenter, Jr.; Treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Bartow.
Men's Bible Class—President, Isaac Starr; Vice President, Elijah Dallett; Chaplain, Rev. M. H. Birckhead. Meetings, Sundays at 2:15 P. M.
The Church Periodical Club—Mrs. Robert L. Wood.
The Girls' Friendly Society—Branch President, Mrs. M. E. Peabody. Meetings, Mondays at 8:15 P. M.
The Woman's Auxiliary—President, Mrs. B. Franklin Pepper. Meetings, Fridays at 10:30 A. M.
The Woman's Friendly—President, Miss Elsie Douglas. Meetings, Wednesdays at 8 P. M.
The Parish Council—Chairman, Rev. M. E. Peabody.
Young People's Fellowship—President, Lawrence Corn. Meetings, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Every other Friday at 8.
Woodcraft League—Head Guide, Rev. M. H. Birckhead; Chief, Henry Scheetz; Foot Chief, Samuel Wilmot; Tally Keeper, Stephen Kesler; Wampum Keeper, George Wilmot; Medicine Man, John Jago. Meetings, Thursdays at 7 P. M.

CHOIR

Sopranos

Isaac Currier
Mortland Henderson
Robert Morrow
William Wilmot
Harry Ashenfelder
P. Duffy
Ralph Matlack
Robert Lavelle
J. Brown
David Lawson
B. Fleu
Robert Wilmot
Thomas Meehan
Duncan Hay

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A. W. Specht
James R. Corgee
John Wetherstine
Samuel Berry

Tenors

David J. Olsen
Edward Wallis
H. Tomlinson
Louis H. Dow

Basses

Lewis Easby
Logan M. Dayton
Wm. De Vore
Fred A. Barber
Leonard Davies
Thomas Branson

Crucifer: Robert L. Wood, Jr.

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Choir Mothers: Miss Christine Frazier, Miss Julia Ross.

Rehearsals

Tuesdays at 4:15 and 7:30 P. M.
Wednesdays at 4:15 and 7:30 P. M.
Fridays at 4:15 and 7:30 P. M.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

How Estimate the Church?

Were someone to ask "What is the Church's work?" would you consider "The extent to which its members practice the good life" a satisfactory answer? Many people would feel it to be so. And of course, "the good life" is in a sense the aim of our religion. But if we believe this mustn't we be constantly on our guard lest in seeking it we be led to direct all our efforts toward making works of art of ourselves?

Christianity views the good life rather as a means to accomplish something far beyond itself. Most other religions are satisfied simply with the refinement of the individual. But Jesus' view of salvation was always social. He gave Himself away for others' sakes. He just couldn't save Himself if He were to save them. It is in this utterly selfless life consecrated to the service of others that we recognize real goodness today. It is rather by the amount of reckless self-giving among its members that the Church is actually being judged.

Translated Into Human Terms

To set St. Paul's against such a test would reveal a number of people who actually do to an extraordinary extent live up to this teaching. It would shock them terribly to be told they were "Saints." But judged by what they do for others they deserve the title. Most of us, however, live for others by fits and starts. We supply a good honest bit of help today and smugly carry on upon its merit for a week or more.

This kind of lukewarm Christianity does not heat up others much. Perhaps because it is so common the Church has difficulty in gaining recruits for the mission field. Just now the call has come for nurses, evangelists, and teachers to go to Japan, China, the Philippines, or Liberia. They are needed immediately. Who will go? Leaving one's home costs something. On the other hand, life as a missionary in these countries infinitely exceeds in interest and satisfaction a life spent here. Losing one's life to find it really does work out in practice—hard as that is to believe.

When the Risen Christ said to His friends, "Go ye into all the world," He considered their going a test of their loyalty. To every Church built in His Name He is addressing the same direction still, and He looks toward St. Paul's hopefully as He does so. Is there here someone who will respond to His call?



The Limits of Broadmindedness

It is all very well to discover parallels to the teaching of Jesus in the doctrines of Brahminism, Hinduism, and Buddhism, but the fact remains that there is an inevitable conflict between Christianity and any religion which (a) is solely concerned with the salvation of the individual soul, (b) seeks salvation by withdrawing from or escaping out of this world of men and things and not by transforming and redeeming it, (c) sets a higher value upon inner wisdom than it does upon right action.—G. A. Studdert Kennedy, *"The Warrior, the Woman and the Christ."*

The Church's New Ceiling

Work goes on apace in the replacing of the acoustic material in the church ceiling with decorated oak panels. The two bays over the altar have alone been sufficient to show that the increased resonance will enormously improve the music and it is hoped will also make the church an easier place in which to speak. The greater beauty of the design is unquestionable, while the slight reflection that comes from the hard wooden surface will make the building brighter.

The outlay of money, while not inconsiderable, is a small item compared to our total cost and certainly not a great expense in view of the advantages to be gained.

A Great Missionary Meeting

There will be a meeting on Monday evening, May 5, at 8:15, in the Academy of Music, to promote the fortunes of the Church's Program for Advance Work.

The fact is that our Church's work in the mission field is going ahead so rapidly that the home base is hardly able to keep up with it. Every missionary bishop is in need of funds to build new churches, schools and hospitals. A few of the many pressing needs have been selected as the basis for an appeal to the whole Church. The objective is a limited one, only \$1,500,000, out of which our diocese has volunteered to raise \$113,000.

The objects to which this money will be devoted are the new Iolani School building in Honolulu, Bishop Beecher's Cathedral in Hastings, Nebraska, a church for Bishop Casady in Oklahoma and various other projects in Mexico, Wyoming, East Carolina, and elsewhere.

A choir of 250 voices will lead the singing on Monday night and three of the missionary bishops will address us. Already a considerable number of people have stated that they desired tickets. All that are left will be distributed to

those who ask for them after service on Sunday morning.

Help Given St. Barnabas

A number of women of the parish for the past two months have been going every Thursday afternoon to St. Barnabas' Mission, in Kensington, where they have served supper to some two hundred children. The food was bought with money subscribed principally in this parish and the results have been most happy. The hospitals report that the children's health is greatly improved. Some of the workers have taken down clothing and other necessary articles which have been most thoroughly appreciated.

Volunteers are still needed to carry on the work during May. One group leaves the Parish House each Thursday at one o'clock. The other is asked to be at the Parish House not later than 3:30. As thirteen workers *who can be counted upon* are needed for the work, we have tried to organize things more carefully by asking the workers to volunteer for certain dates and send a substitute if they cannot go themselves. Will any interested in taking a hand in this most helpful undertaking kindly call the Parish Secretary, C. H. 0359, and leave their names?

May 20, Primary Day

In the excitement of ordinary daily living it is easy to forget that so important a matter as the choice of party nominees for Governor and Senator is to be made in this State on Tuesday, May 20. Let us try to keep the date in mind. A democracy depends for its very life upon the personal responsibility assumed by its citizens in the conduct of public affairs.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR APRIL

PUPILS

Adamson, Talbot, 4
Ash, Kitty, 2
Aitken, John, 2
Aitken, Theodore, 3
Allen, Clifford, 6
Allen, Herrick, 3
Anderson, Robert, 4
Ayton, Elizabeth, 7
Ayton, George, 7
Ayton, Henry, 6
Bechtel, Alfred, 3
Birkhead, Francesca, 7
Birkhead, Sally, 6
Bishop, Mary, 1
Blair, Edgar, 7
Blair, Virginia, 6
Blair, Thomas, 7
Boyd, Eleanor, 4
Boyd, Nancy, 5
Brannen, Helen, 6
Brewster, Betty, 6
Brewster, Mary, 5
Brown, William, 5
Brunt, Lucinda, 6
Brunt, Thomas, 6
Buckenhurst, Harriet, 7
Cheston, Annette, 3
Currier, Isaac, 4
Dallas, Constance, 3
Darrow, George, 4
Disston, Diana, 4
Disston, Eliza, 5
Disston, Jacob, 3
Disston, Lucy, 2
Disston, Sally, 6
Duffy, Albert, 3
Eggleston, Betty, 6
Eggleston, Thomas, 7
Egnor, Edward, 3
Elgin, Robert, 4
Ellison, Mary, 7
Ellison, Thomas, 6
Fassitt, Matilda, 1
Fleu, Barty, 3
Fleu, Conyers, 3
Fulmer, Helen, 1
Geary, Louise, 1
Geary, Mary, 1
German, Elizabeth, 7
Getz, Henry, 7
Goodfellow, Thorp, 7
Goodin, Gail, 4
Goodrich, Anne, 3
Goodrich, Elizabeth, 3
Grant, Joseph, 5
Grant, Nancy, 4
Grant, Patricia, 2
Hamilton, Alexander, 2
Hannan, Doris, 5
Harbison, Stuart, 2

Hay, Duncan, 6
Hay, Ethel, 7
Hay, Peter, 5
Hay, Stephen, 6
Heaton, Thomas, 3
Heinith, Billy, 3
Henderson, Edith, 7
Henderson, Mortland, 7
Henderson, Ruth, 6
Holland, Alice, 5
Howe, Arthur, 7
Huggins, John, 6
Huggins, Joseph, 7
Johnson, Katherine, 4
Jordan, Jane, 4
Kane, Peter, 5
Kane, Robert, 6
Kentig, Josephine, 1
Kite, Clement, 2
Kulp, Betty, 7
Lavelle, Helene
Lavelle, Richard, 7
Lavelle, Robert, 7
Liggett, Louise, 4
Lightcap, Norman, 7
Mathers, Mildred, 6
Mathews, John, 4
McEvers, Hugh, 3
McNamee, Joseph, 3
McNamee, Thelma, 4
Meehan, Thomas, 4
Meryweather, Juliana, 4
Meryweather, Mary, 7
Meryweather, Virginia, 5
Messenger, Carl, 4
Messenger, Frances, 7
Millman, Janet, 3
Murphey, Evelyn, 6
Morris, William, 3
Murray, William, 4
Nalle, Dorothy, 4
Nalle, Richard, 7
Newhall, Barbara, 5
Newhall, Paul, 3
Nimon, Mary, 5
Oppenlander, Betty, 7
Parry, Francis, 6
Parry, John, 6
Parry, Richard, 6
Parry, Stephen, 6
Peabody, George, 4
Peabody, Mary, 3
Peabody, Samuel, 5
Pearson, Danny, 4
Pearson, Stanley, 3
Pearson, Stephen, 5
Pemberton, Priscilla, 4
Prevette, Donald, 3
Prevette, Eugenia, 5
Reath, Henry, 7

Redhouse, Russell, 7
Roth, Mary, 6
Roth, Walter, 4
Rust, Randolph, 3
Schaefer, Jane, 1
Shantz, Irma, 4
Sheetz, Harvey, 1
Shuman, Frank, 3
Sims, Joseph, 3
Thompson, Crofton, 1
Thompson, Isabella, 7
Thompson, John, 7
Van Anglen, Eric, 6
Van Anglen, Robert, 3
Van Anglen, Walter, 5
Ward, Adelaide, 7
Ward, Richard, 2
West, Harry, 3
Whittaker, Philip, 5
Williams, Aubry, 2
Williams, Brewster, 3
Wilmot, Margaret, 7
Wilmot, Nellie, 5
Wilmot, Robert, 5
Wilmot, William, 5
Wright, Minturn, 3
Wright, Nancy, 4

FACULTY

Birkhead, Rev. M. H., 5
Campbell, Mr. Perry, 6
Cheston, Miss Charlotte, 6
Clay, Mrs. Edward B., 3
Dallas, Mr. George M., 3
Dashiell, Miss Alice, 2
Earle, Miss Margaret, 4
Goodfellow, Mrs. Arthur, 7
Hay, Mr. Edward M., 6
Hunter, Mr. Alfred, 2
King, Miss Katherine, 6
Moore, Mr. Richard, 7
Morgan, Mr. Marshall S., 2
Nalle, Mrs. Richard T., 6
Newhall, Mrs. William P., 5
Peabody, Mrs. Malcolm E., 7
Redhouse, Mr. Herbert, 7
Ritter, Miss Marie, 4
Starr, Mr. Isaac, 6
Stewart, Mr. Roy, 4
Ware, Mr. Walter, 6
Weill, Mrs. Alfred S., 4
Weill, Mrs. Louise, 4
Wetherill, Mrs. W. Chattin, 2
Williamson, Miss Katherine, 7
Willing, Mrs. Charles C., 7
Wistar, Miss Elizabeth, 7
Wood, Miss Molly, 7
Wright, Mr. Minturn, 6
Wright, Mrs. Minturn, 5
Young, Miss Carroll, 4

Unemployment in the City

A letter signed by the chiefs of most of the Protestant Churches in the city has gone out to all clergymen. It states that the appropriation received for relief from the City Council and the special funds raised by the Welfare Federation will quickly be absorbed. Acute distress will continue unless more funds are available. Church people are being asked to help relieve the situation by contributing funds through the Philadelphia Federation of Churches, 1505 Race Street, marked "Welfare," and also to examine their houses or places of business to discover any proposed work, cleaning or renovation, for which they wish to hire help. The Federation's Employment Agency will gladly furnish required laborers or artisans.

Conference on the Ministry

At St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H., a conference is to be held on the Ministry from June 21 to 26. It is primarily designed for school boys in the two upper classes of high or preparatory school. Hospitality without charge will be provided at the school.

The object of the conference is to consider the Christian Ministry as a life work. First rate leaders have been secured and the meetings will without doubt be on the same excellent level as they have been at similar conferences in the past.

No pledge or decision regarding life work will be asked for or accepted. A boy who has attended will simply gain a pretty clear idea about the opportunity and demands of the ministry as a profession.

The rector will be glad to talk to any boys in the parish who are interested.

Y. P. F.

It is getting late and the only shelter within miles proves to be a deserted log cabin, which the two young women welcome joyously after a second puncture while motoring through the mountains. Like Goldilock, when the owners returned they wanted to flee, but having no place to go they remained for the night, only to find that the morning brought greater complications—a burglar having entered during the night. Thus we have the incident around which the play centers. The date of the play, "The Second Puncture," is May 23rd, at 8 P. M. A dance will follow the play.

G. F. S.

On Monday evening, May 12th, the G. F. S. will hold a Mothers' Supper, followed by motion pictures.

The Society is planning to hold a Mother Goose Garden Party on June 7th. The next issue of the "Leaflet" will have further information about it.

Rummage!

The Women's Friendly Society will hold a Rummage Sale, Saturday May 17th. With spring house-cleaning at hand we are looking for much help from our friends. Through the courtesy of the Allan brothers we have been able to secure their finely located store at 850+ Germantown Avenue, which is in the very center of Chestnut Hill.

Articles will be called for Thursday and Friday if a request is sent to Mrs. George Grebe, 38 East Evergreen Avenue, telephone C. H. 0873.

Thanks From China Famine Relief

Quite a touching personal letter has come from the National Director of the China Famine Relief in response to gifts sent in through this parish. He points out that the sacrifice of human life is greater than in any recent catastrophe, that the relief is being accomplished effectively and in perfect safety, but that still more money must be contributed if the starving millions of these people are to survive until the next harvest.

The Good Friday Offering for Jerusalem and the East Mission amounted to \$182.92.

The Easter Offering for general Church purposes amounted to \$2,057.27.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Two adjoining rooms, with or without meals. Near Reading Station. For further information call C. H. 2942, or the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

POSITION WANTED—A young woman recently graduated from business college and a member of this parish would like a position as a secretary or stenographer. Kindly call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359, for further information.

WORK WANTED—On of the boys who has sung for some years in the choir is looking for a job. He will be glad to try his hand at anything. If anyone is interested further information may be secured by calling the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

KALENDAR

MAY

- 1 St. Philip and St. James
- 4 2nd Sunday after Easter
- 11 3rd Sunday after Easter
- 18 4th Sunday after Easter
- 25 5th Sunday after Easter
- 26 Rogation Monday
- 27 Rogation Tuesday
- 28 Rogation Wednesday
- 29 Ascension Day

PARISH REGISTER

BAPTISMS

Dorothy Elaine Forbes
Ellen Madeleine Johnson
Alfred Philip Snyder

BURIALS

Alice Gowen

The Visiting Nurse Society of Philadelphia offers nursing care to persons ill at home and under the care of a physician. This service is given by a staff of graduate registered nurses to anyone within the City of Philadelphia, between the hours of 8 A. M. and 5 P. M. The cost of a visit is \$1.00.

Patients may have a nurse by appointment between 8:30 A. M. and 5 P. M. at a cost of \$1.75 per hour.

To secure a nurse call Pennypacker 1421.

PARISH DIRECTORY

S. PAUL'S CHURCH

East Chestnut Avenue

SERVICES

1st and 3rd Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Holy Communion and Sermon at 11 A. M.

2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 A. M.

Church School: Sunday, 9:30 A. M.

Men's Bible Class: Sunday, 2:15 P. M.

Evening Prayer and Address: Sunday, 7:45 P. M.

Thursdays—Holy Communion at 7:30 and 10 A. M.

Fridays—Morning Prayer and Litany at 10 A. M.

Saints' Days—Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M.

The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

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Curate

REV. MALBONE H. BIRCKHEAD

22 E. Chestnut Avenue. Telephone C. H. 1310

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Clearbrook 3969

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FRANK A. ROTH

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Superintendent, REV. M. E. PEABODY
Executive Secretary, Miss Margaret Earle
General Secretary, Mrs. E. B. Clay.
Treasurer, Miss Margaret Earle
Primary Dept. Chairman, Miss Charlotte Cheston
Choir, Mrs. Charles Willing

PARISH AGENCIES

The Altar Society—Warden, Mrs. John Andrews
Harris, Jr.; Secretary, Mrs. Joseph R. Carpenter, Jr.; Treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Bartow.
Men's Bible Class—President, Isaac Starr; Vice President, Elijah Dallett; Chaplain, Rev. M. H. Birckhead. Meetings, Sundays at 2:15 P. M.
The Church Periodical Club—Mrs. Robert L. Wood.
The Girls' Friendly Society—Branch President, Mrs. M. E. Peabody. Meetings, Mondays at 8:15 P. M.
The Woman's Auxiliary—President, Mrs. B. Franklin Pepper. Meetings, Fridays at 10:30 A. M.
The Woman's Friendly—President, Miss Elsie Douglas. Meetings, Wednesdays at 8 P. M.
The Parish Council—Chairman, Rev. M. E. Peabody.
Young People's Fellowship—President, Lawrence Corn. Meetings, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Every other Friday at 8.
Woodcraft League—Head Guide, Rev. M. H. Birckhead; Chief, Henry Scheetz; Foot Chief, Samuel Wilmot; Tally Keeper, Stephen Kessler; Wampum Keeper, George Wilmot; Medicine Man, John Jago. Meetings, Thursdays at 7 P. M.

CHOIR

Sopranos

William Thompson
Norman Lightcap
Richard Lavelle
Ernest Williams
Omar Uhle
Edwin Morrow
Henry Ayton
Crofton Thompson
Henry Getz
Richard Ward
LeRoy Waters
Thomas Heaton
Harvey Scheetz
John Matthews
Thomas Blair
C. Fleu

Isaac Currier
Mortland Henderson
Robert Morrow
William Wilmot
Harry Ashenfelder
P. Duffy
Ralph Matlack
Robert Lavelle
J. Brown
David Lawson
B. Fleu
Robert Wilmot
Thomas Meehan
Duncan Hay

Contra-Tenors

A. W. Specht
James R. Corgie

John Wetherstine
Samuel Berry

Tenors

David J. Olsen
Edward Wallis

H. Tomlinson
Louis H. Dow

Basses

Lewis Easby
Logan M. Dayton
Wm. De Vore

Fred A. Barber
Leonard Davies
Thomas Branson

Crucifer: Robert L. Wood, Jr.

Servers: George Huggins, Stephen Getz, George Wilmot, Samuel Wilmot, Lloyd Michener, Robert Kurtz, Edward Parry, Henry F. Parry, Edgar Blair, Robert Morrow, Arthur Wrigley.
Choir Mothers: Miss Christine Frazier, Miss Julia Ross.

Rehearsals

Tuesdays at 4:15 and 7:30 P. M.
Wednesdays at 4:15 and 7:30 P. M.
Fridays at 4:15 and 7:30 P. M.

SAINT PAUL'S LEAFLET

"WHAT WILT THOU HAVE ME TO DO?"

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

Dr. Cheston

Our sorrow over the loss of Dr. Cheston is very hard adequately to express. He was the best friend of a great many people in this parish and in Chestnut Hill. The community has lost someone who cannot be replaced. Yet the quality of his life and the type of service that he rendered will continue to inspire us always.

What he did for each of us, for the Church, and for the hospital will make Chestnut Hill a better place forever. Future generations may possibly forget his name. They will never lose him as an integral part of their tradition. His contribution, while it chiefly inspires us who knew him, will remain for all time. He was indeed a builder of the Kingdom of God.

The Summer Worshipper

I once heard a man say that if he missed his prayers in the morning it gave him very much the same feeling all day long, as if he had missed his bath! He didn't mean that prayers did for the soul what soap and water does for the body. He meant that he was as dependent on his morning prayers as he was on bath or breakfast to start him off on the day. In other words, prayer had be-

come a habit on which his very life depended.

The lives of people who take Christianity seriously are marked by an absolute dependence upon God through prayer and worship. Regularly "talking with God" establishes a line of communication that nourishes the spirit and gives it life. This always includes some form of daily private prayer. It usually involves at least weekly attendance at Church worship.

Strangely enough, those very faithful to the Church often declare a holiday during the summer—as if "Church" meant to them their parish Church only and that simply during the more eventful half of the Church's Year. But may we not look on Sundays during the summer as a positive opportunity to gain in the quiet season of Trinity a deeper hold on those great lessons of Christianity that the gradually unfolding drama of Our Lord's Life has laid before us?—Thus to attend Church on Sunday *wherever we may be* as the natural practise of our regular habit will promote our spiritual progress, if with less incident, nevertheless with quite as much benefit as the worship of the winter months.



Summer Plans

The parish clergy will be in charge and in residence all through the summer. Sunday services will be as usual:

8 A. M. Holy Communion, 9:30 Morning Prayer and Address, 11 Holy Communion and Sermon on the first and third Sundays of the month, Morning Prayer and Sermon on the second, fourth and fifth Sundays.

The usual weekday services will be held throughout the month of June.

Mr. Birckhead has already started on his vacation. He will return for Trinity Sunday, June 15th. The rector and his family plan to sail for Europe on the 18th. He will return early in September. Mr. Birckhead will take the rest of his vacation at that time.

CHURCH SCHOOL

Summer Services

The service held at 9:30 every Sunday morning throughout the year was started for the special benefit of the Church School children. But so many others now come at this time, that we shall certainly carry on the service every Sunday during the summer. It would be a fine thing to have a large group of boys and girls there every Sunday morning. Why shouldn't we begin early in life to realize Sunday means "re-creation" chiefly because it calls us to the worship of God?

Commencement

The final session of the Church School will be held on Whitsunday, June 8th. We shall begin with exercises in the Parish House at 10:30 and then march up to the Church to take part with the parish in the great Whitsuntide service.

The School will give graduation diplomas to those who have completed the course.

1900 Years Old

Whitsunday this year marks the nineteen hundredth anniversary of the Church's birthday at Pentecost. It is being observed the world around as a very special festival. We shall observe it by informing our people of the significance of the occasion through a personal letter. A great service of worship on that Sunday morning will be a more effective recognition of the day than anything else we can do.

In the evening full Choral Evensong will be sung, the organ will be dedicated, and a recital will follow by Mr. Charles M. Courboin, one of the outstanding recitalists of the country, and the designer of the organ.

The day should be a memorable one in our parish history. Incidentally it will mark the first anniversary of the opening of the Church, which took place on Whitsunday, 1929.

Union Services

St. Paul's has for some years taken part with the other churches in Chestnut Hill in the Summer Union Services. This year they begin on June 15th at the usual hour of eight o'clock at the Methodist Church. They will extend through September 14th.

A card indicating the dates at which services will take place at the various churches will be found in our church vestibule.

This is a most admirable community undertaking, for it gives us an opportunity to join in common cause with our Christian neighbors. I hope that a number of St. Paul's people may find it possible to attend the services.

M. E. P.

Flower Mission

Members of the parish are asked to send flowers to the Parish House beginning Wednesday, June 4th, by ten o'clock, for the Flower Mission, and every Wednesday thereafter throughout the summer.

It would be a liberal education for any of us to visit the settlement houses, churches, and hospitals that receive our flowers and to observe the happiness that they bring.

The work has been done most efficiently of late years. It represents one of our principal activities during the summer. One hopes that we may have more flowers and workers than ever this year.

The Woman's Auxiliary

During the past year there have been 16 meetings of the Auxiliary, with an average attendance of 30 members. There were speakers representing the different mission fields at all the meetings except three. The first meeting on October 11 was given to business. On January 24 Mr. Peabody spoke about the three branches of mission work in the Church, Worship, Education, and Evangelism. On March 28 plans for the Wyck Garden Party were discussed.

Mr. Hastings came to us in January and made a very appealing address for the Indians in Wyoming. He told us of their magnanimity and their simple

faith, which helps them in poverty, illness and loss.

We had the pleasure of hearing Bishop Rowe, and members of the neighboring Auxiliaries were also invited to the meeting. He has abandoned old-fashioned methods of travel, boats and snowshoes, for the aeroplane, and he is able to carry more quickly his message of faith and healing to remote parts. He said the Auxiliary is the backbone of all the Church's work in Alaska.

Among the other speakers were Miss Sallie Dean, of Virginia, Mrs. Wylie from Santo Domingo, and Mrs. Ingersoll, who made an eloquent appeal for the U. T. O. and the use of the blue boxes.

Perhaps the most interesting speaker of all was Dr. Chen, a Chinese clergyman and a graduate of Boone University, who came for the last meeting. He spoke of the slow but intelligent progress of Christianity in China. Less than one percent of the Chinese are Christians, but an intellectual race with the background of an ancient civilization changes very slowly. There is a danger of the Chinese acquiring scientific knowledge and material benefits without religion, but Dr. Chen convinced us that he represented a fundamentally spiritual people, who are fitted by inheritance to appreciate the unseen realities of the Christian religion and do not measure its progress with a yard-stick.

FRANCES BIRCKHEAD,
Secretary.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

In Account With
V. J. HARRIS, TREASURER
OCTOBER 1929—MAY 1930

RECEIPTS

Balance brought forward\$ 10.69
Contributions6,256.95

\$6,267.64

DISBURSEMENTS

	Quota	Special	Total
DIOCESAN—			
Through Committee	\$234.00	\$10.00	
Juvenile Court Work		5.00	
Welfare Federation		150.00	
Deaconess Retiring Fund		25.00	
Church Work Among Blind	2.00		
Woman's Aid Convocation of Gtn.		250.00	
Seamen's Church Institute	50.00		
St. Anna's Home		10.00	
St. Barnabas Mission		60.00	
House of Rest		60.00	
Joseph Webb at Ch. Farm School		90.00	
	\$286.00	\$660.00	\$946.00
DOMESTIC—			
Through Committee	\$284.50	\$95.00	
Rev. F. Neve, Va.		10.00	
Bishop Mitchell, Arizona		25.00	
Deaconess Bedell, Alaska		180.00	
Bishop Moulton, Utah		100.00	
St. Andrews School, Tenn.		285.00	
Bishop Rowe, Alaska		400.00	
Advance Work		250.00	
Advance Work, Church in Miami		1,000.00	
	\$284.50	\$2,345.00	\$2,629.50
FOREIGN—			
Through Committee	\$325.00		
Foreign Missionaries Life Insurance		\$35.00	
Special Gift for Budget	100.00		
Mrs. Hill for Japanese Girl		110.75	
Mrs. Wyllie, Santo Domingo		150.00	
Altar Set, Nora, Japan		10.00	
	\$425.00	\$305.75	\$730.75
COLORED—			
Through Committee	\$223.85	\$0 65	
St. Agnes Hospital	25.00		
St. Augustin's School	10.00		
Colored Missionary Box	257.98		
Archdeacon Baskervill		100 00	
	\$516.83	\$180 65	\$697.48
INDIAN—			
Through Committee	\$252 50	\$75 00	
St. Michael's Mission, Wyo.		450.00	
Nenana Dormitory		11.50	
	\$252.50	\$486.50	\$739.00
WOOL		114 15	114 15
SEWING		290.99	290.99
MISCELLANEOUS—			
Church Periodical Club	5.00		5.00
Woman's Aux. Maintenance Fund		100 00	
Woman's Interdenominational Union		5.00	
		\$105.00	\$105.00
	\$1,769 83	\$4,488.04	\$6,257.87

BALANCE\$9 77

A Minute on the Death of Dr. Cheston

We, the Clergy, Church Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, in heartfelt gratitude and appreciation for Dr. Radcliffe Cheston and his twenty-one years of service as a member of this body, wish to record this Minute in his memory.

"Deep personal sorrow for his death is today the dominant thought in the minds of literally the thousands in this community whom he has comforted in sickness and whose characters he has inspired toward better things. For Dr. Cheston was more than simply a healer of the body. He was a Christian physician. He saw that men were made of spirit as well as of a body and he ministered to both sides alike. His service outran that of most practitioners, for he carried his patients in his heart. His prayers for them he knew to be quite as availing as his medical skill.

He represented, in short, the very picture of what a vestryman may be. Punctiliously regular in his attendance at all meetings, he not only assumed with gladness all responsibility laid upon him, but brought to his tasks a vital interest, energy, and sagacity that set forward every cause. On Sundays he was always in his place at church. Though pressed with multitudinous professional duties, he nevertheless managed somehow to attend. The nourishment that he gained there was the strength of his life. He loved the Church profoundly, believed in her task, particularly as it concerned the spreading of the gospel, and he gave of his all to set it forward.

In recording his services we wish also to declare our own sense of personal privilege in having been thus closely associated with one who both by his devotion to Christ's Church and the practise of the Gospel in his own life represented to so great an extent the ideal which this Institution was founded to fulfill.

We can never hope to fill his place in this body, but if as the years go by our Church shall become a source of strength to the weak, of joy to the sorrowful, and a centre from which Christian men and women go bravely forth upon the path of life, we believe that it will be in no small part due to his faith in God and his love of his fellow men. We thank God for the life and labors of Radcliffe Cheston."

MALCOLM E. PEABODY, *Rector*
MALBONE H. BIRCKHEAD, *Curate*
WILLIAM LORD SEXTON, *Rector's Warden*
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G. F. S. Mother Goose Garden Party

The Girls' Friendly Society will hold a Mother Goose Garden Party on June 14th, from 3 to 6 P. M., at "Down-Dale," the home of Mrs. R. T. Nalle, on East Bell's Mill Road, near Stenton Avenue. Mother Goose and many of her children will be there. There will be a Mother Goose play, a grab-bag, cake, candy, ice cream and lemonade for sale, as well as a table with all sorts of garden articles, such as aprons, baskets, and tools.

In case of rain, the Party will be in the Parish House.

Strawberry Festival

Through the great kindness of Miss Mary Hebard, the Women's Friendly will give a Strawberry Festival on the grounds of her lovely place Wednesday, June 4th, from three to five. We hope all our friends will be with us. This is the last event of the year, and there will be cake and candy, fancy goods, a Magician for the children, tea and—of course—strawberries and ice cream.

Our proceeds go to the many and various interests that have been helped heretofore and still need our aid. The Rummage Sale was hard work. This will, we hope, be real joy and we want to share it with you all.

In case of rain you will find us in the Parish House of Saint Paul's.

Elevator at Consumptive Home

They have long needed an elevator at the Consumptive Home on Stenton Avenue, one of our Diocesan Institu-

tions. A committee largely made up of St. Paul's people have secured \$3,000 to purchase the elevator itself. \$2,000 more is needed to install it. Anyone who would like to contribute to this urgent need may send checks to Mrs. T. Maxwell Meryweather, Spring Lane.

Lost and Found

There are a number of unclaimed articles in the Parish Office,—boys' caps, gloves, etc.

KALENDAR

JUNE

- 1 Sunday after Ascension
- 8 Whitsunday
- 9 Whitsun Monday
- 10 Whitsun Tuesday
- 15 Trinity Sunday
- 16 S. Barnabas
- 22 First Sunday after Trinity
- 24 S. John Baptist
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Enclosed with this copy of "The Leaflet" will be found the Encyclical Letter, issued by the Lambeth Conference of Bishops, together with their Resolution. As compared to the second-hand and often garbled report seen in the newspapers, I believe that this will prove to be interesting reading.



RECTOR'S COLUMN

Ideas Are Power

Ideas have their day. But while they have it they sweep all before them. Those who early in the day sense the dominating idea and identify themselves with it exercise creative leadership. We say that the world is ready for them. So the world was "ready" for Jefferson because he had mastered the democratic theory of government, which trusts the people. It was "ready" too in our time for Henry Ford and his theory of mass production.

The Ruling Idea of Today

But is there a great idea in the religious field of our day? There assuredly is. It takes various familiar forms but the basic Idea behind them is that of "bearing Witness." The Bishops at Lambeth this summer felt in view of the interest in conversion, in the re-emphasis upon prayer and the need for fresh leadership in the moral field, that the Church is being especially called upon to *witness* anew for her Master.

The Meaning of "Witness"

Witness means telling what you know. We have to tell what we know about Christ. But the word also has

a personal significance. We can only witness if we ourselves have first-hand knowledge and intimate experience of Him. The cry for Reality and Religion comes home to every Christian person. We are asked to tell what we *know*, not simply what we have heard. We are invited to demonstrate by the way we live the Life that Christ advocates and once came Himself to demonstrate.

The Church's Success Partial

The Church's Witness has been to a point successful. She has taught men by prayer to sense the Presence of God. She has even witnessed by giving instruction on the life and teachings of Jesus. But the degree of *performance* in which Christian people practise the ways of the "Kingdom" is almost pathetic.

Jesus' plan was to make of the earth a place indistinguishable from Heaven. We have softened the plan to the point where we have come to identify Christianity with "niceness." There is no place in the world for such milk and water religion today. Men say, "If you have a message that will build a new world, give witness of it, for goodness' sake!" This is a stern demand. But it is the dictate of a ruling Idea. "Bear Witness." If we should ever undertake really to do that, Christianity would become less popular but infinitely more effective.



Office Hours

The Rector will hold Office Hours in the Parish House on Tuesdays between 2 and 3 and between 5 and 7 as he did last year beginning Tuesday, October 21st. People who wish to con-

sult him about any personal matter will be welcome at that time. If, however, they wish to see him or Mr. Birkhead at any other time during the week, they will find the clergy always at their service and can get them by telephoning their houses or the Parish Office.

The reason for holding Office Hours is that the parish may feel there is a definite time at which the rector is available for a personal talk to anyone who wishes to come.

Regular Service Schedule

All weekly services will recommence in the first week of October. Holy Communion on Thursdays at 7:30 and 10 o'clock, Morning Prayer and Litany Fridays at 10.

The regular Sunday evening service will also be held on October 5th at the usual hour of 7:45 P. M.

The Reredos

During the summer certain panels have been inserted in the reredos on the top of which now rest five pedestals which will some day support carved wooden figures. The work is obviously incomplete but gives some indication of how greatly the chancel will be improved by this elaboration of the already beautiful reredos.

An inscription has also been carved along the top stone of the altar to which will later be added an Agnus Dei in the center stone and an angel near either end. When the work is complete there will be found at the focal point of our worship a thoroughly satisfying spectacle. Since the church was opened it has been evident that this slight elaboration was needed. We are very happy to have its completion in such near prospect.

The Church's Mission

The missionary work of the Episcopal Church is being operated on a budget

for 1931 smaller than that approved for 1923. This means that many opportunities for enlarged work are being neglected.

In Cuba, more than thirty thousand Jamaicans with an Anglican background and eager for the Church's ministrations, are almost entirely unshepherded, due to the Church's lack of men and means.

In the past ten years the Brazilian Episcopal Church has grown remarkably—the communicants have increased from 1754 to 3246, and the number of native clergy from 13 to 20.

Your Church has established and maintained three sanitariums in Arizona for the care of tuberculosis sufferers, without respect to race or creed. Hundreds of people are helped back to health every year.

In the total population of the United States 1.6 per cent are Episcopalians. In the total student population 5.5 per cent are Episcopalians.

Girls' Friendly Society

The G. F. S. opens its season with a service in the Church on Monday, October 6th, at 8 P. M. Plans are under way for a very interesting program this year. The organization extends a cordial invitation to any young women in the parish, married or single, to come to its meetings.

Have You Moved?

If you have moved or hear of any of your fellow parishioners who have changed their address during the past year, it would greatly aid us in keeping our records accurate if you would kindly send word to the Parish Office of this change of address. If you know of anyone entitled to receive "The Leaflet" who does not, we would appreciate your letting us know about it.

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Prayer of Saint Francis of Assisi

"Lord, make me an instrument of your peace; where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; and where there is sadness, joy.

"O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved as to love; for it is in giving that we receive, it is in pardoning that we are pardoned, and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life."

The Church School

The first meeting of the Faculty took place on Sunday, September 28th. After a Corporate Communion and breakfast the plans for the year came up for discussion. Thirty-three were present.

The first session of the school will be held on Sunday, October 5th. Both new and old pupils will meet in the Church at 9:30. Judging from the applications already in we shall have a larger school than ever.

A partition has been built into the Primary Room during the summer, dividing it in two. This will greatly increase its value as a place in which to teach several classes.

With the splendid group of teachers that compose our faculty for 1930-31, and their increasing efficiency and interest in the work, we look forward to what we hope will be the best year of our history.

The Welfare Federation

The dates for the Welfare Federation Campaign are October 27th to November 10th. Needless to say, in a winter which promises to be rife with unemployment the regular established social agencies will have more demands than ever made upon them. If they are to

function properly, they must be properly supported. Last year the Federation budget was not quite raised. Failure to raise it this year will indicate that Philadelphians are not willing to do their utmost for the critical condition that faces us.

St. Paul's people are among the leaders and the workers in this campaign. Shall we not all do our level best to back them up and to see to it that in a year of need the social agencies are supplied with the funds for doing their work?

St. Barnabas', Kensington

This church in which we as a parish have been interested for more than a year is making valued progress under the leadership of its energetic rector, the Rev. Albert W. Eastburn. A recent visitor found that the parish stands in need of a library of story-books, history, and indeed of literature of all kinds. If anyone has an extra set of Dickens or Conrad, these would be most welcome.

Our Parish Office will gladly accept gifts of books at any time. If we get enough of them during the next month, we have also had an offer to have them catalogued and organized for use.

Confirmation Class

The first meeting will take place on Sunday, October 19th, at 5 o'clock in the Parish House. A large number of Church School pupils generally appear at the first meeting. Others tend to "filter in" as the season advances.

I feel confident that in view of the short time for preparation it is a wrong policy to accept those who do not come at the outset.

Anyone who wishes to consider confirmation will be welcome to the class. One is not committed by joining to anything except a desire to receive instruction.

M. E. P.

The Flower Mission

To the generous gifts of flowers made on each Wednesday during the summer have been added from time to time this year vegetables. The touching appreciation with which these have been received at St. Barnabas, Kensington, and at other hospitals and settlement houses should be known by all who gave.

Under the regular and able direction of Miss Alice Dashiell, Mrs. B. F. Pepper, Jr., and Mrs. Henry Jeanes, Jr., the work has been carried on in a highly satisfactory fashion. By comparatively small effort on our part a very genuine contribution has been made to the lives of a large group of people.

The Mission will continue as long as the flowers last, probably until the first frost.

MARRIAGES

James Davis Winsor 3rd and Sara Wistar Waterman.

Albert John Kennedy and Mary Gillmour.

Ferdinand John Lounghway and Margaret Neall Peck.

John Douglas Parsons and Isabel Coryell.

Richard May and Gladys Lavinia Denby.

BURIALS

William Parker Bement
Mary Perry Brown
Lizzie Dukes
Emma Thomas Ellison
Caroline T. Lea
Isaac T. Starr
Stanley B. Wendolph

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Painter announces the reopening of her Music Studio. Classes in Theory now forming to prepare for Piano Lessons. Piano pupils will be received at any time. Latest methods used. 34 W. Gravers Lane. C. H. 2434.

For Rent

Apartment—Two rooms and bath, furnished for light housekeeping. Call C. H. 1527.

Two Rooms—Breakfast if desired. Call C. H. 2711.

Two Rooms—Call Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

Situations Wanted

Gardener or chauffeur or both.
Chauffeur.

Butler or valet.

Chamber-maid or waitress.

Governess.

Information concerning the above may be secured from the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

KALENDAR

OCTOBER

5 16th Sunday after Trinity
12 17th Sunday after Trinity
18 S. Luke, Evangelist
19 18th Sunday after Trinity
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28 SS. Simon and Jude

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(JUNE TO OCTOBER)

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John Francis Boyer
Edith Wharton Dallas
Virginia Whitley Hay
Nancy de La Tour Howland
Lydia Foulke Hughes
Benjamin Franklin Pepper III
Charles Platt V
Corlies Morgan Smith
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RECTOR'S COLUMN

Lambeth Says:

One of the most important sections of the Report of the recent Lambeth Conference relates to the Unity of the Church. It states in one place, "God wills fellowship. We believe that it is God's purpose to manifest this fellowship, so far as this world is concerned, in an outward, visible, and united society, holding one faith, having its own recognized officers, using God-given means of grace, and inspiring all its members to the world-wide service of the Kingdom of God. This is what we mean by the Catholic Church."

The Bishops intend in this statement to exalt the Church not in any sense as an end in itself, but rather as the very best means that has ever been found to promote God's Will in the earth.

We Say:

Church people who are interested in Christian Unity hesitate sometimes to talk enthusiastically about the Church lest they be considered "narrow" or "bigoted." This is certainly a mistake. The Church loses much more by indifference than enthusiasm.

The Church's True Value:

What many people fail to realize is the Church's proficiency in "leading out" the religious life of people based on her long experience. The Prayer Book sets

forth means for spiritual culture which when properly understood and practised bring the soul into touch with God. It is through her services of public worship, her instruction in personal religion, and her work of "Gospel spreading" all over the world that she accomplishes the divine task which Christ put into her hands.

These words from Lambeth are not empty of meaning. They are more true than similar claims made for any institution that has ever existed. The mere fact that the Church has continued in its effective living for 1930 years proves it. Nothing compares with that record.

Outside Testimony

A Methodist brother who encountered one of our lay Church leaders the other day said, "In your Prayer Book you have the best manual that exists for the development of the soul. But you don't use it." He was right in both statements.

And the Moral!

When the Church clergy and people alike appreciate more fully the extraordinary riches of our inheritance in the religious forms and practises of the Prayer Book, we shall demand that it be more effectively taught and used.

There is no sin in enthusiasm for the Church. Her task is the one thing in all the world worth doing. Let us see that it gets better and better done.

One Missionary Objection Answered

It is sometimes said in criticism of modern missions that they involve compulsion. Supposedly it is in the objector's mind that missionaries go to China, for example, to select a few wretched victims and then, by high-pressure methods or by holding out hopes of a reward, force ignorant pagans against their will to give lip service to the Christian Gospel.

Of course nothing could be more remote from the facts than this. Speaking for the missionaries of our Church we can say without hesitation that conversion comes always on the voluntary motion of the convert himself. The Church establishes medical or educational work in a place, but compels no one to take advantage of it. Those who do come to the Mission come into contact with Christianity in action. As a result of that experience, they wish to know more about it. The fact that the Church in China, for example, is today largely manned by Chinese clergy and lay people is a brilliant vindication of the Church's method of spreading the Christian Gospel. When unbelievers see the Light that lighteth every man, they marvel and then claim it for their own.

A Stimulating Church Paper

"The Witness" has the largest circulation of the Church weeklies. This is partly because of its brevity, but even more because of its quality. In the current numbers is running a series of articles by G. A. Studdert-Kennedy, discovered after his death, and another series

on "Religion for Laymen," by Bishop Irving P. Johnson.

During the next ten Sundays we shall offer "The Witness" for sale in the Church Porch. It is worth a nickel.

Archdeacon Spurr Coming

The preacher on Sunday, November 9th, will be Archdeacon Spurr, whose work in the Southern Mountains so many of us know. He preached to us two years ago with stirring effect. It is always a joy to have him. He has the power denied to so many useful people of setting forth his work in exciting terms. To hear him speak makes one want to do what he does.

Thanksgiving Day Services

Thanksgiving Day falls on Thursday, November 27, this year. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7:30 and Holy Communion and Address at 10 o'clock.

The day will have special significance this year. There is no more profitable religious undertaking than in a time of stress to sum up one's infinite blessings and thank God for them.

Labrador Products for Sale

A Sale of Labrador Products from the Industrial Department of the Grenfell Medical Mission will be held on Monday, November 17th, from 10:30 A. M. until 5:30 P. M. at the Philadelphia Cricket Club. Pictures of Labrador will

Woman's Auxiliary Devotional Day

The Annual Devotional Day Services of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held in Holy Trinity Memorial Chapel, 22nd and Spruce Streets, on Tuesday, November 25th.

Holy Communion at 10:30 A. M., followed by addresses by the Rev. T. A. Conover, of Bernardsville, New Jersey. Luncheon at 12:45 P. M. Afternoon service and meditations from 1:45 until 3:00 P. M. Please take a box luncheon.

Little Acts of Praise and Devotion

O Lord God, set up Thy kingdom in our hearts, that we may be true men and women and serve Thee better as the days go by, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

O Jesus, joy of sinners, be a Saviour to us; raise us, heal us, carry us, and make us wholly Thine. Amen.

O Lord, help us to be masters of ourselves, that we may be the servants of others. Amen.

Room for Rent—Suitable for a business woman. For information call C. H. 2660.

Full or Part Time Job—As a typist or stenographer wanted by a young woman. Call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359 or C. H. 5438.

Chauffeur—Wants a position. For information call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

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- 1 All Saints' Day
- 2 20th Sunday after Trinity
- 9 21st Sunday after Trinity
- 16 22nd Sunday after Trinity
- 23 Sunday before Advent
- 27 Thanksgiving Day
- 30 1st Sunday in Advent

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

What Price Solution of the Unemployment Problem

If the recent observation of an appreciative Englishman is sound, that we regard prosperity in this country as such only if shared by the whole people, then the converse must be equally true. Though hard times cannot equally be shared, yet the responsibility for them hangs upon the shoulders of us all.

Christ lay great stress upon social responsibility. He told men that the times they lived in were of their own making. Then he proposed a new set of principles which should be the basis of a new society.

That society, which He called "The Kingdom of God," has yet to be fulfilled. But increasingly does experience testify to the eternal soundness of the plans which He drew up for it.

One of the things He resented most was the sufferings of innocent people. Our world-wide unemployment has brought suffering to millions of people who are longing to work. The problem of solving their trouble does not belong alone to those who conduct industry. It is the problem of the society of which we are a part. It therefore belongs to each one of us.

Does not our experience enjoin us, as our Faith has done these many years, to consult Christ further in this task of social readjustment? Christian people

have ever looked on Him as the greatest moral Guide. Is He not the greatest social Teacher also?



The Young People's Fellowship

Service, one of the four requisites of a Young People's Fellowship, is being stressed to its utmost by St. Paul's Fellowship. Not only are books being collected for a library at St. Barnabas', Kensington, but plans are also under way for a model Fellowship meeting there the second Sunday in December. One of our members will take charge of the meeting and discussion. There will be a Christmas Party at which we hope to have St. Barnabas' Fellowship as our guests.



The Advance Work Program

The growth of our general Church's work during the past decade has been phenomenal. The Nation-Wide Campaign injected new life, increased the number of missionaries in the field, evolved a new plan of organization, and brought leadership in Religious Education and Christian Social Service to a point that makes this a new era for the Church's life.

The response to high grade work, however, is for more of it. In the ten years that we have stepped up the quality of what we are doing the world over, we have not been able to manage very much new construction. This means that the normal expansion of the

Church is hindered at every point by lack of a combination.

The Advance Work Program contemplates raising a modest sum, only \$1,500,000. in the whole Church, to fulfill this need. The Diocese of Pennsylvania has undertaken to raise \$113,000. of it. This is not a large sum for the missionary-minded constituency that we have here.

We of St. Paul's will want to do our bit. The offering will be made during the Epiphany season.

The Parish Budget

As "The Leaflet" goes to print the personal canvass of the parish is still incomplete. It is impossible, therefore, to report with regard to its results.

We are hoping that the parish may see fit to subscribe the whole Budget this year. At a time when all the problems of living make such heavy personal demands, it is of special importance to keep the work of the Parish Church going at its full capacity.

Christmas Services

The Carol Service for all children of the Parish will be held on Wednesday, December 24, at 3:30 P. M.

The regular Midnight Communion Service will be held on Christmas Eve beginning with carols at 11:30 P. M.

On Christmas Day Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 o'clock and again at 10 o'clock with sermon.

S. Barnabas, Kensington

The generous response to the request for funds to assist certain families at S. Barnabas' was met with generosity

that is typical of the people of this parish. \$639.00 has so far been subscribed. This will take care of the situation for the time being, though it probably will not enable the rector to meet all the demands that will be made upon him this winter.

Our Young People's Fellowship has undertaken to establish a library at S. Barnabas for which over two hundred volumes have already been collected.

Church School Takes Part in Relief Work

In response to an appeal made by Miss Louise Lewis, of this parish, for help in the settlement house known as "The Lighthouse," in Kensington, considerable interest was stirred up among the boys and girls of the Church School.

Already a collection has been made of clothing, toys, and money to relieve the need. Further plans are being made to continue to share in the work of this high-grade institution so long as the emergency lasts.

Christmas Sale

The Women's Friendly Christmas Sale will be held from 3 to 9 P. M., Wednesday, December 10th, in the Parish House. There will be the usual assortment of tea and dish towels, dust-ers, aprons, etc., as well as fancy articles, cake, candy and ice cream, with a tree for the children. Afternoon Tea will be served.

Everyone is cordially invited to come and thereby show her interest in the work of the Society.

ELSIE DOUGLAS.

CHURCH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

For Prompt and Perfect Attendance (Number indicates record in months)

Aitken John M., 2
Allan, Patsy
Anderson, Robert
Anderson, William, 2
Arnett, Edward
Arnett, John

Binford, Franklin T., 2
Birkhead, Francesca, 2
Birkhead, Olivia
Birkhead, Sallie, 2
Blair, J. Edgar, 2
Boyd, J. Fulton, 2
Brannen, Helen, 2
Brunt, Betty
Brunt, Lucinda, 2
Brunt, Thomas
Bruchenhorst, Harriet, 2

Clay, Langdon F., 2
Cost, Edward

Darrow, George P., 2
Disston, Diana, 2
Disston, Eliza, 2
Disston, Jacob S., 2
Disston, Sarah M., 2
Duryea, David

Earle, James
Eggleston, Thomas C., 2
Ellison, Mary, 2
Ellison, Thomas, 2

Fisher, Juliana H., 2
Fisher, Sally M., 2
Frazier, Agnes, 2

Geary, Mary
Gilchrist, Edgar S., 2
Glendinning, Virginia
Goodfellow, Thorp
Grant, Nancy

Hannan, Doris, 2
Hawley, Geoffrey
Hay, William
Heineth, Billy, 2
Henderson, Edith M., 2
Henderson, Ruth E., 2
Herrick, Frances E., 2
Holland, Alice P., 2
Holland, Harry
Holland, Teddy
Howe, Arthur
Huggins, Joseph, 2

Johnson, Kitty
Johnson, Robert W.

Kane, Robert, 2
King, Isabel, 2
Kulp, Betty
Kulp, Robert P., 2

Lavelle, Helene, 2
Liggett, Louise

McDermott, Charles
McDermott, Ethel, 2
McWilliams, Edith, 2

Mather, Mildred
Meryweather, Juliana
Meryweather, Mary W., 2
Meryweather, Virginia, 2
Messenger, Carl
Messenger, Frances, 2
Moffly, Edward, 2
Murphey, B. Evelyn H., 2
Murphey, Rhoads, 2

Nalle, Richard, 2
Newhall, Paul K., 2
Nimon, Dorothy, 2
Nimon, Evelyn

Oppenlander, Elizabeth A., 2

Parry, Francis F., 2
Parry, John
Parry, Stephen H., 2
Peabody, George
Pearson, Danny, 2
Pfantz, Jack
Prevette, Donald, 2
Prevette, Eugenia, 2
Prevette, Nancy

Reath, Henry T., 2
Redhouse, Russell F., 2
Root, Stanley W., 2
Roth, Walter A., 2
Rue, Ranny
Rust, Henry R., 2

Shaefer, Jane
Simonin, Carter, 2
Sims, John, 2
Starr, Isaac III
Starr, Vidal, 2
Stem, William B., 2

Tilghman, Joseph F., 2

Whittaker, John W., 2
Williams, Aubrey
Williams, Brewster
Wilmot, Margaret, 2
Wistar, Caleb Cresson, 2
Wood, Mary LeBaron
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Shuman, Miss Helen, 2
Starr, Mr. Isaac, 2
Weill, Mrs. Alfred S.
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Allen, Clifford, 2
Currier, Isaac, 2
Duffy, Albert, 2
Egner, Edward, 2
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Getz, Henry, 2
Hay, Duncan, 2
Hay, Peter, 2
Henderson, Mortland, 2
Lavelle, Richard, 2
Lavelle, Robert, 2
Lightcap, Norman, 2
Lobs, George, 2
Millan, Joseph, 2
Morrow, Robert, 2
Thompson, Crofton, 2
Thompson, William, 2
Wilmot, Robert, 2
Wilmot, William, 2

The Man Who Comes to Your Door

The requests for personal aid come so often, especially this winter, that the Community House of Chestnut Hill has done us the service to make certain definite suggestions as follow:

1. Do not give money at the door.
2. Give food if eaten on the premises.
3. Give work whenever possible.
4. Take name and address of all applicants and report them.
 - (a) If the address is north of Mt. Pleasant Avenue, to the Community House, C. H. 0377.
 - (b) If in Philadelphia, send a notice to the Welfare Federation, 311 S. Juniper Street.

By far the most important help that can be given is that of work. If you have work of *any sort* to be done, inside or outside, by sending word to the Parish Secretary, C. H. 0359, she can probably supply you from the list of those who have applied to us here for work.

A Christmas Party for the Mission of the Transfiguration

The Girls' Friendly Society has decided to give its Christmas Party to the Mission of the Transfiguration in South Philadelphia again this year. During the summer we gave a day's outing to the children of the Mission and this fall sent a sum of money to be used for the two lay workers in charge there. Last year, as some children were unable to attend the Party for want of shoes and other garments, we hope to be able to take clothes as well as toys this year. Any contributions of this sort will be much appreciated. They may be left at the Parish Office.

The Children's Corner

The Children's Corner is being taken care of by the seventh grade pupils. We have had a meeting and Helen Swain was elected chairman and Patricia Grant vice-chairman. It is to be taken care of by two girls each month.

There is a Flower List in the Parish House and all who wish to give flowers, please sign their names. H.S.

A Prayer for Spiritual Refreshment

O Blessed Jesus, who didst bid all those who carry heavy burdens to come unto thee; Refresh us with thy presence and thy power. Quiet our understandings and give ease to our hearts by bringing us close to things infinite and eternal. Open to us the mind of God, that in his light we may see light. And crown thy choice of us to be thy servants by making us springs of strength and joy for those whom thou has sent us to serve. Amen.

H. S. NASH.

Rooms for Rent—Good location. Kindly call Parish Office, C. H. 0359, for further information.

KALENDAR December

- 1 S. Andrew—Monday
- 7 2nd Sunday in Advent
- 14 3rd Sunday in Advent
- 21 4th Sunday in Advent
- 22 S. Thomas—Monday
- 25 Christmas Day—Thursday
- 26 S. Stephen—Friday
- 27 S. John, Evang.—Saturday
- 28 1st Sunday after Christmas—Holy Innocents

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Anne McMaster Churchill
Nancy Larner Coleman
Howard Henry Gowen
William Gemmill Kay
Molly Keith

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East Chestnut Avenue

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1st and 3rd Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Holy Communion and Sermon at 11 A. M.

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Church School: Sunday, 9:30 A. M.

Men's Bible Class: Sunday, 2:15 P. M.

Evening Prayer and Address: Sunday, 7:45 P. M.

Thursdays—Holy Communion at 7:30 and 10 A. M.

Fridays—Morning Prayer and Litany at 10 A. M.

Saints' Days—Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M.

The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

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America's Building Creed

A recent visitor to our shores and a keen observer remarked after having expressed his genuine admiration for our country, "But you all seem to be so almost pathetically keen to have every bit of it appreciated." He went on to explain that the reason probably grew out of the fact that this generation had taken so large a hand in doing the building itself.

Of course what we build ourselves we are naturally proud of. This applies to our joy in our own new parish church. It applies with equal force, however, to the rapid growth of our National Church's work all over the world.

The Church's Expansion

The past decade will live in our annals as one of rapid growth in missionary expansion. We have sent more missionaries from the home field than in any similar periods while the growth in native workers has been extraordinarily encouraging. Wherever one looks today the work has outgrown its equipment. Everywhere bishops are asking for new materials to work with. They want more churches, more hospitals, more schools. These are not to provide for future growth but to enable the Church to accommodate the people who are already her members.

And How to Provide For It

"The Advance Work Program" has been conceived as a method by which we can begin to fulfill this pressing need. It is a very modest beginning, asking only \$1,500,000 from the whole Church and \$113,000 of that from this Diocese. But it is rich with meaning for the future. The Church must be supplied with the means of growth if it is to continue to live.

Some of us may regret that this cause is presented at this time when we

are striving to relieve unemployment, but the problem that the Church faces is a very similar one. We may not have to turn away our workers but we shall certainly have to turn away those who are coming to us to learn about Christ if we are inadequately equipped.

A pamphlet describing in detail the work of Pennsylvania's share in the Advance Work Program has been carefully prepared and will be issued to the parish in the near future. When the facts are fully known, St. Paul's people will, according to their usual custom, be undoubtedly found ready to bear their important share.

Prayer in Time of Trouble

O Lord, by all Thy dealings with us, whether of joy or pain, of light or darkness, let us be brought to Thee. Let us value no treatment of Thy grace simply because it makes us happy or because it makes us sad, because it gives us or denies us what we want, but may all that Thou sendest us bring us to Thee, that knowing Thy perfectness, we may be sure in every disappointment that Thou art still loving us, in every darkness that Thou art still enlightening us, yea, in every death that Thou art giving us life, as in His death Thou didst give life to Thy Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Christmas at St. Paul's

Christmas was wonderfully celebrated at St. Paul's this year. At the four services, beginning with the Children's Service on Christmas Eve and continuing through Christmas Day, some 1400 people attended Church.

The number of those making their Communion came within thirty-seven of those who came forward on Easter Day.

The offering to date is \$981.92, nearly fifty dollars more than that of last year.

The gifts given by the children in generous proportion were sent to St.

Titus' Mission for the Church School celebration there, while thirty-four baskets containing Christmas dinners went to the Lighthouse in Kensington, together with generous supplies of toys.

The Parish Budget

As a result of the excellent work of those who carried on our Parish Canvass, and the generous contributions of 532 contributors, only some \$50,000 has already been subscribed toward our 1931 Budget.

As the total sum required approaches \$80,000 (including interest on the money borrowed for the New Church) *considerably more will have to be in sight* before the work as mapped out for the year can be undertaken.

Part of this we hope to secure from the ninety former pledgers who have not yet been heard from. A certain amount can be counted upon in the form of cash contributions each Sunday.

The most encouraging feature of the Canvass has been fifty-eight new pledges. We shall be in a position to make a complete report by February 1st.

Confirmation

The Confirmation Class will be presented on Sunday morning, January 18th, at 11 o'clock. Bishop Garland will make his annual visitation at that time. The class is larger than usual and owing to the date of confirmation, fortunately had a longer period of preparation than has been the case in former years.

Church School Work at the Lighthouse

This winter the Church School has undertaken to help the Lighthouse Settlement at 146 E. Lehigh Avenue, in the present need for relief. Many warm clothes and toys have been collected and sent there and on December 22nd baskets for 34 families were filled with food brought by the pupils in the Church School and there was enough left over to fill five more baskets. These were delivered on December 23rd, two of the boys in the sixth grade going from house to house with the baskets and a greeting

of "Merry Christmas." On December 23rd, eleven girls and one boy went down to the Settlement to sort out toys from those given by the Church School, suitable for the children in 35 families. These were packed in big paper bags and called for by the parents on Christmas Eve.

\$45.70 has been collected by some of the pupils in boxes placed in various stores in Chestnut Hill. This money is being sent to be used by the Lighthouse in their "Special Fund."

What Has Been Done by the Parish Employment Bureau

The envelopes have been delivered by hand, thereby saving the post office and giving work to a man unemployed.

A fence has been built and painted.

A boardwalk removed and a door rehung.

A trellis taken down and the vines trained.

A refrigerator repaired.

These jobs were well done and the compensation small, but it made the man who did it feel that some one cared for him and his children.

We are hunting for more jobs. Have you any? Don't wait, make that repair now! Call the Parish Secretary, C. H. 0359.

News About St. Barnabas', Kensington

At St. Barnabas' there are three kinds of activities:

1. The regular Church work, which is growing steadily.

2. Relief work, *i. e.*, providing clothing, coal and food among those desperately in need.

3. "Supper Club," *i. e.*, providing a supper (from 4 P. M. on) five times a week for undernourished children who are sent to St. Barnabas' by the hospitals in the neighborhood. The cost of this is about \$600 a month; and to help in the serving, volunteers are needed. St. Paul's has chosen, as last year, *Thursday* (note change of day from that previously announced), when, from 8-12, "waitresses" are required. It is impor-

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Aitken, John M., 3
Aitken, Theodore, 2
Anderson, Robert, 2
Andrews, Schofield
Andrews, Stuart
Arnett, John, 2
Ash, Kitty, 2
Ayton, Elizabeth
Ayton, George, 2

Binford, Franklin T., 3
Birckhead, Loucesca, 3
Birckhead, Olivia, 2
Birckhead, Sallie, 3
Blair, J. Edgar, 3
Boyd, Eleanor, 2
Boyd, J. Fulton, 3
Brannen, Helen, 3
Brunt, Betty, 2
Brunt, Lucinda, 3
Buchenhorst, Harriet, 3

Cheston, Robert, 2
Clay, Langdon, 3
Clegg, Dorothy
Cost, Edward, 2
Craig, Jack

Dallas, Constance H., 2
Dickinson, Ann
Disston, Eliza, 3
Disston, Jacob S., 3
Disston, Sarah M., 3
Dunn, Jane, 2

Earle, James, 2
Eggleston, Betty, 2
Eggleston, Thomas, 3
Ellison, Mary, 3
Ellison, Thomas, 3

Frazier, Agnes, 3
Fulmer, Helen, 2
Geary, Louise

Allan, Mr. D. G.
Birckhead, Rev. M. H., 3
Campbell, Mr. Perry, 3
Cheston, Miss Charlotte M., 3
Dashell, Miss Alice, 2
Dixon, Mrs. Gilbert
Goodfellow, Mrs. Arthur, 2
Moffley, Mrs. Edward M., 3
Moore, Mr. Richard, 3

Allen, Clifford, 3
Ashenfelter, Harry
Blair, Thomas
Duffy, Albert, 3
Egner, Edward, 3
Engstfeld, Robert
Engstfeld, William
Fleu, Bartelson, 3
Getz, Henry, 3
Hay, Duncan, 3

Geary, Mary, 2
Goodrich, Ann, 2
Goodfellow, Thorp, 2
Grant, Nancy, 3

Hammett, Billy
Harrison, Suzanne, 2
Hawley, Geoffrey, 2
Hay, Ethel, 2
Hay, Stephen
Hay, William, 2
Henderson, Edith, 3
Henderson, Ruth, 3
Holland, Alice P., 3
Holland, Harry, 2
Huggins, John, 2
Huggins, Joseph, 3

Ingraham, Robert, 2

Joeger, Katharine, 2
Johnson, Kitty, 3
Johnson, Robert, 2

Kane, Peter, 2
Kane, Robert, 3
King, Isobel, 3
Kulp, Betty, 2
Kulp, Robert, 3
Kurtz, Betsy
Kurtz, Robert

Lavelle, Helen, 3
Leapson, Doris, 2

McDermott, Ethel, 3
Mather, Mildred, 2
Matlack, Richard
Meryweather, Mary, 3
Messenger, Carl, 2
Monroe, George, 2
Monroe, Grace
Monroe, Le Roy, 2
Monroe, William

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Nalle, Mrs. Richard T., 2
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Poole, Mrs. William
Redhouse, Mr. Herbert, 3
Sherman, Miss Helen, 3
Starr, Mr. Isaac, 3
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Hay, Peter, 3
Heaton, Thomas
Henderson, Mortland, 3
Lavelle, Richard, 3
Lavelle, Robert, 3
Lawson, David
Lightcap, Norman, 3
Lobs, George, 3
Matlack, Herbert
Matthews, John

Murphey, Evelyn, 3
Murphey, Rhoads, 3
Murray, William, 2

Nalle, Dorothy, 2
Nalle, Horace, 2
Nalle, Richard, 3
Newhall, Barbara, 2
Nimon, Dorothy, 3
Nimon, Evelyn, 2

Parry, Stephen, 3
Peabody, Samuel
Pearson, Danny, 3
Pearson, Stephen, 2
Pfontz, Jack, 2
Pilling, Frank
Poole, Evelyn, 2
Prevette, Eugenia, 3

Randolph, David
Redhouse, Russell, 3
Reynolds, Jeanne
Reynolds, Stockton
Robinson, Nancy
Rodgers, Anne
Root, Stanley, 3
Roth, Mary, 2
Roth, Walter, 3
Schaefer, Jane, 2
Shantz, Irma, 2
Sims, John, 3

Taylor, Anne W.

Van Anglen, Robert, 2

Williams, Aubrey, 2
Wilmot, Margaret, 3
Wistar, Emlen, 2
Wood, Eleanor, 2

Zimmerman, Teddy
Zimmerman, Richard

Weill, Mrs. Alfred S., 2
Weill, Miss Louise, 2
Williamson, Miss Katharine, 2
Willing, Mrs. Charles, 2
Wood, Mr. Campion
Young, Miss Carroll, 2
Zebley, Miss Helen M.

tant that there should always be the necessary number, so it is earnestly asked that if a volunteer cannot go she would send a substitute.

Unfortunately \$1500 of the "Supper Club" fund was deposited for Mr. Eastburn's use in the Aldine Trust Co., the loss of which (even if only temporary) adds to his already desperate need of help.

He is doing bravely a really Herculean task in that hard-hit neighborhood around Third and Dauphin Streets and needs all the support we can give him.

Fire Wood For Sale

Here is an opportunity to aid the unemployed and to get some good fire wood, a sample load of which may be seen at the Community House where orders for it will be taken, C. H. 0377.

CALENDAR

JANUARY

- 1 Circumcision
- 4 2nd Sunday after Christmas
- 6 Epiphany
- 11 1st Sunday after Epiphany
- 18 2nd Sunday after Epiphany
- 25 Conversion of S. Paul—3rd Sunday after Epiphany

PARISH REGISTER

BAPTISMS

Edward Clark Dolph
John Mather Dolph
Letitia Kurtz
Henry Burnett Robb, 3rd

MARRIAGES

John Warren McCormick and
Viola Knapp Espenship

BURIALS

George Willing
Gertrude Ludwig Baker
Mina Walbaum Neall
Joseph T. Manning
Francis Draper Lewis
Henry W. Little
J. Willis Martin
Lucia Polk Chapman

REPORT OF TREASURER ST. PAUL'S CHURCH SCHOOL

Receipts for 1930	
Class Treasuries	\$856.21
Loose Offering	171.00
Summer Offering	116.97
Special	31.66
Lenten Offering	558.52
Lighthouse Settlement	45.70
Birthday Thank Offering	46.10

	\$1,826.16
Balance, Dec. 31, 1929	367.36

\$2,193.52

1930 Expenditures

Parish

Prayer Book for Altar	\$22.00
St. Paul's Church Bldg. Fund	68.68
Decorating Kindergarten Room	94.11
Children's Corner	1.95
Rector's Fund	2.55
Primary Pictures	2.00

Diocese

Bishop's Bricks Fund	\$48.03
St. Elizabeth's	80.10
St. Agnes' House	38.55
St. Barnabas' Soup Kitchen	6.20
For Starving People	6.00
Lighthouse Settlement	84.31
Community Center	5.65
Family Society	18.08
Welfare Federation	44.05
Christmas Baskets for Light-house	85.62

Nation

Mission in Shamokin, Pa.	\$70.75
Lower Procosan Mission	3.69
Life Fresh Air Camp	6.40
American Red Cross	48.61

World

Santo Domingo	\$184.04
China Famine Relief	118.43
Russian Relief	55.00
Grenfell Association	15.00
Lenten Offering	558.77
Christmas for Honolulu	33.66
Birthday Thank Offering	40.26
General Missions	145.55
Special	47.71

\$1,935.75

Expenditures

Parish	\$191.29
Diocese	416.59
Nation	129.45
World	1,150.71

\$1,935.75

Balance, Dec. 31, 1930	257.77
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\$2,193.52

PARISH DIRECTORY

S. PAUL'S CHURCH

East Chestnut Avenue

SERVICES

1st and 3rd Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Holy Communion and Sermon at 11 A. M.

2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 A. M.

Church School: Sunday, 9:30 A. M.

Men's Bible Class: Sunday, 2:15 P. M.

Evening Prayer and Address: Sunday, 7:45 P. M.

Thursdays—Holy Communion at 7:30 and 10 A. M.

Fridays—Morning Prayer and Litany at 10 A. M.

Saints' Days—Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M.

The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

Rector

REV. MALCOLM E. PEABODY

18 E. Chestnut Avenue. Telephone C. H. 0503

Curate

REV. MALBONE H. BIRCKHEAD

22 E. Chestnut Avenue. Telephone C. H. 1310

Parish Secretary

MISS ANNA C. HARRADEN

Office, Parish House. Telephone C. H. 0359

Home address, 8620 Evergreen Place
Telephone C. H. 3855

Organist and Choirmaster

ARTHUR W. HOWES, JR.

636 Mason Avenue, Drexel Hill
Clearbrook 3969

Assistant Organist

FRANK A. ROTH

8311 Ardleigh Street

Sexton

JAMES E. McELHINNEY

5720 Beechwood Street, Germantown

VESTRY

WM. LORD SEXTON, Rector's Warden
JOSHUA ASH PEARSON, Accounting Warden
MARSHALL S. MORGAN, Secretary
ISAAC STARR
ELIJAH DALLETT
JOSEPH WOOD WAGNER
H. FRAZER HARRIS
P. T. DASHIELL
A. A. JACKSON
BRUCE FORD
FREDERIC S. WHITTAKER

CHURCH SCHOOL

Superintendent, REV. M. E. PEABODY
Executive Secretary, Miss Margaret Earle
General Secretary, Miss Helen M. Zebley
Treasurer, Miss Margaret Earle
Primary Dept. Chairman, Miss Charlotte Cheston
Junior Dept. Chairman, Miss Louise Weill
Senior Dept. Chairman, Miss Katharine Williams
Choir, Mrs. Charles Willing

PARISH AGENCIES

The Altar Society—Warden, Mrs. John Andrews Harris, Jr.; Secretary, Mrs. Joseph R. Carpenter, Jr.; Treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Bartow.
Men's Bible Class—President, Isaac Starr; Vice President, Elijah Dallett; Chaplain, Rev. M. H. Birckhead. Meetings, Sundays at 2:15 P. M.
The Church Periodical Club—Mrs. Robert L. Wood.
The Girls' Friendly Society—Branch President, Mrs. M. E. Peabody. Meetings, Mondays at 8:15 P. M.
The Woman's Auxiliary—President, Mrs. B. Franklin Pepper. Meetings, Fridays at 10:30 A. M.
The Woman's Friendly—President, Miss Elsie Douglas. Meetings, Wednesdays at 8 P. M.
The Parish Council—Chairman, Rev. M. E. Peabody.
Young People's Fellowship—President, Robert Kurtz; Vice-President, Herbert Redhouse; Secretary-Treasurer, Sadie Williams. Meetings, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Every other Friday at 8.
Woodcraft League—Head Guide, Rev. M. H. Birckhead; Chief, Henry Scheetz; Foot Chief, Samuel Wilmot; Tally Keeper, Stephen Kessler; Wampum Keeper, George Wilmot; Medicine Man, John Jago. Meetings, Thursdays at 7 P. M.

CHILDREN'S CORNER COMMITTEE

Helen Swain, Chairman.
Patricia Grant, Vice-Chairman.

THE CHOIR

Sopranos

William Thompson	Duncan Hay
Richard Lavelle	John Matthews
Henry Getz	Edward Egner
Henry Ayton	William Brown
Crofton Thompson	Ralph Matlack
Norman Lightcap	Horace Oliver
Richard Neal	Chilford Allen
Thomas Blair	Robert Lavelle
Omar Uhle	Joseph Millan
Albert Duffy	Harry Ashenfelter
Thomas Heaton	Robert Wilmot
Conyers Fleu	Herbert Matlack
George Lobs	Harvey Scheetz
Isaac Currier	David Lawson
Harry West	Leslie Williams
Bartelson Fleu	Peter Hay
William Wilmot	Robert Engstfeld
Mortland Henderson	William Engstfeld
Robert Morrow	

Altos

James R. Corgoe
John Wetherstine
Samuel Berry
William Naylor

Tenors

David J. Olsen
Edward Wallis
H. Tomlinson
Louis H. Dow

Basses

Lewis Easby
Logan M. Dayton
William H. DeVore
Fred A. Barber
Leonard Davies
Thomas Branson, Jr.

Crucifer: Robert L. Wood, Jr.

Servers: George Huggins, Stephen Getz, George Wilmot, Samuel Wilmot, Lloyd Michener, Robert Kurtz, Edward Parry, Henry F. Parry, Edgar Blair, Robert Morrow, Arthur Wrigley.
Choir Mothers: Miss Christine Frazier, Miss Julia Ross.

Rehearsals

Tuesdays at 5:00 and 7:30 P. M.
Wednesdays at 5:00 P. M.
Thursdays at 5:00 P. M.
Fridays at 7:30 P. M.

SAINT PAUL'S LEAFLET

"WHAT WILT THOU HAVE ME TO DO?"

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LENT

A Task or a Joy?

Religion is the most interesting subject in the world. It has outlasted almost everything else as a topic of primary concern. There is a recrudescence of interest in it today which will not be denied. The substance of most people's thought may be expressed by the question, "What is God like?"

It was to answer this question that Jesus Christ came to the earth. But He never attempted to define His conception in scientific terms. He answered it by telling stories, by helping people, and by the great outstanding events of His life, especially by the Cross. After He had gone away from them, people said, "The answer to the question is that God is like Jesus." Luther said, "In Jesus God was contracted to a span."

This makes it perfectly clear that to know God is not simply a matter that concerns our minds, but according to Jesus, one that concerns our coming near Him through prayer and through learning how to live the Good Life.

On the mountain top Christ communed with His Father in a way that is open to any son or daughter of God. Then He went down to the habitations of men and fulfilled His will in a life of service.

Thus every step in the growth of our

knowledge must include progress in each of these fields, prayer, information, and service. We must learn better how to converse with Him, then we shall have personal knowledge of Him as a friend, so that finally we shall become like Him in the widening of our sympathies and the increasing mastery of ourselves.

There will be opportunities in Lent to progress in each of these fields. Dr. Jeffreys will supplement the regular services of the Church by a course in "Personal Religion" on Friday afternoons, Dean Washburn, of Cambridge, is to come out on Wednesday evenings to repeat the Bohlen Lectures, a series which will give us a glimpse of some of the great, outstanding figures in Christian history. The service on Thursday afternoons, to which every member of the Church School is invited, will supply an opportunity to hear something more of our own Church's Mission work. To attend any one of these meetings regularly will be something of a task. It will involve making way for it in our busy lives, but it will also constitute the joy of advancing quite definitely along the line of the primary religious quest of the day, "What, in truth, is God like?"



Unemployment Relief

The able address at morning service on January 25, by Mr. Karl deSchweinitz, brought out certain facts that we

have got to reckon with and described the ways in which the Committee for Unemployment Relief, of which Mr. Lloyd is chairman, is striving to meet the situation.

150,000 workers are unemployed in Philadelphia today, or about one in four.

In order to provide for immediate relief and for the creation of work, that bread-winners of families may be restored to a decent wage, an appeal has been made for five million dollars toward which about \$1,500,000 had been raised at that date.

The fund is being spent in the following ways:

1. Each day 12,000 children are fed at the schools. They come from homes where there is neither food nor fuel. The school authorities estimate that there will be 15,000 children requiring free breakfasts in February.

2. The Shelter for Homeless Men lodges more than 2,000 a night. This work is ably managed by our Mr. Wilkins, of the Galilee Mission. (He welcomes visits of inspection.)

3. Welfare organizations are struggling with appeals for help, meeting the avalanche of requests with volunteer trained help in addition to their regular staffs. (The loan of an automobile for one day is a great boon.)

The appeal of war time was to create a nation strong for destruction. The appeal today is for a very similar emergency. In both cases civilization shows signs of breaking down. It is for those who are strong to strive to save it.

Will those who care to subscribe send their checks either to the Rector or to the Committee for Unemployment Relief, 1429 Walnut Street?

Accounting Warden's Report for 1930

The report of the Accounting Warden for 1930 appears in full in this issue.

At a meeting of a number of representative men with members of the Vestry on January 18, our whole financial condition was carefully reviewed.

1. It was found that income toward the Budget for 1931 still lacks \$13,000 of fulfilling it. The meeting approved the Budget and urged the Vestry to appeal for the sum required to carry it out.

2. The Church still owes \$85,000 on the new Church and \$100,000 for the Roberts' property, which includes an acre of land and some four houses immediately to the west of the Church.

The meeting advised the Vestry to inform the parish concerning these debts and to appeal to those who care to subscribe with a view to reducing our obligations within the present year.

At the Woman's Auxiliary meeting of January 23 the subject was laid before those present, who passed motions similar to those of the previous Sunday.

Church School Work at the Lighthouse

During January the Church School supplied milk and potatoes for many needy families at the Lighthouse Settlement. The following report tells us how some of our other gifts have been used.

The clothes and shoes walked out of the Lighthouse almost as soon as they got there and are the greatest help. I took blankets to people who had sat up all night to keep warm.

I cannot begin to detail how the

money sent by the School has been spent. One way was this. A woman for whom I had been searching came to us on New Year's Eve, her baby, very ill with pneumonia, in her arms. She and her two-year-old and eight-months-old babies had lived for several days without heat and almost without food, and now the constable was trying to evict her. The baby entered the hospital at once, and St. Paul's money is providing coal and food until we can arrange for that family's care.

I wish the school could realize how much all their work and help has been needed and how it is appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

LOUISE LEWIS.

St. Barnabas', Kensington

Suppers are being served to the children on five days a week. Thursday is St. Paul's day for sending volunteers to help in the serving. So far there have been fewer children present this year than last year, due largely to the fact that there is less money available for the purchase of food.

If there are any who wish to volunteer their services or the use of a car on Thursday afternoons, will they kindly get in touch with Mrs. B. W. Frazier, C. H. 2787, or the Parish Office, C. H. 0359?

Toward a Better Understanding of Missions

The program of the Church School in Lent will aim to inform both children and parents concerning the Church's Mission. Our plans are not yet fully formed, but they will be completed by Quinquagesima Sunday, when the Dedi-

cation Service will take place and the offering boxes be given to the children.

We wish to make a considerable affair of this service this year and shall invite all the parents to be present that they may hear in detail our plans for the season and lend the co-operation which we have always found so ready when our program seemed worth while and had been made clear.

Lenten Plans

Ash Wednesday this year falls on February 18. We shall have Holy Communion at 7:30, a Service of Preparation at 10, and in the evening Dean Washburn, of Cambridge, will deliver the first of his lectures on "Great Heroes of Church History." These will be a repetition of the Bohlen Lectures delivered at Holy Trinity in the afternoon, and again for our benefit at 8:15 on six Wednesday evenings in Lent.

Another feature of our Lenten Program will be a series of talks on "Personal Religion" on Friday afternoon, at 5 o'clock, by Dr. William Jefferys, formerly a member of this parish, who has long been in demand as a teacher in things of the Spirit.

The Church School Program promises to be interesting this year. The services on Thursday afternoons will, we hope, draw many members of the parish no longer or not yet members of the school.

We shall mail announcement cards giving our plans in greater detail by February 15.

Bishop Strider Coming

The preacher on Sunday morning, March 1, at 11 o'clock, will be the Rt.

Rev. R. E. L. Strider, D.D., who was here two years ago and did so much for us in his Preaching Mission.

Women's Friendly Society

The Women's Friendly will be glad to take orders for dish towels, dusters, aprons, or any other household articles. The treasury has been almost depleted by the recent emergency demands. Orders for articles will be taken at the Parish Office or by members of the Society.

The Mission Study Class held its first session on January 26. There were twelve present. The subject for study is "Our Expanding Church."

E. D.

A Way to Help St. Barnabas

If you want delicious salted nuts and are also desirous of helping St. Barnabas', Mrs. Wessels, 210 E. Meade Street, telephone C. H. 2572, will be glad to supply you. The price is very reasonable and the profit from all sales is sent to St. Barnabas' Mission.

For Rent

A number of rooms are available in desirable locations, also a small apartment. For further information kindly call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

CALENDAR

February

- 1 Septuagesima
- 2 Purification of Blessed Virgin Mary
- 8 Sexagesima
- 15 Quinquagesima
- 18 Ash Wednesday
- 22 1st Sunday in Lent
- 24 S. Matthias

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Emil Hamilton

Confirmations

Evelyn Astle
 E. Minerva Astle
 A. Robert Bast
 Mary Barbara Bishop
 Dorothy Allen Boyd
 Calvin Wilford Butler
 Edward Perry Campbell
 John Fassitt, Jr.
 Matilda Fassitt
 Pierre Cresson Fraley
 Henry Bernard Getz
 Frank Gawthrop Gillingham
 Betty Glassey
 Evelyn Glassey
 Walter F. Hagar, 3rd
 Emil Hamilton
 Lily Hanna
 Doris Hannan
 Edward Rex Hart
 William Hay
 Josephine Kendig
 Elizabeth Kurtz
 George Seward Monroe
 Carol H. Leiper
 Norman Lightcap
 Virginia Meryweather
 Louise McIlhenny
 Sewell Newbold
 Richard Parry
 Mary Endicott Peabody
 H. René Norbert Ruegg
 Ethel Elizabeth Shantz
 George Crofton Thompson
 Adelaide Lobs Ward
 Richard Henry Chapman Ward
 Cynthia Wetherill
 John Warren Whittaker
 Ernest Avery Williams
 Evelyn E. Willing

CHURCH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Allan, Douglas Gordon, 2	Earle, Jane	Monroe, Grace, 2
Anderson, Robert, 3	Eggleston, Betty, 3	Monroe, LeRoy, 3
Anderson, William, 4	Eggleston, Thomas, 4	Monroe, Marie, 2
Andrews, Scholeld, 2	Ellison, Mary, 4	Monroe, William, 2
Andrews, Stuart, 2	Ellison, Thomas, 4	Morris, William, 2
Ayton, Elizabeth, 2	Fisher, Juliana, 3	Murphey, Rhoads, 4
Ayton, George, 3	Fisher, Sally, 3	Nalle, Dorothy, 3
Binford, Franklin, 4	Frazier, Agnes, 4	Oppenlander, Betty, 3
Birkhead, Francesca, 4	Fulmer, Helen, 3	Parry, Stephen, 4
Birkhead, Olivia, 3	Geary, Louise, 2	Pastorius, Francis Daniel
Birkhead, Sallie, 4	Geary, Mary, 3	Peabody, Samuel, 2
Blair, J. Edgar, 4	Glendinning Virginia, 2	Pearson, Danny, 4
Blair, Virginia, 2	Goodfellow, Thorp, 3	Pearson, Stephen, 2
Boyd, Dorothy, 2	Goodin, Gail	Pfantz, Jack, 3
Boyd, Nancy, 2	Grant, Patricia, 2	Prevette, Eugenia, 4
Brannen, Helen, 4	Hammett, Billy, 2	Reath, Henry, 3
Brunt, Betty, 3	Hannan, Doris, 4	Redhouse, Russell, 4
Brunt, Lucinda, 4	Hay, William, 3	Reynolds, Stockton, 2
Brunt, Thomas, 2	Henderson, Edith, 4	Richards, Arthur, 2
Buchenhorst, Harriet, 4	Henderson, Ruth, 4	Ritter, Rebecca, 2
Beitler, Calvin	Huggins, Margaret, 2	Robinson, Nancy, 2
Cheston, Annette, 2	Johnson, Robert, 3	Root, Stanley, 4
Cheston, Robert, 3	Jones, William	Roth, Mary, 3
Cost, Edward, 3	Kane, Peter, 3	Schafer, Jane, 3
Dallas, Constance H., 3	Kane, Robert, 4	Shantz, Betty
Davis, Philip	Lavelle, Helen, 4	Starr, Isaac, 3d, 2
Disston, Diana, 3	Leapson, Barbara, 2	Starr, Vidal, 3
Disston, Eliza, 4	McDermott, Charles, 2	Strong, George
Disston, Henry, 2	McDermott, Ethel, 4	Strong, Sally
Disston, Jacob S., 4	McNamee, Thelma	Ward, Adelaide, 2
Disston, Jessie	McWilliams, Edith, 3	Williams, Aubrey, 3
Disston, Mary	Mather, Mildred, 3	Wistar, Caleb Cresson, 3d, 3
Disston, Sarah M., 4	Meryweather, Juliana, 2	Wistar, Emlen, 3
Dunn, Edith	Meryweather, Virginia, 3	Wood, Eleanor, 3
Dunn, Jane, 3	Messenger, Carl, 3	Wrigley, Arthur, 2
Duryea, David, 2	Messenger, Frances, 3	
Earle, James, 3	Monroe, George, 3	

FACULTY AND OFFICERS

Birkhead, Rev. M. H., 4	Nalle, Mrs. Richard T., 3	Weill, Mrs. Alfred S., 3
Campbell, Mr. Percy, 4	Newhall, Mrs. William P., 3	Weill, Miss Louise, 3
Cheston, Miss Charlotte, 4	Peabody, Rev. M. E., 3	Wetherill, Mrs. W. C., 2
Dallas, Mr. George M., 3	Poole, Mrs. William, 2	Williamson, Miss K., 3
Dashiell, Miss Alice, 3	Redhouse, Mr. Herbert, 4	Willing, Mrs. Charles, 3
Earle, Miss Margaret, 3	Schwartz, Miss Olivia, 2	Wistar, Mrs. Caleb C., 2
King, Miss Katharine	Shuman, Miss Helen, 4	Wistar, Miss Elizabeth, 2
Moffly, Mrs. J. W., 3d, 4	Starr, Mr. Isaac, 4	Young, Miss Carroll, 3
Moore, Mr. Richard, 4		

CHOIR CLASS

Allen, Clifford, 4	Hay, Peter, 4	Matlack, Herbert, 2
Blair, Thomas, 2	Heaton, Thomas, 2	Matthews, John, 2
Currier, Isaac	Henderson, Mortland, 4	Morrow, Robert, 4
Duffy, Albert, 4	Lavelle, Richard, 4	Sheetz, Harvey
Egner, Edward, 4	Lavelle, Robert, 4	Uhle, Omar, 2
Fleu, Bartelson, 4	Lawson, David, 2	West, Harry
Fleu, Conyers	Lightcap, Norman, 4	Wilmot, Robert, 4
Getz, Henry, 4	Lobs, George, 4	Wilmot, William, 4
Hay, Duncan, 4		

Report of the Accounting Warden to the
Rector and Vestry of St. Paul's Church,
Chestnut Hill, for the Year Ending
December 31, 1930

For Year Ending December 31, 1930

INCOME

Balance from 1929.....	\$687.47
From Envelopes, Pledges and Plate Collections for Church Budget	41,786.85
From Envelopes, Pledges and Plate Collections for Missions From Miscellaneous Sources for Church Budget	22,926.53
Christmas Envelopes	1,982.46
Evening Service Collections.....	99.30
9:30 A. M. Service Collections.....	111.98
Easter Envelopes	47.51
Income from Endowment.....	434.23
Rector's Discretionary Fund.....	2,539.24
Interest on Bank Deposit.....	1,716.28
Gifts for Special Purposes.....	110.79
Special Gifts (for fixing up little Chapel)	1,149.28
St. Barnabas' Fund.....	100.00
For 1931 Budget.....	400.00
Christmas Day Collection.....	3,243.50
Special Contributions to Balance Missions Account for Year 1930	980.72
	200.00
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	\$78,516.14

DISBURSEMENTS

Repairs to Robert's Property.....	\$341.00
Robert's Mortgage Interest.....	1,935.45
Rector's Discretionary Fund.....	1,716.28
Gifts for Special Purposes.....	1,149.28
St. Barnabas' Fund.....	200.00
Missions	22,926.53
Diocesan Assessments	1,345.14
Clergy Salaries	\$16,000.00
Pension Premiums	1,400.00
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Church School	17,400.00
Music	1,926.30
Parish Office	10,254.38
Care of Property.....	3,401.50
Accounting Warden	3,638.82
Operating Expenses	2,555.85
Altar Guild	4,185.07
Parish Activities	700.00
Contingent Expenses	203.38
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	1,087.52

Cash Balance (Includes \$200 St.
Barnabas' Fund, \$100 Special
Gifts, \$3,243.50 for 1931 Budget,
total \$3,543.50, leaving a bal-
ance of 1930 money of \$6.14).....

3,549.64

\$78,516.14

Total of

Disbursed Account Brought Forward	\$69,624.49
Disbursed Account of Non- Budget Items	5,342.01
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Total Disbursements

\$74,966.50

Cash Balance (Includes \$200 St.
Barnabas' Fund, \$100 Special
Gifts, and \$3,243.50 of 1931
budget money)

3,549.64

\$78,516.14

Details of Mission Payments

Applicable to St. Paul's Pledge to Diocese and General Church— By the Accounting Warden.....	\$22,926.53
From Diocesan Committee for	
City Mission	50.00
Seaman's Institute	50.00
St. John's House	10.00
Church Training and Dea- coness House	14.00
Undesignated for Quota.....	40.00
Church Farm School	20.00

Colored—

St. Augustine's	25.00
Fort Valley High School.....	50.00
Voorhees School	50.00

Domestic—

For Salary, Arch-Deacon Goodman	40.00
St. Paul's Church, Balbala- sang, R. I.	50.00
Nenana, Alaska	50.00
St. Mark's, Alaska.....	20.50
Rural Work, Madison, Wisc.	64.00
Oklahoma	50.00
Nevada	50.00

Foreign—

Miss Richey's Salary.....	40.00
For Salaries in Indian Relief	152.50
Indian Hope Assn. for Miss McGrath's Salary	65.00
Bible Women, Hankow.....	60.00
Training School, Sendai.....	100.00

Bible Women, Tokio.....	27.00
From Church School Lenten Of- fering	558.77
From Thanksgiving Offering, Lenten, Episcopal Hospital.....	557.75
From Indian Hope Assn. Lenten Salaries in Indian Field.....	100.00
From Miscellaneous Contribu- tions	161.66
From Church School for Haiti....	5.20
From Church School for Indians	6.84
From Church Extension Fund....	1,028.00
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Total

\$26,422.75

From the Foreign Committee— For Foreign Missionaries' Life Insurance	\$45.00
From a Member.....	10.00
For Kuling School.....	10.00

From Colored Committee—

For Archdeacon Baskerville....	120.00
For St. Philip's, San Antonio....	23.85
For Ludie Wellis, Special pupil at St. Augustine's.....	10.00

From Domestic Committee—

For Rebuilding Nenana, Alaska	50.00
For Bishop Rowe.....	400.00
For Rev. Neve, Ivy Depot.....	10.00
For Seaman's Institute.....	190.00
For Church Farm School.....	125.00

For Church Training and Dea- coness House	75.00
For Welfare Federation.....	2,435.00
For Girls' Friendly Society.....	8.50
For Grenfell Association.....	786.23
For China Famine.....	100.00
For Bishops of Jerusalem (Good Friday Offering).....	182.92
For Rev. Francis M. Taitt, June 11, 1930	95.13
For Archdeacon B. M. Spurr....	5.00
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Total

\$4,661.61

Summary of Mission Payments
and Gifts for Others—

Mission Payments Applicable to Pledge of St. Paul's.....	\$26,422.75
Mission Payments Not Applic- able	4,661.61
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Total

\$31,084.36

Pledge of St. Paul's to Diocese and General Church.....	\$26,000.00
Loans Outstanding With Ger- mantown Trust Co.....	4,200.00
Endowment Income for 1930.....	2,539.24
Unpaid Bills for 1930.....	520.06

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Thomas Blair	Robert Lavelle
Omar Uhle	Joseph Millan
Albert Duffy	Harry Ashenfelter
Thomas Heaton	Robert Wilmot
Conyers Fleu	Herbert Matlack
George Lobs	Harvey Scheetz
Isaac Currier	David Lawson
Harry West	Leslie Williams
Bartelson Fleu	Peter Hay
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"Men As Trees"

St. Mark reports the words of a man whose sight has been partially restored. He said, "I see men as trees walking." Everything was indistinct to him still. But even if it hadn't been he would have had a hard time telling the difference between a man and a tree. He had never seen either. Both sights would be for him an utterly new experience. We have always seen with our eyes. We can hardly imagine what a new world the gift of sight would open to us.

New Worlds

But there are new worlds innumerable that await our discovery. There's the new world of Europe, for example, which many have *thought* they knew only to return some day to find wonders and powers hidden in it of whose very existence they had never seen a trace. There is the new world in our own house revealed by the discovery of a good hobby. There is the new world of adventure that all discover who address themselves genuinely to tackling a problem that leads them into wider relationship with other people.

Our Choice

One reason for our particular interest in "new worlds" these days is not that we may "conquer" them, but that we may retreat into them from the pressure of daily living. This is not only a natural and proper interest. It is a veritable necessity if we are to keep our heads at work and our hearts at ease.

Some of the worlds we choose will require both leisure and means. But there is one new world that is open to all. In the end, too, it will prove to be the only one that is thoroughly satisfactory—the new world of Divine Companionship.

The World of Spiritual Renewal

Being with God is as simple as relaxation. It is only as difficult to hold as it is to hold that state of mind. What we generally fail to realize is that God ever stands by the door. He only awaits the invitation to enter. Our indifference and tenseness keep Him out. He will not enter till He is invited. He can stay only so long as He is wanted. Were we to learn a way to put our house in order—even if it is only "picked up"—He will come in response to our call. And where He comes we discover immediately that the world is new. It seems to be remade. But it is really *we* who are recreated, no longer its slaves, but masters of it.

A Form of Invitation

"Behold I stand at the door and knock."

"O blessed Jesus, who didst bid all those who carry heavy burdens to come unto Thee; Refresh us with Thy presence and Thy power. Quiet our misunderstandings and give ease to our hearts by bringing us close to things infinite and eternal. Open to us the mind of God, that in His light we may see light. And crown Thy choice of us to be Thy servants by making us springs of strength and joy for those whom Thou hast sent us to serve. Amen."

Red Cross Fund for Drought Sufferers

An appeal is being made by the American Red Cross today for \$700,000 in this district for those in the drought areas who are without resources. The problem of human relief there is a serious one. It depends upon the Red Cross and the voluntary subscriptions made to it to carry this work through.

The principle of this Society has always been that its funds shall issue from *private* sources. That principle is still in force today. Unless the full sum asked is subscribed there will be continued suffering in a large and important section of our country.

In this Red Cross Chapter area there are 2,500,000 people. But 6,000 have made any subscriptions to date. Checks may be sent to the Rector or direct to the American Red Cross, 2100 Delancey Street, Philadelphia.

St. Paul's Meets Advance Work Appeal

The \$5,000 promised by the Vestry to build Bishop Casady's Church in Miami, Oklahoma, has been subscribed in full. The offering of \$1,265.10 made on Sunday, February 15, added to what had already been promised by individuals, makes the sum total of \$5,765.10.

Five thousand dollars of this goes to Bishop Casady's work, the balance to the general fund being raised in the diocese. St. Paul's people surely deserve the enthusiastic thanks of the General Church for again taking such an effective and willing hand in an important undertaking.

Many Accept Invitation to Lend Motors

The recent requests by the Rector for motor cars to drive social workers about the city on their greatly extended programs of work have been met with most generous and immediate response. Mrs.

J. Willis Martin, of the Emergency Aid, has been most gratified by the part taken by St. Paul's people and wishes to take this way of thanking them on the part of the Emergency Aid and the other social agencies whose workers have been so helpfully accommodated.

MISS HILDA SHAUL TO JOIN OUR STAFF

The Executive Committee of the Church School takes great pleasure in announcing the fact that Miss Hilda M. Shaul, now Director of Religious Education at Calvary Church, Pittsburgh, has accepted a similar position with us here. She will begin work on September 1st.

Miss Shaul is a thoroughly qualified person. She has studied in the progressive Teachers' College at Columbia and has had considerable experience as a leader in Church School work. She visited the parish during February and attended a meeting of our Church School and met many of the teachers, all of whom are enthusiastic over her acceptance of the position.

Ever since Mrs. Brown left in 1929 we have been looking for an adviser and leader in this important department of the parish work. The size of the school and the growing interest of all demand this trained guidance if we are to continue to progress as we want to.

"Men of Conviction"

Dean Washburn's lectures on Wednesday evenings at 8:15 during March will include the following titles:

March 4—"Hildebrand"
March 11—"St. Francis"
March 18—"Ignatius Loyola"
March 25—"Pius IX"

These lectures really offer a great opportunity, for Dr. Washburn is most eminent in his line and does this particular kind of thing with great distinction. The figures whom he has chosen

CHURCH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL FOR FEBRUARY

Adamson, Billy, 2
Adamson, Talbot, 2
Allen, Margaret, 2
Andrews, Schofield, 3
Andrews, Stuart, 3
Ash Kitty, 3
Ayton, Elizabeth, 3
Ayton, George, 4
Binford, Franklin, 5
Bishop, Mary
Blair, J. Edgar, 5
Brunt, Betty, 4
Brunt, Lucinda, 5
Buchenhorst, Harriet, 5
Butterworth, Jimmy
Cheston, Annette, 3
Cheston, Robert, 4
Clay, Edward, 2
Craig, Jack, 2
Dallas, Constance H., 4
Davis, Robert
Disston, Diana, 4
Disston, Eliza, 5
Disston, Henry, 3
Disston, Jacob S., 5
Disston, Sarah M., 5
Dunn, Jane, 4
Eggleston, Betty, 4
Eggleston, Thomas, 5
Fulmer, Helen, 4
Gilchrisst, Edgar, 3
Gilchrist, Peter, 2
Goodrich, Elizabeth, 2
Grant, Nancy, 4
Grant, Patricia, 3
Hannan, Doris, 5
Hay, William, 4
Henderson, Edith, 5
Henderson, Ruth, 5
Holland, Harry, 3
Huggins, Joseph, 4
Joeger, Katherine, 3
Johnson, Kitty
Johnson, Robert, 4

Kane, Peter, 4
Kane, Robert, 5
Kurtz, Robert, 5
Liberg, Carl
Little, Robert
McDermott, Charles, 3
McDermott, Ethel, 5
Maxson, John
Meryweather, Mary, 4
Meryweather, Virginia, 4
Messenger, Carl, 4
Moffly, Edward, 4
Monroe, George, 4
Monroe, LeRoy, 4
Monroe, William, 3
Murfhey, Evelyn, 4
Murfhey, Rhoads, 5
Nalle, Dorothy, 4
Nalle, Richard, 4
Napier, Arthur
Nimon, Dorothy, 4
Nimon, Evelyn, 4
Nimon, Mary
Oppenlander, Betty, 4
Peabody, Endicott, 2
Peabody, Mary
Pilling, Frank, 2
Prevette, Donald, 3
Prevette, Eugenia, 5
Reath, Henry, 4
Redhouse, Russell, 5
Ritter, Bebecca, 3
Robinson, Nancy, 3
Root, Stanley, 5
Roth, Dorothy
Sims, John, 4
Thompson, Rolland
Van Anglen, Robert, 3
Wetherill, Cynthia, 2
Wetherill, Frederick, 2
Whittaker, John, 3
Wilmot, Margaret, 4
Wilmot, Nellie, 2
Wistar, Emlen, 4

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Shuman, Miss Helen, 5
Stewart, Mr. Roy, 2
Weill, Mrs. Alfred S., 4
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Wood, Miss Molly, 3
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Getz, Henry, 5
Hay, Duncan, 5
Hay, Peter, 5
Heaton, Thomas, 3
Henderson, Mortland, 5
Lavelle, Richard, 5
Lavelle, Robert, 5
Lightcap, Norman, 5
Lobs, George, 5
Matlack, Herbert, 3
Matthews, John, 3
Sheetz, Harvey, 2
Thompson, George, 3
Wilmot, Robert, 5
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are men who have had a determining hand in moulding the Church's growth. To know about them is to know something pretty vital about what the Church is and stands for.

A Conversation Between a King and His Prime Minister (in the 3rd Century B. C.)

Cineas: "When you have conquered Rome, what will you do then?"

Pyrrhus: "Then it will be a simple matter to conquer Sicily."

Cineas: "And after that?"

Pyrrhus: "With the resources of Sicily at our command, the rest of the world will soon submit to us."

Cineas: "And when all are in our power, what shall we do then?"

Pyrrhus: "We will live at our ease and drink all day and divert ourselves with pleasant conversation."

Cineas: "But what hinders us now, since we have at hand without trouble all those necessary things to which through much blood and great labor and infinite hazards and mischiefs done to ourselves and others, we design at last to arrive?"

Summer Conferences

It is not too early to begin to think about a summer conference. Those who wish to "expose" themselves to influences that will promote their grasp on religion and make them more useful workers in the Church or society will find what they want in any one of a large number of conferences, planned for different dates and offering different courses.

The Blue Mountain Conference, June 29 to July 10, is to be a particularly good one this year. The faculty includes the Rev. F. R. Barry, of Oxford, England, and Dr. Brackett, the social service leader, from Boston.

Here is an opportunity coming for an experience that is well worth planning for even at this early date.

St. Barnabas' Need for Clothing

An appeal for clothes has come from St. Barnabas', Kensington. The most urgent need is for men's clothing and for layettes.

Any articles left at the Parish Office will be taken to St. Barnabas' by those who go on Thursdays to serve supper to the children.

Work Wanted

1. A carpenter, capable of any sort of work in his trade or any other of the building trades.

2. A first rate man, willing and intelligent, looking for a permanent position.

The Rector can recommend both of these men as particularly satisfactory.

KALENDAR

March

- 1 2nd Sunday in Lent
- 8 3rd Sunday in Lent
- 15 4th Sunday in Lent
- 22 5th (Passion) Sunday in Lent
- 25 Annunciation
- 29 Palm Sunday
- 30 Monday before Easter
- 31 Tuesday before Easter

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Marya Allen
Wallace T. Backus

Confirmation

Agnes Reeves Butler

Marriages

Charles Maxwell Peterson and Agnes Boyd Hamill.

Burials

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Thus, whatever answer we give to the questions that arise out of the Gospel story, we come out each year more emphatically at the same conclusion. Because He lives we shall live also!

Easter Day is not simply an indication of the immortality of the soul. It is the proof of the existence of a new kind of life altogether through Christ. His victory over evil and death has put life for us on an entirely new level.

The Value of Bible Reading

But to find out the facts of Christ's Passion, familiar as they are, we turn anew each year to the Bible story, for it is in the story of Good Friday and of Easter that the message of these days is found, just as it is in the Christmas story that the Christmas message is found. What we want to grasp anew every year is "What actually did happen?" "What went on in the minds of those people, and above all, in the mind of Christ Himself?"

To ponder on these questions with our minds refreshed by the story will

allow us to go forward in spiritual understanding. There are no other sources for first-hand information of the historical Jesus than the Gospels. All of which brings us back to the good old time-tested fact that daily Bible reading is a natural necessity for growth in the spiritual life.



Church School Lenten Work

"Our World at Play" was the title of the work undertaken by the Church School for Lent this year.

It was our aim to portray to the children a more informed and enthusiastic attitude toward missions, both foreign and domestic. Interesting stories of children in China, Alaska, Mexico, the Foreign Born and others, were told the children by the Rector, Mr. Yen, a young Chinese, who told the story of China, Miss Dashiell and Miss Lewis. These stories were of games, showing the necessity of Fair Play and Good Sportsmanship and were to help the children to understand the large part the missionaries take in teaching the children of the world the spirit of Christ through play. The money in our Lenten Offering Boxes helps to support these missionaries and to buy their equipment.

On Saturday, March 28th, the sixth grade girls gave a play to raise money for a scholarship for a girl in Liberia. After the play there was an exhibition of all the work done by the classes during Lent. One class built a play-

ground and dressed dolls to represent the children we had been studying about. Another class had a wonderful exhibit of Chinese dolls and many other things of interest from China. Lovely dresses were made by a class of girls for members of our Mission School in Liberia.

The Children's Lenten Services came on Thursday afternoons and were very well attended, especially on the days when we had moving pictures of children in Alaska, China, etc., made possible by Mrs. Evan Randolph, who kindly sent the camera and a man to show the pictures.

The Offering Boxes will be put back in the Cross on Easter afternoon at the Children's Carol Service at 3:30. It is hoped that *no one* will neglect to bring or send his Box.

"246,724 Philadelphians Idle"

The unemployed who stood in January at the figure mentioned above are not being very rapidly absorbed into industry. The situation is still acute and demands considerable more money.

A letter, dated March 28th from Mr. H. G. Lloyd, says that his Committee can carry on only for three more weeks at the present rate. They are still \$1,400,000 short of their goal. Without increased funds they will have to throw 13,000 men out of work, to take away the hope of work from many others, to cut off relief from 22,000 families, and to turn onto the streets of Philadelphia 2,500 penniless and homeless men now at the Shelter.

The members of S. Paul's Church will want to know these facts in case they have not already come to their attention.

China Still Plagued by Famine

Food for those who are starving in China is still being asked for by the China Famine Relief Committee. If there are any in the parish who have been led to feel more keenly the significance of such an appeal through the troubles which our own people are enduring and care to include the Chinese in their gifts, such contributions may be sent to the Rector or direct to James A. Thomas, Treasurer, China Famine Relief, Inc., 205 E. 42nd Street, New York City.

Reredos Figures in Place

Although the figures recently placed in the reredos are temporary in nature they give a very clear idea of what the wooden ones will look like. The universal approval which they have called forth indicates the great satisfaction we all feel at having our altar finally complete. The figure of Our Lord now stands at the focus of attention.

Those on either side represent S. Paul on the Epistle side and S. John on the Gospel side. The figures in the pinnacles on the lower level indicate the pastoral office of the Church, its missionary function in the center, and the evangelist's office on the top. On the left side are the contemporaries of S. Paul—S. Timothy on the bottom, S. Barnabas in the middle, and S. Mark at the top. On the right hand stand figures representing Dr. Harris on the bottom, Bishop Hare in the center, and Phillips Brooks at the top.

The functions which the Church exercised in the first century are thus seen to be the same as those she carries on today.

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Ayton, George, 5
Binford, Franklin, 6
Blair, Edgar, 6
Boyd, Eleanor, 3
Boyd, J. Fulton, 4
Buchenhorst, Harriet, 6
Cheston, Robert, 5
Cost, Edward, 3
Disston, Diana, 5
Disston, Eliza, 6
Disston, Jacob, 6
Disston, Sarah M., 6
Eggleston, Betty, 5
Frazier, Agnes, 5
Fulmer, Helen, 5
Gilchrist, Edgar, 4
Gilchrist, Peter, 3
Hammett, Billy, 3
Hannan, Doris, 6
Henderson, Edith, 6
Henderson, Ruth, 6
Holland, Alice, 5
Huggins, Margaret, 3
McDermott, Charles, 4
McDermott, Ethel, 6
Maxson, John, 2
Meryweather, Juliana, 3
Meryweather, Mary, 5
Meryweather, Virginia, 6
Monroe, George, 5
Monroe, Grace, 3
Murphey, Evelyn, 5

Murphey, Rhoads, 6
Peabody, Endicott, 3
Peabody, George, 2
Poole, Evelyn, 3
Reath, Henry, 6
Shaefer, Jane, 5
Wilmot, Margaret, 6
Wood, Eleanor, 4

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Allan, Mr. D. Gordon, 2
Birckhead, Rev. M. H., 6
Cheston, Miss Charlotte, 5
Dallas, Mr. George, M., 4
Dashiell, Miss Alice, 5
Dunn, Miss Phoebe
Earle, Miss Margaret, 5
George, Miss Martyn, 2
Grove, Miss
Hay, Mrs. E. N.
Hay, Mr. E. N., 3
Moore, Mr. Richard, 6
Poole, Mrs. William, 4
Redhouse, Mr. Russell, 6
Shuman, Miss Helen, 6
Stewart, Mrs. Roy, 3
Weill, Mrs. A. S., 5
Weill, Miss Louise, 5
Williamson, Miss K., 5
Willing, Mrs. Charles, 5
Wright, Mrs. Minturn, 3
Wood, Miss Molly, 4

Young, Miss Carroll, 5
Zebley, Miss Helen M., 3

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Blair, Thomas, 3
Brown, William, 2
Currier, Isaac, 3
Duffy, Albert, 6
Egner, Edward, 6
Engsfeld, Robert, 3
Fleu, Bartelson, 6
Fleu, Conyers, 3
Getz, Henry, 6
Hay, Duncan, 6
Hay, Peter, 6
Heaton, Thomas, 4
Henderson, Mortland, 6
Lavelle, Richard, 6
Lavelle, Robert, 6
Lawson, David J. Jr., 2
Lightcap, Norman, 6
Lobs, George, 6
Meckley, Richard, 1
Morrow, Robert, 4
Thompson, George, 4
West, Harry, 1
Wilmot, Robert, 6
Wilmot, William, 6

To Carry on Our Parish Work

A letter will be sent out about the middle of the month describing our financial condition and asking contributions from those who wish to help the Parish by subscribing

(a) to our 1931 Budget, which still stands short of its total by the sum of \$13,000.

(b) to the debt on the New Church, which now stands at \$80,000.

Representative meetings of the men and women of the parish held in February considered our present needs and endorsed the plan of the Vestry to make this request whenever they saw fit.

We have no definite sum in mind, but believe that the parish wishes to carry on the work as at present planned and to discharge the debt on the Church with all reasonable speed. The Church is not yet officially consecrated and will not be until it is unencumbered of debt.

Parish House Room to Be Fitted Up as a Chapel

Due to the generosity of a number of interested people we are transforming a room in the Parish House that leads out of the north transept into a chapel, to be used for services on week days and on any occasion when a small congregation gathers.

The room has been slightly enlarged by the removal of closets and will have installed in it an altar with proper hangings, an altar rail, and all the equipment necessary for the Church's services. We expect that it will seat twenty-three people.

As the spiritual life of the Church

grows, the occasions become more and more frequent for small groups to get together for meditation, intercession, and worship. This addition, therefore, to the excellent equipment of our parish will enable us to carry on successfully with various plans which are alone possible in a small and intimate circle.

Women's Friendly Mission-Study Class

The Mission-study Class was the result of a casual conversation, the expressed desire of a number of busy women—a desire to know more of the teachings of our Church and Her Mission.

Miss Elsie Douglas was enlisted as leader. The subject was this year's Mission-study course, "The Advance Work Program," with Addison's book, "Our Expanding Church" the textbook for the year as a working foundation.

Six Monday evenings were devoted to intensive study—Foreign Missions; our own country's Missions and its needs; the Prayer Book and the Life of the Church dating from Our Lord's Resurrection to the present day, were the key subjects.

An interesting fact was learned in the "Life of the Church." In 1869 the Rev. J. Andrews Harris, of Saint Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, moved the appointment of a committee on organized service of women as "most important to Missionary work." This committee was soon known as the Women's Auxiliary.

The class members feel greatly benefited by this course and hope to continue it at a later date.

GRACE G. MONROE.

Letter From Mr. Eastburn Concerning the Work at St. Barnabas', Kensington

February 28, 1931.

Dear Mr. Peabody:

Thank you for the store orders received this morning. We are averaging as high as eight calls a day from people who have struggled along until they are now faced with starvation, feeling in most cases it is a disgrace to ask for charity.

We give vegetables and bread three days a week, but to a family who has no income at all it is not enough. Therefore, I ask you for the store orders which will supply just a few of the necessities and would at least keep body and soul together until work can be gotten.

You will be interested to know that we are making an effort to take care of every call we receive, either through their churches or through other agencies. In all cases we have given temporary relief until such time as we have been able to place them.

Thank you for your continued help in these trying times.

Sincerely yours,

ALBERT W. EASTBURN.

The Women's Friendly are prepared to furnish dusters, tea towels and any similar household articles on order. This work helps greatly in keeping our treasury able to meet the many demands upon it.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Women's Friendly Society
Saint Paul's Church

Balance on Hand December 31, 1929	\$85.30
Dues	36.85
<i>Rummage Sale</i>	
Donations	60.00
Sales	119.05
<i>Strawberry Festival</i>	
Donations	42.00
Sales	99.37
<i>Fair</i>	
Donations	52.00
Sales	333.50
Receipts in Full	\$828.07
Donations and Expenditures	783.00

Balance, December 31, 1930..... \$45.00

(Signed) MRS. GEO. H. GREBE,
Treasurer.

CALENDAR

April

- 1 Wednesday before Easter
- 2 Maundy Thursday
- 3 Good Friday
- 4 Easter Even
- 5 Easter Day
- 6 Easter Monday
- 7 Easter Tuesday
- 12 1st Sunday after Easter
- 19 2nd Sunday after Easter
- 25 S. Mark, Evangelist
- 26 3rd Sunday after Easter

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Thomas Heaton	Herbert Matlack
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George Lobs	David Lawson
Isaac Currier	Peter Hay
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"Members One of Another"

One indication of the growth of the soul toward God is the increasing length of the radius that describes the circle of its interests. If we are to be better Christians, we must take thought for all the causes that concern Christ. He held the barn-builder up to ridicule by showing the absurdity of a policy that strove to turn prosperity solely to the advantage of its owner. He asks us to conduct our business today for the benefit of the whole world. The radius that describes Christ's circle of interest is that of the earth itself.

An Economist Speaks

Sir George Paish, in his recent visit to Philadelphia, expressed exactly this thought in terms of the present economy emergency. He said, in effect, "The world's prosperity depends upon the free interchange of goods. The circulation of goods is as vital to the life of the nations, as is circulation of blood to the life of the body. The commercial life of the world is being strangled by tariff walls. Keep them up and you will destroy your entire business organism and with it civilization. Wipe them out and you will have free interchange of commodities among the nations to the infinite advantage of all."

How Promote the Kingdom?

That sounds like good sense. It touches too a responsive chord in the Christian heart, for the Christian is pledged to share his goods with others. He knows this to be sound practise in dealing with his friends and fellow-citizens. He sees it proved so every day. He cannot see his brethren beyond the seas, nor can he so readily share with them his goods. His experiences of them

come all at second hand. He cannot visualize their condition.

But when a great authority, like Sir George, lays the failure of our economic system to the selfishness and blindness of the nations, he perceives that the directions of Christ have been ignored and is not surprised. He marvels at the wisdom of God who has designed a world that can properly work for all only by the principles that enable friends to live together. And with a new confidence he turns to throw his full weight into the Christian Cause which, by showing nations to trade profitably and to live peaceably together, establishes the Kingdom of God.



Some Common Questions Answered

Why Should a Child Be Brought to the Church to Be Baptized?

Because it is of the Church that the child is made a member and into her life that he is initiated. Private baptism at the house has never been customary, and has been allowed only in case of desperate illness. Such baptism is subsequently completed by bringing the child to the Church to have the service completed.

Why Does the Episcopal Church Require Those Who Receive Communion to Be Confirmed?

Because only those who understand the meaning of the sacrament and have been taught how to prepare themselves can conceivably receive the highest blessing from it. The Sacrament of the Body and Blood of Christ is a "mystery" which is quite incomprehensible to those who are not instructed but thoroughly understood and richly enjoyed by those who are.

Why Does the Church Request That All Funerals Be Held in the Church?

The principal reason is that the Church is the only proper place in which to carry on all the solemn rites of life which relate to God. A second admirable reason is the practical impossibility of carrying on a reverent service in a place designed for living purposes. Most of those present must be placed in adjoining rooms where they can take no active part in the service, and the awkward features that surround the whole ceremony only emphasize the sorrow of the occasion. It costs no more to come to the Church and the opportunity to give Christian significance to the service is vastly enhanced.

New Policy on Parish Appeals

The Vestry has recently adopted a new policy involving appeals for parish support.

Formerly we have asked for subscriptions to the Budget in November and for other funds whenever we have been in need of them. Hereafter in addition to the budget contribution there will each year be an opportunity in April to give to the Building or Forward Program of the parish.

This plan is in conformity with those being adopted by other institutions and will enable people to look forward to two well-defined periods on which they can depend and for which they can save.

The present appeal for funds with which to balance our Budget and to pay off the loan on the New Church should so far reduce our indebtedness that we can pay it off entirely next year and have our church consecrated.

Are You Going to a Summer Conference?

The Summer Conference idea has grown up in the last decade to large proportions in the Church for the reason that those who attend find conferences so helpful, both in qualifying them for work in the Parish and with their personal life.

There are four or five conferences in

June and July which are within easy distance of Philadelphia. That at Frederick, the Blue Mountain Conference, is the one to which the largest delegation will probably go. It includes, with the regular conference, one for children and a week-end for laymen. Thus a family might well decide to take two weeks at the conference at small expense and at great profit to every member.

Programs of this conference, of which your Rector happens to be chairman of the Program Committee, may be secured at the Parish Office where Miss Harraden will be glad to answer questions. Any member of the Church who decides to go will be most welcome at any of the conferences. They exist to help and benefit Church people.

Mr. Eastburn Reports Again

St. Barnabas' Church,
Third and Dauphin Streets,
Philadelphia.

Beginning March 15, 1930, the Emergency Aid of Pennsylvania has financed the following kinds of relief:

March 15 to June 30—Suppers for children after school, five days a week.

July 1 to April 30—\$50.00 a week to be spent on bread and vegetables, and allowance for milk for not more than 30 infants or sick or pre-natal mothers. The Aid also paid the salary of a worker through the summer.

The summer relief was almost doubled, however, through the efforts of Church people, especially in Chestnut Hill.

In the fall the Aid carried on the bread and vegetables and the milk list. Funds are exhausted, however. We shall refer needy families to whatever agencies we can find, but it is very hard to deprive some of our faithful little folks of this help. There are many families belonging to us who've looked to us for some time.

If individuals could here and there be befriended, it would mean a great deal. The milk for one baby costs about \$4.00

a month at the rates charged so far; vegetables for diabetic cases sent to us from the Episcopal Hospital can be supplied at about \$6.00 a month for each convalescent.

If any wish further information about special cases, will they kindly call Miss Harraden, C. H. 0359?

Easter Offerings

The Good Friday Offering for Jerusalem and the East Mission amounted to \$171.02.

The Easter Offering for the general work of the Church was \$1,700.79.

The Church School Lenten Offering for Missions was \$633.69.

Supper!

The Women's Friendly will, for their Spring entertainment, give a supper on May 27th at 6:30. This is a new venture and we hope the parish will help us make it such a fine success that it may be repeated another year.

While we entirely depend on the proceeds to help carry on our work, the social and inspirational side will also have a part.

Please help us by donations of supplies toward the supper itself or cash for this purpose, by taking tickets at 75 cents each and by giving the inspiration of your presence that we may feel your support.

We hope to have all needed supplies obtained by donations, and further information can be obtained from Miss Douglas, telephone C. H. 0508, or the Parish Secretary's office.

There will be informal dancing for the young people and games in the evening. Also a sale of household articles and cakes and candy. E. D.

Where an Old Piano or Radio Would Help

The Family Society describes a South American family with four children, resident in our country since 1917. The

father, once a prosperous man, had owned four stores. He failed, emigrated to New Bedford, went to work in a cotton mill, and soon sent for his family.

When the New Bedford mills closed sickness overtook them. The wife died. Today none of those of working age can find work.

The Family Society has been in touch with them for sometime, trying to re-establish their morale. One of our social workers, Miss Constance Biddle, writes: "If we had a piano or a radio—anything, in fact, to make noise resembling music, it would go a long way toward making this family happy, as all of the children are musical."

This looks like an opportunity to give help that may be far reaching in its results.

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Newbold Strong
Henry Chace Tatnall, Jr.

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Wallace T. Backus and Rosina D. Malpass
Thomas Johnston and Anna Fisher

BURIAL

Edwards Evans Moyer, 2nd

KALENDAR

May

- 1 SS. Philip and James—Friday
- 3 4th Sunday after Easter
- 10 5th Sunday after Easter
- 14 Ascension Day—Thursday
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A Summer Schedule

The girl who cried out, "Relax," as her hero was about to make the putt upon which hung a championship, had still something to learn about the art of relaxation. She realized its importance, but her technique was poor. Yet how can one acquire a better one?

It is our habit hereabouts when June breaks in to heave a profound sigh and "call everything off that looks like effort" for four months. In one way this is not a bad practice. We could certainly not live either long or happily at the usual winter speed. But if we plan to become sufficiently rejuvenated to get back into gear by October first, we shall need to acquire a better technique than simply "calling everything off that looks like effort."

What We Want

Relaxation has its technique just as labor has—and in some respects requires more character than does straight everyday plugging. For one thing, in order to relax one must be willing to be bored a little. There's no relaxing in perpetual action. Reading is "slow." Sitting on the porch and gazing at nature does not quicken the pulse. But after all what we want is to decrease the heart beats.

To take three-quarters of the activity out of life does just that, if we will *do* it. That will call for considerable self-control, however. For the impulse of the day is to make up just as tight a schedule for play as we have formerly made for work. That is no good. There have got to be intervals and some of the things we plan for have got to be different from what we do usually.

How to Gain It

For the sake of definiteness let us say that a summer which has these things in it will have taught us at least something about relaxation:

1. *Being alone*—a few quiet walks, or quiet "sits" in which we get a chance to retreat far enough from things to get a perspective on them.

2. *Reading a book or two*—on a new subject of living significance, on "Russia," for example. The Soviet experiment is already touching our lives. What is the story of it?

3. *Worshipping God*—at least as regularly as we do throughout the winter. We are sworn foes of the complacency that has no need of God in the world. We need Him, perhaps especially when the impulse to "call everything off" assails the society in which we live. He will "relax" us best of all.



Some Common Questions Answered

May people remain throughout the Communion Service if they do not receive the Elements?

They certainly may. Receiving Communion, while it is the climax of the service, is not a necessity for genuine worship. The Communion Service, whether one receives or not, is fully as great an opportunity for addressing praise and thanks to God as is the office of Morning Prayer.

Does the Communion Service virtually end with receiving the consecrated Elements?

No. This is the high point of the service, which is not finally over until the Benediction is pronounced. Good manners toward God, therefore, keep us

in our places until the service is finally at an end.

Why do we have a choir procession? Does it help the service?

This is a custom that has grown up of recent years in the American Church. Its effect on worship is not good. A choir cannot sing properly while walking in a long line and the people do not join in the hymn much except when the choir is in the chancel. The universal custom of the Anglican Church is a silent procession and the singing of the first and last hymns in their entirety in the chancel.

Y. P. F.

We take pleasure in announcing the Y. P. F. Spring Dance, which will be given in the Parish House of St. Paul's Church on Friday, June 5, 1931, starting at 9 P. M.

Bill Clear's popular Main Line Orchestra will furnish the music. Tickets may be obtained from Miss Harraden or any members.

Choir Crosses

On Whitsunday gold crosses were awarded to Henry Ayton and Norman Lightcap for distinguished service in the choir.

Henry Getz, who received the cross last year, was granted the privilege of wearing his on a red ribbon.

William Thompson and Richard Lavelle have each been given the gold cross and red ribbon in previous years.

Church School Commencement

The final session of the Church School this year will be held on Sunday, June 14. The members of the school will gather in the Parish House at 10:30, where the awards for the year will be made and then march in procession to their seats in the Church.

It is very much hoped that the parents of the pupils will attend the meetings of that morning both in the Parish House and the Church. To the extent that we have the hearty co-operation of

every individual involved, the work of our school will prosper.

The Perfect Attendance List will appear on Commencement Sunday.

Summer Reading List

1. The Parish Library and Reading Committee wish to be of service to those who have adopted the excellent habit of reading two or three books on religion or allied subjects during the summer season. All of the books which have been recommended for Lent during the past years are to be found in the Chestnut Hill Free Library and the Parish Office. Some that may be considered of special interest are:

Biography—

Life of Phillips Brooks, Lawrence.
Mahatma Gandhi, His Own Story.
Memories of a Happy Life, Lawrence.

Dwight L. Moody, Bradford.

Life of Christ—

The Master, Bowie.
Behold the Man, Rittelmeyer.

Prayer—

The Church at Prayer, Dearmer.
Talking With God, Kensington.
Reality in Worship, Sperry.
The Meaning of Prayer, Fosdick.
The Meaning of Service, Fosdick.
The Manhood of the Master, Fosdick.

General Subjects—

The Episcopal Church, Atwater.
Science in Search of God, Mather.
A Church Awake, Sturgis.
Christ of the Indian Road, Jones.
Beliefs That Matter, Brown.
Gospel of the Hereafter, Smyth.

2. Those who care to know more about the great Russian experiment will be interested in the following books selected from a list recommended by the Foreign Policy Association:

Soviet Russia, W. H. Chamberlin.
The Challenge of Russia, Sherwood Eddy.
Broken Earth, Maurice Hundus.
Humanity Uprooted, Maurice Hundus.
These Russians, William C. White.

Girls' Friendly Society to Hold Alice-in-Wonderland Garden Party

The G. F. S. will hold an Alice-in-Wonderland Garden Party on Saturday, June 20th, at the residence of Mrs. Richard T. Nalle, East Bells Mill Road near Stenton Avenue, from 3:30 to 6 P. M.

There will be grabs, cake, candy and ice cream for sale as well as household and garden accessories. A play, "Alice-in-Wonderland" will be presented at 4 P. M.

A large share of the proceeds of this Party will be used for the relief of the unemployed.

In case of rain the Party will take place in the Parish House.

Last year we cleared about \$200.00 at the Garden Party. This with donations from interested friends enabled us to give \$375.00 to the City Mission, which was used to help pay the salaries of two good men who had been thrown out of work and whom the City Mission was thus able to attach to their staff for work there and in the missionary parish of the Chapel of the Transfiguration. We have been interested in this little mission ever since our branch had a Christmas Party for the children there two years ago. It is located way down in South Philadelphia in the district which used to be known as "the piggeries." There is a fine lot of people there but they have few opportunities and the need for the Church is very great. \$25.00 from our treasury went to pay for a summer outing for the children there and another \$30.00 for a Christmas Party.

Not all our time is taken up in good works for others. We have monthly suppers, often with a speaker. We have a basket ball team, which plays in the Diocesan Basket Ball League. We have had bridge and backgammon parties, dancing and millinery lessons. For three years we have sent two girls to a

G. F. S. summer conference and they have always returned full of enthusiasm and able to take more responsibility in the branch.

Without our honorary associates only half of this would be possible and right here we would like to express our grateful appreciation for all they do for us year after year. We want them to feel that we are a good investment and that the Girls' Friendly is building well on its cornerstone of Purity, Steadfastness, Friendliness and Religion.

Summer Plans

Beginning on June 1st the regular services of the Church will be held at the usual hours, 8, 9:30 and 11. Holy Communion will be celebrated on Thursdays at 7:30, and on Saints' Days at the same hour. (During June only the 10 o'clock services on Thursday and Friday will continue.)

The Rector or the Curate will be available throughout the season. The Parish Secretary will be here until July 12th.

Evening service will be discontinued after the last Sunday in May.

The Rector will not hold Office Hours after May 26th, but is always glad to see anyone who wishes to make a special appointment.

The Union Services with the other churches of Chestnut Hill begin on June 21st, with the opening service in our own church at 8 P. M.

Flower and Vegetable Mission

A large number of flowers and vegetables, sent to St. Barnabas', Kensington, St. Christopher's Hospital, and other places, were of the greatest possible benefit last summer. The Mission again will begin this year in June and run throughout the summer. Will those who care to contribute send their flowers and vegetables to the Parish House Wednesday mornings before 10 o'clock, beginning with June third?

Results of Parish Appeal

The total amount received to date has been \$24,081.95 from 85 people. This is a thoroughgoing success. As a result we have been able to pay \$10,000 off the new church debt, and to guarantee the fulfilment of our 1931 Budget, provided receipts from other sources are as great as they were in 1930.

This is a great source of gratification to the Rector and Vestry who would like to take this occasion to thank the parish heartily for their continued generous support.

Blue Mountain Conference

A considerable party from this Parish will go to the Blue Mountain Summer Conference at Frederick, which opens on Monday, June 29th, and runs until Friday, July 10th. The Conference welcomes Church workers particularly but also any other church men or women who care to come. The cost is \$35.00 for the whole period.

A special Conference for Laymen will be held over the week-end of July 4th and 5th, led by Bishop Casady, of Oklahoma.

The Rector is very much interested in this Conference, having had a large part in securing the faculty for this year and plans to go himself. Will any who are interested kindly make further inquiry of him?

The Women's Friendly

On May 27th the Women's Friendly Society held a very successful Parish Supper in the Parish House. The speaker was the Rev. Ernest Pugh, of Somerville, N. J. The Society wishes to thank the members of the parish who so generously supported this undertaking and thereby helped to make it a success.

Among the seventy women who have been giving \$7.50 weekly for their sewing, through the Woman's Auxiliary Special Committee for the Relief of Unemployment at the Church House, are twenty who are Episcopalians and are in dire need.

The payment for sewing, which has been generously aided by the Lloyd Committee, stops this month. What will these women and the children dependent on them do through the summer?

The Goodwill Industries will gladly furnish them with work if we can pay the wages of \$6.00 a week for three days' work. Will you give one week's wages for one woman or one week each month? \$120.00 will be needed each week and there are thirteen weeks before September.

Please make checks payable to Henrietta M. Washburn, Treasurer, and send to Miss Washburn at 2030 De Lancey Place. As the Church House will be closed for two months it is important *no mail be addressed to her there.*

JUNE KALENDAR

- 7 1st Sunday after Trinity
- 11 S. Barnabas
- 14 2nd Sunday after Trinity
- 21 3rd Sunday after Trinity
- 24 S. John Baptist
- 28 4th Sunday after Trinity
- 29 S. Peter

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Robert Clark Little
Samuel George Morrison, Jr.
Anne Elizabeth Siebar

Marriages

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Charles Day
Charles S. Hebard
Caroline Voorhees Remak
Edgar M. Sheppard

For Rent

Two of the most attractive houses in our Church group are now available for new tenants. One of these houses rents for \$85, and the second one, facing Springside School, rents for \$100. They are in perfect condition and ready for occupancy. Please refer to Leonard W. Coleman, C. H. 1085.

A number of people desiring summer work have their names on file at the Parish Office.

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Thomas Blair	Robert Lavelle
Omar Uhle	Harry Ashenfelder
Albert Duffy	Robert Wilmot
Thomas Heaton	Herbert Matlack
Conyers Fleu	Harvey Scheetz
George Lobs	David Lawson
Isaac Currier	Peter Hay
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The Months Ahead

There are many who prophesy that the months immediately ahead of us will be full of difficulty. But Christian people will not be cast down by this thought as we realize that here is an opportunity to give evidence of the Faith that is in us in at least four definite ways:

1. By keeping cheerful, whatever that may cost, because it helps so much to keep up the morale of others.

2. By giving generously, in spite of reductions in our own means.

3. By praying that God will give us wisdom and resolution to conform our civilization more according to His will.

4. By striving to do a little independent thinking on the whole situation, instead of being content to accept the opinion of "experts."

"Whoso doeth these things (whether an individual or a society), shall never fall."



Bruce Ford

All who knew Bruce Ford will grieve at his death. His was a character that contributed richly to every task he did and to every individual with whom he came in contact. He had the Christian's sense of responsibility for the promotion of the ideal world, and he strove to help this world's progress wherever he

touched it. As a vestryman his sagacious counsel and generous gifts were ever at the Church's disposal. But his Christian duty only began there. It extended into every detail of his business and every relationship of his public and private life.

God really laid hold of Bruce Ford and used him richly. He was an inventor of consummate ability in the electrical field but his excellence was by no means absorbed or limited by his business. He felt that the world and its needs had a claim on him and he strove to fulfil those needs wherever he encountered them. The Parish will sorely miss him and the excellent services which he rendered us, but we can part with him too with a sense of deep-felt pride as we reflect: "Here truly was one whose life reflected something of the nobility and the tenderness of the Christ."



St. Barnabas', Kensington

The needs of this Mission are increasingly great as the winter draws on. St. Paul's has done much for St. Barnabas' during the past two years. Mr. Eastburn has recently asked us to help again, if we can, in the following ways: 1. Money and workers to help serve suppers to the children; 2. Warm clothing of any sort; 3. Church School teachers to conduct a week-day class on Monday and Friday after school. (If you wish to help in any of these ways, kindly call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.)

Flower and Vegetable Mission

A number of generous people have been contributing flowers and vegetables throughout the summer. The flowers have been sent to various missions and settlement houses and hospitals in the city; the vegetables, chiefly, to St. Barnabas' Mission. They have been enormously appreciated. We are continuing this Mission until the first frost. Will those who can lend a truck, station wagon or car on any Wednesday morning, at 10:30, kindly get in touch with Mrs. Benjamin Pepper, C. H. 4068.

The New Canon on Matrimony

A great deal of misunderstanding concerning this canon will be cleared up if the following facts are kept in mind: 1. The principal intention of the Church is to declare unequivocally against the remarriage of divorced persons, with the single exception of the innocent party in a divorce for adultery; 2. In the case of divorced persons who have been remarried by civil authority or by a minister of another church, our Church's attitude is merciful. The Bishop now has the power to admit them to Baptism, Confirmation, or Communion, if, in his judgment, the moral conditions justify him in doing so; 3. The matter of annulment is of secondary importance and aims simply to annul a union which, in common sense, should never have taken place. The Church will naturally be on its guard against the frivolous appeal to this clause.

The United Charities Campaign

In order to provide adequately for the pressing needs of the coming winter,

a combined appeal will be made this month for the Welfare Federation, the Unemployed, and the Jewish Charities. Here is a case of being forced back by necessity upon the ultimate tie which binds us together—our common life as citizens of the same city. No one can escape the claim on his sympathy made by the dire necessity of the situation, but beyond that, Christians will rejoice at the opportunity that this appeal gives us to realize that doctrine of Christ, hitherto only half understood, "Ye are members one of another."

Confirmation Class

The first meeting of the new class will take place in the Parish House on Sunday afternoon, October 11th, at five o'clock. The Rector is anxious to see, at this time, all who wish to consider Confirmation, whatever their age. He is particularly anxious to have no one get beyond the age of fifteen without receiving Confirmation.

Office Hours

The Rector will resume his office hours in the Parish House beginning Tuesday, October 13th, between 5 and 7 P. M. But he will be very glad to make special appointments with any one who wishes to see him at any other time.

Visiting Preachers

The Parish will welcome the Rt. Rev. Michael Furse, D. D., Bishop of St. Albans, on Sunday morning, October 11th. He has come to this country on a short visit. His principal engagement

was the sermon at the opening of General Convention.

On Sunday, October 25th, the Rev. Lee Rose will preach. He is the missionary in charge of our great Mission at Sagada, Philippine Islands, and will have an interesting story to tell.

New Members of the Staff

St. Paul's welcomes two new members of her staff this autumn. Miss Hilda Shaul, the Director of Religious Education, comes to us from Calvary Church, Pittsburgh, and from a wide experience in New York City.

Miss Ruth C. Kennell is taking the place of Miss Harraden as Parish Secretary. She also has had considerable experience in Church work and comes to us thoroughly prepared to do her work.

This Parish is indeed fortunate to secure the services of two such well qualified workers.

Women's Friendly Society

The Women's Friendly will hold their first meeting Wednesday, October 21st, at eight o'clock. It is most important that all our old members attend, and we want new members very much. All who have not before been with us will have a most cordial welcome. There is much to be done, let us start with a will!

E. D.

A French lady-teacher would give French or Spanish lessons in exchange for room in the home of a cultivated family. Apply or write to T. D., care of St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill.

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Cynthia Churchman
Sophie Waters Elkins
Francis Allen Bartow
Paul Lewis Bell
Mary Davis Franks
Virginia Latimer Franks
Penelope Merritt
Edythe Marple Grebe
Celeste Abercrombie Neely
Richard Webb Scott Newton
Stevenson Crothers Chase
Joanna Gunning Logan
Richard Drayton

Marriages

Hermann Moret and Charlotte M. Cheston.

William Cheston Stokes, Jr., and Mary Horton McCook.

Walter Hart West, Jr., and Helen Howe.

Randolph Lawson and Olivia Phillips Schwartz.

George G. Snowden, Jr., and Adelaide Farr.

Burials

C. Cresson Wistar, Jr.
Mary E. Stone
June M. Baisch
Bruce Ford
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A Blessing Disguised

You hear some people say today: "Keep up your spirits till the break comes" in the thought that the times through which we are passing are simply a "depression." But it is much more than "a depression." It is a period in which the breakdown of a weak set of ideas is at length clearly apparent. We have been proceeding with a system which has at bottom principles contrary to those of Christ. Until those principles are replaced with others which are definitely Christian, we shall encounter such "depressions" with ever more frequent recurrence.



The Root Corrupt

This is a time in which "optimism" or "pessimism" is only of secondary importance. Here is a situation that you can't "laugh off." The reasons for it go too deep. We must face the insecurity that has so suddenly been revealed to us, relentlessly search out its many causes, and with energy and courage replace faulty thought with sound thought.

It is almost incredible when everything "seemed to be going so nicely" to encounter such a sudden and complete breakdown. But that is the way life works. If the root is decaying, the fruit will some day be rotten. We have run along on the principle that something else was more important than human life. We were wrong. Now we realize it.

Religious Warning

God gives warnings to men before He allows them to destroy themselves. Surely here is a warning that we can thank Him for. It is not a whit less critical than that which Christ put up to the Pharisees: "Except ye turn and repent ye shall all likewise perish."



Causes

Much will be asked in a financial way of Christian people during the coming three months. Every one of us will have to decide before giving any money what most needs support. We shall do well in coming to our conclusion to consider, of course, the human needs of every appeal, but very much more than that, the promise of the cause appealed for to shape a future which will make a repetition of the present situation impossible.

1. THE UNITED CAMPAIGN presents a city-wide effort to provide for food and clothing for many thousands, especially for children who will receive irreparable injury if the full sum asked for be not realized.

2. MISSIONARY CALL. The Bishop has appealed for help to carry out the Diocesan budget, which provides for sixty missions and some twenty of our own welfare institutions, together with the large share that Pennsylvania has in the work of the National Church. If everyone responds to this appeal, even in a small amount, the sum required will be raised.

3. THE PARISH BUDGET FOR 1932 will come before us during the first week in December. After two

years which have revealed the failure of a social system that was not sufficiently Christian, we must put every effort to carry on the Church's work in the most effective way.

I suggested these three causes as worthy of special consideration in a season of great need which calls upon every one of us for sacrificial giving.

M. E. P.

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Richard James Moore and
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NOVEMBER KALENDAR

- 1 22nd Sunday after Trinity
All Saints
- 8 23rd Sunday after Trinity
- 15 24th Sunday after Trinity
- 22 Sunday before Advent
- 26 Thanksgiving Day—Thursday
- 29 1st Sunday in Advent
- 30 St. Andrew—Monday

Thanksgiving Day

Thanksgiving Day falls on November 26th this year. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7:30; Morning Prayer with full choir and Sermon at 10 o'clock. This is a family day. We hope that people by coming with their children will thus make the principle activity of the Feast Day thanksgiving to God, as was originally intended.

Some Common Questions Answered

What is a Parochial Mission?

It is an occasion extending about a week when a Parish Church is visited by a preacher who conducts daily services in which the people are re-taught the fundamentals of the Christian faith and inspired through services of prayer to be more faithful followers of Jesus Christ.

What is a Retreat?

A group of people under the leader-

ship of a spiritual guide, who for a week-end or longer withdraw from their regular occupations to consider intensively the nature of Religion and its claims upon them.

What is a "Quiet" Day?

It is an opportunity given to a group of people, often in their own Parish, under the leadership of a qualified guide, to consider the meaning of Religion and their own relationship to God.

Wanted for the Church School Office

A small desk or a secretary's table. Will any one who would like to give us such a thing, kindly telephone to Chestnut Hill 5245?

Lost and Found Articles

Lost and found articles may be applied for or brought to the Church Office at any time during office hours.

For Rent

A furnished room at \$5.00 a week. Apply to the Church Office or call C. H. 1771.

The Church School

The Church School opened on October 4th with an attendance of 244. The enrollment of the School is now 310, an increase of 18 over last year's enrollment. The list of those girls and boys who have had perfect attendance does not appear in the leaflet this month. A study of the present system of attendance and marking is being undertaken by the executive committee, and will be presented in the near future to parents, teachers and pupils for their consideration.

The various classes are undertaking Church School activities with seeming enthusiasm and whether one meets grade three in their pilgrimages of the church building, or hears of a fifth grade class who are working out a frieze for their room in connection with a study of the

prophets, or meets with ninth grade girls who are undertaking the missionary education program of the Church School, one feels that pupils and teachers alike consider their work together worth while and important.

Plans for November include a general meeting of the parents and teachers and a Thanksgiving pageant to be presented at the nine-thirty service on November 22nd by the Church School choir.

Miss Margaret de Courcy Cruice and Miss Lee Murphy have taken charge of the tea room, which is part of the Church property at 46 E. Chestnut Avenue and will be operating about November 1st. Miss Cruice also runs the "What-You-Will" Tea Room at Bay Head, New Jersey, during the summer months.

One of the Church properties at 36 E. Chestnut Avenue, is now ready for occupancy. Kindly address any inquiries to Leonard W. Coleman, 8714 Prospect Avenue.

Needed for St. Barnabas' Mothers' Club

New material or pieces large enough from which to cut children's clothes. Please send to the Church Office and mark for same.

Experienced gardener and farmer, Protestant, married, no children, desires position. Call C. H. 0818.

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Mr. Herbert Redhouse
Mrs. Charles Willing
Miss Helen M. Zebly

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Assistant—Mrs. Charles E. Goodin
Grade 2-2
Mrs. William Steeble
Assistant—Miss Elizabeth Ayton
Grade 3-1
Miss Phoebe Dunn
Assistant—Miss Marianna Merritt
Grade 3-2
Miss Helen Shuman
Assistant—Miss Deborah D. Meryweather
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Mrs. Robert Glendinning, Jr.
Grade 4G-2
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Grade 5G
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Mr. George Dallas
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The Parish Budget

The Budget for 1932 represents a saving of some \$1300 over that of 1931 in the amount of money asked for Parish expenses, but contemplates carrying out a program even more ambitious. The Church School with its new Director, Miss Shaul, should take another step ahead toward wider usefulness and higher standards. The Church's services, as the choir improves and the congregation increasingly takes its part, should be growing more spiritually helpful. The experience of two years has enabled us to carry on operating and general expenses more efficiently. The missionary figure, while it has not yet reached an ideal division between ourselves and others, is a shade larger and will without question be paid in full.

A Worthy Ambition

It is a pity that the year has yet to come when we raise our whole Budget at this time of our General Canvass. In 1931 we received enough funds to carry out our work as planned, but it was only after a second appeal to the congregation.

The way out of the difficulty, of course, lies in increasing the number of contributors, and in getting larger contributions. We are aiming at the former and hoping for the latter. The canvass will be carried out this year with greater care and by volunteers who are better informed. *May every member be led to bear his part.*

The Greater Task in 1932

The Church's support, however, in any year depends upon the value set by her members upon her work. That greater demands will be made upon religion, both for comfort and for power, during the coming year, there can be no doubt. More will be expected of her. Her work will touch a larger number of souls.

While money cannot be a substitute for the human or religious factors, it is able to extend the Church's services by putting means into the hands of its ministers for accomplishing them in the most effective way.

In the coming year when such great things will be expected of the Church let us see to it at the outset that she has in hand the means to accomplish them.

A Quiet Day

On December 8th a Quiet Day will be held for the women of the Parish, led by the Rev. F. Creswick Todd, Rector of St. Andrew's Church, South Orange, New Jersey.

Holy Communion will be celebrated at 10:30 and followed by periods of meditation from 11 to 12:30. Lunch will be served in the Parish House at 12:45 and followed by another period of meditation. The Quiet Day will be brought to a close at 2:45. All members of the Parish are most cordially invited. The occasion promises to be a most helpful one.

Liberian Missionary on the Staff

At its last meeting, the Vestry voted to place on the staff of this Parish Miss Elsie Beyer, who has gone out from us to work in Liberia. We shall ask the Department of Missions in New York to apply part of our contributions to the payment of her salary. We shall keep in touch with her and report from time to time accounts she gives of her work.

New Vestryman Elected

The name of Lewis N. Lukens is added to the list of Vestrymen in this current issue. Mr. Lukens was elected at the November meeting to take the place of the late Bruce Ford. We are looking forward to the contribution which he will make to the life of the Parish.

New Altar Vessels

By the generous gift of Mr. Arthur H. Lea a very beautiful chalice and paten, together with a set of cruets, has been given to the Parish in memory of his wife, Caroline Tyler Lea.

Into the chalice and paten have been set Mrs. Lea's marriage jewels. The work has been exquisitely carried out. It will always be one of the most treasured possessions of the Parish. We intend to make use of the vessels at present only on the great feast days of the Church.

Finding Jobs for Unemployed

There exists in Chestnut Hill a Committee on Employment, of which Mr. Isaac Starr is chairman, which is trying to find work for people in our own district. Its success depends upon our knowing about it and making definite efforts to look up jobs around the house or office and in referring to the Committee's office, telephone Victor 3281 for workers to supply our needs. Many people have already done this. If all would do so the situation would be greatly helped. The committee in this Parish are: Rev. M. H. Birkhead, Mrs. Malcolm Peabody, Mrs. David Pepper, Mr. Isaac Starr and Miss Mary Stewardson.

Another way of giving assistance wisely would be to call the Community House, C. H. 0377, when firewood is wanted and ordering a load, \$15.00, or a half load, \$8.00. This is the price asked for the wood, delivered and piled, in the cellar. Every dollar received will be paid to the men who are cutting and delivering the wood.

The Church School

Three classes for members of the Boys' Choir have recently been organized as a regular part of the Church School under the following teachers: Grades 5 and 6, Mr. Clyde B. Pyle; Grades 7 and 8, Mr. A. R. Bast; Grades 9 and over, Mr. Alfred Hunter. These groups meet from 9:30 to 10:10 on Sunday mornings.

The Children's Corner is now being cared for by two committees of boys and girls in the neighborhood. One of the members writes: "We go over every Saturday and change the pictures, books and prayers. We enjoy doing this very much."

The Executive Committee of the Church School has been concerned this past month with discussion on the marking system. They are facing the problem as to whether or not it is wise to send reports to the parents concerning the character development of pupils, as well as marks for work accomplished. Through questionnaires they have called in the help of parents, teachers and pupils. Many significant replies have been received. Among the statements made by individual pupils were the following:

"I should like to be marked upon being interested in other people *except China*."

"I think if you take an interest in the Church School and read books from the library you should be marked on interest. I think that instead of being marked on attendance we should be marked on interest, because if we were really interested we would be present and that would be like attendance, but you would really come with your *mind*."

Our Boy Scout Troop

After several months of anxious waiting, Troop 197, which was chartered last May, held its first meeting in the Parish House on October 23rd. With meetings every Friday at 7:30 P. M. and hikes almost every week-end, the membership is steadily increasing. We have a most attractive group of boys, all enthusiastic, interested and loyal.

We want every boy of the Church School (12 to 18 years of age), who appreciates real fun, likes hard work, enjoys outdoor life with its adventures, wants a closer intimacy with nature and association with other real red-blooded boys, to come to the Parish House on Friday evenings at 7:30.

The Troop is anxious to be of service

to the Church and any of its organizations whenever the opportunity arises. We are now directing traffic at the Church on Sunday mornings and will be glad to help in any other way, whenever called upon.

In addition to other services the Troop is hoping to give several functions for the Parish and public in the nature of noted lecturers, scout demonstrations and Indian lore. On these occasions there will be given an opportunity for those interested to contribute to the financial support of the Troop.

A library will be one of the Troop's possessions. If anyone has books that have served their purpose, and are of a wholesome nature for boys' reading, we will be glad to call for them. Good stories, travel and nature books are very desirable.

Telephone or write to Rev. Malbone H. Birkhead, 22 East Chestnut Avenue, C. H. 1310, or the Scoutmaster, Clyde B. Pyle, 7151 Anderson Street, C. H. 1638.

Positions Wanted

By a lady who has had experience as a school teacher and nursery governess. Would be glad to look after children or act as companion for an older person.

By an experienced nursery governess of good family background.

Both of these women are very much in need of work. For reference please apply to the Rector through the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

Thanksgiving Offering

The amount contributed on Thanksgiving Day to the work of the Episcopal Hospital was \$736.65.

A list is being made of our young people who are away at school and college. Will you please fill in the blank below with the names of any members of your family to whom this may apply and hand it in to the Parish Office?

Name
Parents
Address
School or College.....

Women's Friendly Fair

The Women's Friendly Fair will be held as usual Wednesday, December 9th. This year we are trying to make a specialty of useful and necessary household articles, for we realize the many demands made upon everyone. We hope our friends will buy their household supplies of towels, aprons, etc., from us instead of from the shops. This fair is the only way in which we can make the money necessary to carry on our winter's work. It is offered as an act of devotion to God, and we feel that our friends will "stand by" in the loyal and splendid way they always have in the past.

ELSIE DOUGLAS.

Wanted

Sewing machine for Girls' Friendly Society.

A bureau or chest of drawers and a kitchen table in good condition for a needy person.

For Rent

One room, two rooms, or part of a house for rent furnished. Apply to the Church Office or call C. H. 3924.

DECEMBER KALENDAR

- 6 2nd Sunday in Advent
- 13 3rd Sunday in Advent
- 20 4th Sunday in Advent
- 21 S. Thomas, Apostle—Monday
- 25 Christmas Day—Friday
- 26 S. Stephen, Martyr—Saturday
- 27 1st Sunday after Christmas
S. John, Evangelist
- 28 Holy Innocents—Monday

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St. Paul's and the General Church

This Parish has always been a faithful supporter of the work of the Diocese and the General Church. We have each year contributed not only our quota in money, but a considerable amount more than we were asked for. The members of the Parish are leaders in the work of the Woman's Auxiliary and serve on the Executive Council. The clergy have always borne their share of diocesan responsibility.

We have not yet done *all* that we could because each year we manage to do more. This is as it should be, for true religion reaches out further and further beyond the limits of the local field.

Our Privileged Condition

That St. Paul's is able to do much is largely due to the fact that many of our people can give generously both of their money and of their tin. Many other parishes less fortunately placed are unable to bear so large a share. Some cannot even contribute the quota which they are assessed. This is due often to conditions over which they have no control. In other cases, it is due definitely to lack of interest.

Whatever the cause, however, the Diocese is now facing a deficit of \$80,000 for the current year, while the General Church must receive a million dollars in December if it is to finish the year "out of the red."

A Further Opportunity

In order to fulfil our stated obligations, Bishop Taitt has made an emergency appeal to all whose payments to the Diocesan Campaign have been com-

pleted. It has come to many of us at St. Paul's because of our interest in the Diocesan Campaign. Many of us will want to help the Diocese and the General Church further. Far from looking upon this as an incubus or even as an obligation, let us think of it as another chance to promote Christ's work in terms of that paradox which is so eternally true, as applied to opportunities for service. "To him that hath (supplied personal service to the Church) shall be given (increasingly larger opportunities to do the same thing again)." This is an opportunity. Let us glory in it!



Bishop's Visitation

Bishop Taitt will visit the Parish on Sunday morning, January 10th, at 11 o'clock. He will confirm the class and preach.



Report of Canvass

The Canvass of our members for the 1932 Budget is going forward in a most encouraging way. The ground has been more carefully covered, the canvassers better prepared before they started, and their reception even more cordial than usual.

We are not in a position yet to make a final report, but if we may judge by present returns, the prospects are that we shall do at least as well as we did last year in the total amount received, while the number of those pledging will be definitely increased. This is a most satisfactory mark of progress and shows the splendid spirit of St. Paul's people coming out again.

Chapel Altar Ornaments

A set of pewter altar ornaments have been given to our little chapel by Mrs. A. A. Jackson in memory of Lucretia M. Ten Broeck Baker. They consist of a pair of candlesticks, a pair of vases and a very handsome altar cross. They have added to the beauty and usefulness of the chapel no end. We take this opportunity of making a grateful acknowledgment.

Another New Vestryman

Mr. Phillips Blair Lee was elected to the Vestry at its last meeting, a vacancy having been made for him by the enlargement of the Vestry to thirteen members in accordance with the provision of our new charter. The Parish is fortunate to be able to count Mr. Lee upon its Executive Board because of his already recognized abilities and the genuine interest in the Church's work which he has continually shown.

A Missionary on the Staff

An arrangement has been made with the Department of Missions to put Miss Elsie Beyer, a member of this Parish and now working at Emery Hall, Bromley, Liberia, on our staff. Her name appears with those of the other members of the staff. Her salary, \$1250 a year, will be paid out of the contributions we make to the work of the General Church.

The Christmas Offering

The Christmas offering this year amounted to \$847.41.

Plans are under way for an Inter-School Conference on "Our Daily Bread," to be held on Sunday afternoon, February 7th.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

(Articles written by Church School Members)

The meeting of the parents and teachers of the pupils of St. Paul's Church School, held in the Parish House on December 1st, was significant because of an interest shown by the parents and teachers in a proposal for a new marking system.

After a great deal of discussion, the meeting voted to adopt a new system for a year's trial. This plan gives an opportunity for the parents to see how their child co-operates in general with his classmates, through homework and tests, and in the Church service.

The meeting also voted to abolish the printing of the monthly attendance lists in the Church leaflet in order to substitute articles concerning Church School work written by pupils.

After the business of the meeting was finished, the pleasure came. Miss Shaul, our new adviser in religious education, explained many of the newer phases of religious schooling. When her talk was finished, we saw that St. Paul's was not so very far behind the times.

W. H. M.,
Grade Sr. 3B.

In the back of the Church near the font, as you all know, is the Children's Corner. It is there to show the children that a part of the Church is especially for them. There are a number of pictures and books there and also a picture for each season on the left of the prayer desk. On the prayer desk is a prayer for each week. During Christmas and Epiphany Seasons, there is a crèche there which is very lovely, and which the committee would like everyone to see. The committee, which is made up of boys and girls in the neighborhood, go over every Saturday and change the pictures, books and prayers, and put fresh flowers in the vases.

OLIVIA BIRCKHEAD,
Grade 8G-1.

The members of Grade One, who have been studying this fall about Christian living in school, sent books about the Christ Child to all the day schools in the neighborhood for Christmas.

Here is a letter they have written to their mothers and fathers telling them about it:

Dear Mothers and Fathers:

We had a book we liked so much that we wanted our day school classes to enjoy it, too. It was called the Christ Child. Mrs. Wistar took our book to our day schools. In Henry's school the book was put in the library for all the children to read. Evie's school the teacher put our book in her drawer, and once in a while she took it out and read from it to the first grade. Miss West at the Play School showed Kitty and her friends the lovely pictures and read part of it. She keeps it over the window. Jimmy says that Miss Zara's School saw the book and were so delighted that they used the pictures in planning the costumes for their Christmas play. In Jenks School Miss Bennett read the book every day till it was finished. "The boys and girls weren't so patient because they were so anxious to see the pictures." The day schools wrote us letters telling us all about how much they liked our book-present.

We wish all the mothers and fathers a Happy New Year from the

FIRST PRIMARY.

The day after Christmas, the presents for St. Titus' Mission from our Church School had to be marked with each one's name. So you can imagine what it was like, unwrapping and wrapping about two hundred and fifty of these gifts! There were about nine of us helping. I know these children will enjoy receiving them as we enjoyed giving them. Remember the words of our Lord Jesus Christ: "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

MARY WATSON MERYWEATHER.

The Missionary education program of the Church School will take place during Epiphany this year instead of Lent, and the mite boxes will be given out on January 3rd.

During 1931, the pupils in the Church School have contributed \$2,203.31—in their regular offering envelopes and by special offerings for various specified objects. The money has been given away as follows:

To the Parish	\$309.47
To the Diocese	743.56
To the Nation	190.96
To the World	947.06
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Work by day—cooking, serving or general housework. Young person with references. Apply to Parish Office or call Victor 7505.

For Rent—One Unfurnished Room; One Furnished Room. Apply 8620 Germantown Avenue.

JANUARY KALENDAR

- 1 Circumcision
- 3 2nd Sunday after Christmas
- 6 Epiphany
- 10 1st Sunday after Epiphany
- 17 2nd Sunday after Epiphany
- 24 Septuagesima Sunday
- 25 Conversion of St. Paul
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VOL. XXXVII

Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, February, 1932

No. 2

RECTOR'S COLUMN

The Reason for Lent

The Church sets apart a period each year *especially* dedicated to the cultivation of religion. The theory is that the way of development lies along the road of special effort. If we want to become good at anything else in life, we set aside a definite period for study or practice. Lent is a perfectly reasonable provision. The question is how to use it properly.

A Way to Keep It

The answer usually given is "Pray and Think!" Learn better how to converse with God and find out something more about Him. The Church aims to help people to do these things. The services at St. Paul's this year provide for a course in Personal Religion on Monday by two admirably qualified clergymen. On Wednesday evenings the Rector will describe the Principal Elements of Our Belief. Each day there is to be a quiet service of Evening Prayer at 5. While on Thursday at that hour we shall hold Choral Evensong. The suggested books on our Lenten list have been carefully chosen by the Reading Committee of the Parish.

And in 1932!

Not since the war has a year come along that tries the soul as this year is doing. We must have soul nourishment if we are to confront it with courage and common sense. Every one of us is expectantly looking for help in the journey of life. May God come closer to us this Lent to fulfil our needs. He will if we do our part. But He needs our co-operation.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

An Inter-School Conference

The Inter-School Conference on "Our Daily Bread" will be held Sunday, February 7th, at four o'clock. This conference is the culmination of the missionary education program carried on in our own Church School and in the sixth and seventh grades of the day schools in our community. The program follows:

The Lord's Prayer

Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf

I. *Our Interdependence for Bread:*

On whom are we dependent for our food?.....John Story Jenks School
How are city dwellers dependent on rural life?

Chestnut Hill Academy, Grade 7

II. *The Unequal Distribution of Bread:*

Why are some people hungry?
Springside School, Grade 7
What parable did Jesus Christ give us about unequal distribution?
Springside School, Grade 6

III. *Our Responsibility for Sharing Bread:*

What does the parable of the Good Samaritan teach us today?
Chestnut Hill Academy, Grade 6
What is Philadelphia doing to make life more abundant?
Shady Hill Country Day School

Further Teaching of Jesus Regarding Society:

What seems to be Jesus Christ's attitude toward individuals?
Should Jesus Christ's attitude toward individuals hold true for nations?
St. Paul's Senior Church School and Young People's Fellowship

Litany

Hymn—"America, the Beautiful."

Senior Conference

On the Sunday mornings of January 17th and 24th, the Senior department held a conference to discuss the subject: "What seems to be the attitude of our Lord toward individuals?"

Each of the classes reported on Bible references given to them. After a great deal of discussion we drew a conclusion that every person is of equal importance to Jesus. It was significant because of an interest shown by the pupils and also the teachers. A report of our work is to be given at the Inter-School Conference held on February seventh, at four o'clock.

Member of Senior Department.

Class Pilgrimages

Perhaps one of the best teaching methods is that of extending pupils' knowledge through actually bringing them into contact with life outside of their usual experience. Several trips have been made to various institutions in the city in connection with class projects, and accounts of a few of them follow:

A Trip to a Bread Factory

"I saw the man mix the dough.
I saw a man weigh the dough.
And I saw a man bake the dough.
I saw so much I can't tell any more."

Member of Grade Two.

"Thank the farmer for growing all the wheat and giving it to the miller to grind into flour. Thank the miller for giving the flour to the baker who makes us the bread. Thank Thee for all of these, God."

Member of Grade Three.

A Trip to St. Michael's and All Angels

Recently our class went to St. Michael's and All Angels. It is a home for colored crippled children. They have forty on the roll. The children's ages run from two to sixteen. They are very musical and many have learned to play musical instruments. Some of the children give concerts which many people of the community attend and so raise money for St. Michael's. I hope that some time you will be able to go

down and see for yourself how nicely the children are being cared for and under what home-like conditions.

Member of Grade Senior 1G-1.

A Pilgrimage to a Synagogue

On January 24th, Mrs. Weill's class arrived at the Jewish synagogue, Congregation Mikveh Israel, at about ten o'clock in the morning. We stood in amazement and looked at the beautiful building before us. Then we went into one of the balconies where the women were sitting. Below us the male contingent of the congregation was seated, and we noticed with wonder that each of them wore a scarf with borders and fringes of blue. In the center of the floor was the Tebah, corresponding to our lectern, although it was larger and shaped somewhat like a chariot with a long seat at the back upon which the rabbis and attendants could sit when not taking part in the service. It was from the Tebah that the Law was read. In the synagogue the congregation does not kneel but stands at certain parts of the service. In the racks before us were the prayer books containing a page of Hebrew and the corresponding page of English throughout the book. Looking through it one of the class found the following explaining the scarfs which every man wore.

"Put upon the fringe of each border a cord of blue, and it shall be unto you for a fringe that ye may look upon it and remember all the commandments of the Lord and do them."

One by one each of us noticed the Ark of the Covenant with its superb golden doors. Toward the end of the service the covers were placed upon the scrolls, and with much ceremony they were placed in this Ark.

We all enjoyed every moment of the entire service and felt as though we had entered a different sphere and had been cordially welcomed. We wish to thank Dr. Newman for enlightening us upon several points at a later date, and to say that the Jewish service is one of the most beautiful we have ever seen.

Member of 8G-1.

Report of the Accounting Warden to the Rector and Vestry of St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, for the Year Ending December 31, 1931

INCOME	
Balance from 1930	\$6.14
From Envelopes, Pledges and Non-Pledges, Also Plate Collections for Church Budget ¹	38,583.36
From Envelopes, Pledges and Non-Pledges, Also Plate Collections for Missions ²	22,376.39
From Miscellaneous Sources for Church Budget ³	512.56
Special Contribution for 1931 Budget	1,060.00
Christmas Envelopes	295.66
St. Paul's Church Building Fund	4,500.00
Evening Service Collections	102.25
Choral Service	22.05
Nine-thirty Service	53.36
Easter Envelopes	412.47
Income from Endowment	2,532.41
Rector's Discretionary Fund	1,536.60
Interest on Bank Deposit	96.37
Gifts for Special Purposes ⁴	548.71
Special Gifts (Little Chapel)	704.24
St. Barnabas' Fund	300.00
Special Appeal for 1931 Budget, New Church Loan and Old Bank Loan	11,523.27
Return of Money Advanced for Purchase of Electric Refrigerator	49.50
For 1932 Budget	6,181.00
Diocesan Campaign Fund	\$10.00
Organ Recital	41.25
Church School	5.25
	56.50
	\$91,452.84
DISBURSEMENTS	
Roberts' Mortgage Interest ⁵	\$1,750.00
Miscellaneous Items Received and Disbursed ⁶	
Diocesan Campaign Fund	\$10.00
Organ Recital	41.25
Church School	5.25
	56.50
Rector's Discretionary Fund ⁵	1,536.60
St. Paul's Church Building Fund ⁶	4,500.00
Gifts for Special Purposes ⁵	548.71
Special Gifts (for fixing little chapel) ⁵	769.33
St. Barnabas' Fund ⁶	300.00
Loan Toward Purchase of Refrigerator for Tea Room (to be repaid) ⁵	49.50
Missions	22,376.39
Diocesan Assessments	1,479.94
Clergy Salaries	16,000.00
Pension Premiums	1,400.00
Church School:	
Director	\$784.70
Supplies	993.90
	1,778.80
Music:	
Choir Master	\$2,400.00
Asst. Choir Master	450.00
Men and Boys	6,288.29
New Music	259.99
Care of Organ and Piano	349.25
Choir Outing	450.00
	10,197.53
Parish Office:	
Secretary	\$1,795.82
Printing	972.09
Postage	317.02
Telephone	280.25
Office Supplies	139.45
	3,505.32
Care of Property:	
Sexton	\$1,672.00
Asst. Sexton	1,225.74
Cleaning and Supplies	939.60
	3,837.34
Accounting Warden:	
Clerical Work	\$540.00
Insurance	1,070.92
Taxes	844.28
Annual Audit	60.00
Printing, Postage and Supplies	79.05
Interest on Old Loan	293.23
	2,887.48
Operating Expenses:	
Coal	\$730.25
Light and Power	1,033.09
Gas	43.46
Repairs	2,110.00
	3,917.60
Altar Guild	909.00
Parish Activities	112.50
Contingent Expenses	788.40
Interest on New Church Loan (two payments) ⁵	2,108.40
Payment of Old Loan ⁵	4,200.00
Cash Balance (includes \$6181.00 of 1932 money, \$262.70 of 1931 money—Balance as of December 31, 1931)	6,443.70
	\$91,452.84
¹ Includes—	\$2,219.31 unpledged & \$553.54 of 1930 money
² Includes—	1,479.54 unpledged & 369.03 of 1930 money
³ Composed of—	
April 30, 1931—Men's dinner	\$ 84.00
June 20, 1931—Church School	14.86
June 29, 1931—Miss Zara	10.00

July 9, 1931—Che. Hill M. E. Church	5.00
September 4, 1931—New music account	5.00
October 10, 1931—Proceeds from Union Services	23.70
October 10, 1931—Miss Zara (use of Parish House)	350.00
November 4, 1931—Samuel Spasota (burial of wife)	10.00
November 10, 1931—A thank offering from Miss K. Buckley	10.00
	\$512.56
* Composed of—	
January 12, 1931—Mrs. H. M. Neely (for food—St. Barnabas')	\$ 5.00
January 19, 1931—Advance Work	106.10
January 21, 1931—Collection of January 18, 1931, Bishop's discretionary fund	134.34
March 5, 1931—Advance Work	5.00
March 6, 1931—Advance Work	5.00
March 30, 1931—Advance Work	.25
Jerusalem and East Mission (Good Friday)	171.02
For Community Center Social Service	100.00
November 10, 1931—Mr. W. T. Murphy (for Father Rose's work in Sagada, Philippine Islands)	20.00
December 8, 1931—Unemployment donation	2.00
	\$548.71

* Non-Budget items.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSHUA ASH PEARSON,
Accounting Warden.

**Details of Mission Payments for the
Year 1931 Applicable to St. Paul's
Pledge to Diocese and General
Church**

By the Accounting Warden (including Thanksgiving Day offering for the Episcopal Hospital)	\$22,376.39
From Woman's Auxiliary:	
Colored Committee	252.00
Diocesan Committee	193.00
Domestic Committee	195.00
Foreign Committee	247.00
Indian Hope	166.00
Mrs. J. Willis Martin	300.00
Sunday School Lenten Offering	636.32
Remitted Direct to Institutions, etc.	649.29
Church Extension Fund	1,029.00
Total	\$26,044.00
Pledge of St. Paul's	26,000.00

**Payments Made Not Applicable to
Pledge of St. Paul's**

From the Accounting Warden for Jerusalem and the East Mission	\$171.02
From Woman's Auxiliary:	
Colored Committee	14.00
Domestic Committee	20.00
Foreign Committee	145.00
Thank Offering	68.30

From Individuals	345.00
Remitted Direct to Institutions, etc.	337.50
Welfare Federation	2,083.33
For 1931 Deficit of Diocese and General Church	2,525.00
Total	\$5,709.15
Rector's Discretionary Fund	\$1,536.60
St. Barnabas' Fund	305.00
Advance Work	116.35
Bishop's Discretionary Fund	134.34
Community Center Social Service	100.00
Sagada Mission, P. I.	20.00
Unemployment	2.00
	\$7,923.44

**Summary of Mission Payments and
Gifts for Others**

Applicable to Pledge	\$26,044.00
Not Applicable to Pledge	7,923.44
Total	\$33,967.44

All bills for 1931 are paid.

Positions Wanted

1. By a lady who has had experience as a school teacher and nursery governess. Would be glad to look after children or act as companion for an older person. She is very much in need of work and will serve for a very small salary.

2. Woman who has been associated with school and college work, would render service, as companion (at home or traveling), as reader, or would assist children with school work, or help parents with their care. Call Chestnut Hill 2030.

3. Work by day—cooking, serving or general housework. Young person with references. Apply to Parish Office or call Victor 7505.

Rooms for Rent

Private family—two blocks from St. Martin's Station, Pennsylvania R. R., and Germantown Avenue. References. Telephone, C. H. 1300.

Room for Rent

One furnished room. References. Apply to Parish Secretary, C. H. 0359.

St. Barnabas', Kensington

The Congregation will be interested in knowing: 1. What help St. Paul's is already giving to St. Barnabas'; 2. What further assistance it can render.

1. Aid already rendered:

a. A member of St. Paul's is working in the office two or three times a week interviewing persons who come for help and filing records.

b. Several members are conducting a sewing class.

c. Others are helping one afternoon a week serve supper to undernourished children.

d. Food and clothing are being sent continuously.

e. Deficit in Rector's salary is being made up.

f. Salary for a part-time social worker for six months is paid by a member ending April 1st.

2. Further necessary assistance:

a. Teachers in Church School, Sunday or week-days.

b. A Girls' Friendly leader for a 12-year-old group.

c. Leader of a cooking class.

d. Persons who will take care of the children of mothers attending sewing and cooking classes. Wednesday afternoons and Friday mornings.

e. A Discretionary Fund of \$50.00 per month to meet critical and urgent cases as they arise.

f. Continuation of the salary of the part-time worker.

g. Additional funds for the Supper Club to enable it to continue.

No Offering Boxes in Lent

The offering boxes for missions now in the homes of Church School pupils were given out earlier this year because of an experiment in studying missions during Epiphany, the natural missionary season. The talks in the Church School during Lent will be devoted to personal religion.

The Woman's Friendly

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Woman's Friendly was held on Wednesday evening, January 20th. Our Treasurer, Mrs. Grebe, resigned her office after serving fifteen years. Our Secretary, Mrs. Shantz, also resigned. The new officers elected were: Mrs. Taylor, Secretary, and Mrs. Thomas Johnson, Treasurer. There will be a class in "The Devotional Use of the Prayer Book," Monday evenings, to which anybody is very welcome.

**Bishop Strider Coming
On Sunday, February 21st**

Our old friend, Bishop Strider, who held the mission here three years ago, will preach to us again. We shall all welcome him back to the Parish on his annual pilgrimage.

Lenten Sunday Afternoons

On Sunday afternoons during Lent, we shall have Choral Evensong at 5 P. M. every Sunday with the full choir. No sermon.

**KALENDAR
February**

- 2 Presentation of Christ in the Temple.
- 7 Quinquagesima.
- 10 Ash Wednesday.
- 14 1st Sunday in Lent.
- 21 2nd Sunday in Lent.
- 24 St. Matthias' Day.
- 28 3rd Sunday in Lent.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Frank Irving Shuman
Deborah Ludlow Price
Anne Wharton Churchman

Marriages

Harry Comley Groome and
Harriet Dawson Drayton

Burials

Annie Levis Beagary
Andrew A. Blair
Lydia Thompson Morris

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1st and 3rd Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Holy Communion and Sermon at 11 A. M.

2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 A. M.

Church School: Sunday, 9:30 A. M.

Thursdays—Holy Communion, 7:30 and 10 A. M.

Fridays—Morning Prayer and Litany at 10 A. M.

Saints' Days—Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M.

The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

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The Character of God

This is a subject which lies at the very heart of religion, but one concerning which the average Christian is strangely ignorant. Not that he has little data on the subject. He has plenty, but he has never considered it with sufficient care to express what he does know in a rational fashion.

Efforts of Our Church School

Feeling this lack of assurance themselves, the members of the Executive Committee of the Church School took up a discussion of "God's Character" with a view to the school's own needs. If they were to instruct children, they felt that they must be clear in their own minds first on the subject. A most fruitful series of meetings followed with results that have furnished us with ample information, both as to *what* to teach about God and *how* to impart that teaching most effectively.

Future Plans

Another issue of these discussions has been a plan for a conference for parents under the guidance of Mr. Suter, to be held on Sunday afternoon, April 3rd. What subject could be of greater concern to the parents of Christian children?

But the research has also revealed to the inquirers their own need for further instruction. May there not be other members of the Parish who would like to get more clearly defined ideas on this and other aspects of Christian truth? If

there be any such, the Rector would be pleased to hear from them. We have not held a Bible Class here for many years. Perhaps the time is ripe to start one.



Our April Appeal

Last year in April the Parish made an appeal for funds with which to defray interest charges and reduce the figure of our debt on the Church. We also needed money to fulfil our budget plans. The results were most gratifying, about \$25,000.00 was paid in. It made 1931 a splendid financial success.

This month we are making a similar appeal for the following needs:

For 1932 Budget, approximately	\$8,900.00
For interest on new Church loan	4,260.00
Due on Robert's property mortgage	9,000.00
For the debt on the new Church, at least	5,000.00

Total.....\$27,160.00

The Vestry is most anxious to reduce the large figure of our present debt as rapidly as possible and are repeating this request for funds at this time because of the pressing necessity. On Sunday, April 17th, a special offering will be taken up at all services for this purpose.



Church School Column

The Church School Lenten services endeavored to help the boys and girls to a clearer understanding of God, through facing the question, "What Is God

Like?" Perhaps the service most productive of thought on the part of the children was the one during which they took a pilgrimage around the church "to find things which make us think of God." It may be helpful to adults and children alike to think through some of the expressions which were made.

"I think of God when I look at the figures over the altar because those people were friends of God."

"I think of God when I look at the rose window. It is so beautiful."

"The steeple makes me think of God. It goes up and up."

"The water they put into the font makes me think of God. It is so clean."

"The Children's Corner makes me think of babies, and they make you think of God."

The arches because they point heavenward, the Bible "because God talks to us through it," the cross, the lamb on the altar, and the organ were among the other comments.

The Children's Corner was made radiant for Holy Week through the efforts of many children. Altar cloths made by the Kindergarten, flowers grown from bulbs by the Kindergarten and Primary departments, and drawings by two members of the Boys' Choir added to its meaning and beauty.

Various parish groups have met during the past months to discuss children's ideas of God. The parents of grade one boys and girls met in three groups to discuss this subject in February. The Executive Committee have for five weeks been thinking through ways of helping children to obtain "growable instead of out-growable" ideas of God. Several teachers are making attempts at direct teaching in their classes on this subject.

It is therefore timely that the Rev. J. W. Suter, Jr., Secretary of the Department of Religious Education in the National Council, and an authority in his subject, comes to speak to us on Sunday afternoon, April 3rd, on "Children's Ideas of God." He will speak on this theme to teachers at four o'clock, and to the parents of Church School members or other adults who are interested, at five o'clock in the Parish House. Tea will be served. We have asked Mr. Suter to help us answer some of the following questions which children are asking us: "What is God like?", "What happens when we die?", "Where is God?", "What does the Trinity mean?", "If God loves everyone, why do accidents happen?"

Troop 197, Boy Scouts

Our troop has held regular weekly meetings for five months. The membership has increased from eight to twenty-five, and it is hoped that the ten required to complete the troop will soon join.

It would be almost impossible to find a group of boys of finer qualities. They like and do plenty of hard work, appreciate and make real fun, and are ready at any time to be of service to the Parish and community. The "No Parking" signs, placed on Chestnut Avenue through the efforts of the troop, have performed a service in simplifying traffic conditions on Sundays.

Through the kindness and generosity of Mr. William Chattin Wetherill, the "Barn" has become an important feature in the troop's activities. Several days and nights spent there have given the boys opportunities for work and amusement that could hardly be excelled.

CLYDE B. PYLE, *Scoutmaster.*

The Girls' Friendly Society

The basket ball team has done well this season, winning five out of its eight games, and has been asked to play in an exhibition match at the Y. M. C. A., 1425 Arch Street, on Saturday evening, April 9th. Tickets for this event are fifty cents and include dancing afterwards. The proceeds go to the renovation of the Holiday House at Cape May. On Monday, April 4th, our monthly supper will be in honor of the team.

The first Monday in May the G. F. S. will celebrate its twenty-eighth anniversary, and we hope to have a grand celebration.

Plans for the garden party in June are already being made. This is our one money-raising affair and we want it to be more of a success than ever this year as there is so much need.

St. Barnabas', Kensington

Miss Johnson, the social worker at St. Barnabas', has been of inestimable value to Mr. Eastburn in his heroic work there. Her salary (\$50.00), pledged by a member of St. Paul's for six months, will end this April. If she could not continue her work at St. Barnabas', it would suffer irreparable loss. If five members of St. Paul's would be willing to pledge \$5.00 apiece for each month for six months, her valuable service could be continued at St. Barnabas'. Will those who are interested, kindly notify the Parish Office?

The Woman's Auxiliary

The Woman's Auxiliary hopes to endow a day in the Hospital of the Resurrection of Hope at Kumamoto, Japan, in memory of Miss Riddell, its founder.

Contributions toward this fund may be sent to Mrs. Frazer Harris, Chestnut Hill. The last meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held on May 6th at 10:30.

Wanted

A full or part-time position as nursery governess or mother's helper by a young lady with high school education and two years of Industrial Art School training. She is well recommended. For further information apply to the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

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Housekeeper or companion. For further information call the Parish Secretary at C. H. 0359 or apply to C. H. 4023.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

Dear Members of St. Paul's:—

April, 1932, marks the completion of my seventh year as Rector of this Parish. To me these years have been exceedingly happy ones. May I tell you why it is so heartening to live and work here?

To begin with, we have been able together to construct a dignified Church that will stand for many years. We are now in the process of bringing up our work to the level of the buildings in which much of it goes on. This work is being done with increasing enthusiasm as new and capable members add themselves to our force, and as those who are already on it increase in knowledge and in spiritual stature. The zeal that moves this group is incomparable. Their proficiency, already of a high order, they are striving to improve. This is not only to their own credit, but also to that of Mr. Birckhead, Miss Shaul, and Mr. Howes, who are worthy leaders in such an enterprise.

It is not possible within brief limits to describe the many grounds for being thankful that a Rector of this Parish naturally has, but among them one certainly would single out the continuous generosity of its members in giving time and thought to carry on the Church's work in the most efficient way. Somebody once said, "When the Church asks a man for his help, he should look upon that request as a subpoena." That

thought seems fulfilled in St. Paul's where the Church's work is set on high.

For the personal kindnesses which have been shown to my family and me, I want to express my appreciation, but I feel especially grateful for the tolerance that has greeted various innovations brought in from time to time and for continued confidence in spite of utterances from which individuals may differ or actions which they may not fully understand. This is a sign of the consciousness of the Christian Fellowship among us, which says "*Let us together strive to follow Christ, cost what it may.*"

The period of turmoil in which we find ourselves strikes no terror into Christian hearts. We see in it rather an opportunity to turn a world that has wandered away from Christ back toward Him again. It is rather a time filled with hope for the very reason that momentous changes *are* imminent. The Church stands at the beginning of a new era of her life. Into the future we can surely look with a steady gaze, confident that Our Master will lead us into all Truth.

May He give to the leaders of the Church wisdom and zeal, a clearer vision and profounder consecration. And as for me, let me say with St. Paul "I thank my God on every remembrance of you."

Faithfully your friend,

MALCOLM E. PEABODY.

Whitsunday, May 15th

The members of the Parish are invited to keep Whitsunday this year in a special way. In view of the great needs of the General Church, the National Council has asked every Church in the Communion to take up an offering that day for the deficit in the National Budget. The amount of money in the case of this Parish will not be great, but the Council also suggests that we make a Corporate Communion of the whole Parish in so far as possible on that occasion. Thus by the offering of ourselves, we shall promote the cause of which we are all a part.

Report on St. Barnabas'

"I have never seen a better expression of Christianity than in the work of St. Barnabas'. In three years this neighborhood has completely changed." These are the reported words of the neighboring Roman Catholic priest in Kensington.

St. Paul's people may take some satisfaction in the important part they have played for the past three years in St. Barnabas', Kensington. We have sent over many workers; this is the most important contribution. But the extra food brought to the Church on Sunday has been a blessing and the continual supply of clothing has answered a dire need. Money paid in various ways has given relief to poor families and helped to pay the salary of the staff.

The answer to appeals have been so generous and prompt that we are simply listing what is needed today without any further comment:

1. Funds for the Social Worker's

salary, \$50.00 a month, are in hand only to carry her up till June 1st.

2. The Rector's Discretionary Fund of St. Paul's keeps Mr. Eastburn's salary to date, pays for an assistant at \$12.00 a week, and sends funds for grocery orders whenever possible. This is a heavy drain. Reenforcement will be appreciated.

3. Clothing, especially for men, together with shoes and stockings for all, may be brought to the Parish Secretary's office any day.

The Easter Offering

The Easter offering this year amounted to \$1,440.20, about \$200.00 less than that of last year. It will be devoted to the general uses of the Church.

The April Appeal

We have so far received in cash and pledges \$17,333.21 for the various causes that the Vestry asked people to contribute to on April 17th. This is an admirable showing for the times and is only another indication of the generosity of many people in the Parish. When the Vestry divides this money up between the various objects appealed for, further notice will be given.

The April LEAFLET showed that we are asking for \$27,000. If there are any who can make contributions to the cause during the remainder of the year, it is hoped that they will do so in order that the Vestry's plans for the year may be fully carried out.

Church School Column

At the close of a ninth grade boys' class of recent date, the pupils were requested to write a few words on the subject they were studying. The following quotation from one of their papers shows how much a part of them the material has become. "We have heard the story of Benedict Biscop, who established two monasteries near and in Jarrow; of Bede who grew up in the monastery at Jarrow, obedient as a man and as a boy, of how he spent half his life learning and spent the rest of his life teaching to others what he learned, of how he died still working for God, and of the story of his epitaph."

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Soon the sixth grade boys' class will present to the church school an exhibit of methods by which the Bible has come down to us. At present they have completed pictures representing oral tradition, and have made cairns, knotted sticks, and fringe from the "talith." The completion of their work will include the making of clay tablets, leather and papyrus scrolls, and illuminated manuscripts.

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An excerpt of a conversation which took place in one of the second grade classes:

Teacher: "What church do you think Jesus would go to if He came back to earth today? Do you think He would come to St. Paul's Church?"

Boy: "He would go to the synagogue."

Teacher: "Why do you think He would do that?"

Boy: "Because that's His own church."

Girl: "I think He would come to St.

Paul's Church, too. He might visit all of them to see which one he liked best."

Teacher (turning to another boy): "Do you think He would do that?"

Boy: "I don't know. I think He would ramble around."

Teacher: "What do you suppose He would talk about? Do you think He would talk about Himself?"

Girl: "No, He would talk about God."

Boy: "He would talk about His Father."

Teacher: "Why do you think Jesus would not talk about Himself?"

Girl: "Because it isn't nice to talk about oneself."

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Here follows a report of a visit to St. Barnabas' Mission, made by members of Grade 4G-2: "When we went to St. Barnabas' we went to Church. The church was very small on the second floor of a mission house. The choir was made of men and ladies. The ladies wore schoolmasters' hats. The minister's name was Mr. Eastburn. After church we explored the church. We saw the place where the poor children are fed. Then we went down to the recreation building and saw where people box and play bowling. Miss Thelma Todd led us around the church."

Visiting Preacher May 8th

The Rev. Anthony R. Parshley, Rector of our Church in Bristol, Rhode Island, will be the preacher on the Sunday after Ascension Day.

The Woman's Auxiliary

The last meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held on Friday, May 6th, at 10.30.

The Girls' Friendly Society

The Girls' Friendly Society offers for sale standard stationery with printed name and address of purchaser at \$1.00 per box containing two hundred sheets and one hundred envelopes. Orders taken by Mary Kennedy, C. H. 1329 or by Miss Kennell at the Church Office.

Twelve girls attended the annual service in Holy Trinity at which Canon Earp made the address.

Mothers and daughters are getting together to celebrate the 28th anniversary of the Society on Monday, May 2nd. Supper will be served, followed by an entertainment.

We are all looking forward to the Garden Party in June at Mrs. Nalle's lovely place and we hope that all our friends in the Parish will be there to enjoy it with us.

The Woman's Friendly

The Parish dinner given by the Woman's Friendly last year will again be held either May 25th or June 1st—depending upon the date most convenient to our speaker.

Last year we were most loyally supported and it is hoped this year we may have as fine a "turn-out" and that the dinner will touch as high a mark of spiritual fineness as before.

Details as to date and speaker will be fully announced as soon as possible. Please plan to be with us!

Elsie Douglas.

Troop 197, Boy Scouts

One year ago our troop charter was granted. Growth throughout the year has been gradual but most satisfactory. Our re-registering this month will carry with it considerable pride in the year's accomplishments.

Camping season is approaching, and while many of the boys will be away with their families or at camps of their

own choosing, plans are being prepared for a camp trip for as many as are otherwise unoccupied.

Money Given by the Church School During April

Chestnut Hill Community Center.....	\$30.65
Home for Consumptives.....	55.40
Lighthouse Settlement	102.33
Lloyd Committee	3.60
St. Paul's Church Special Appeal.....	146.40
Lenten Offering for Missions.....	593.12
Earlier in the year the following gifts were made:	
St. Barnabas', Kensington.....	54.58
St. Barnabas', Germantown.....	31.11
St. Luke's Hospital, Tokyo.....	70.00
Christ Mission, Anvik, Alaska.....	39.35
St. Anne's Mission, El Paso.....	30.35
St. Mary's School, Springfield, S. D.	42.31
	<hr/> \$1,199.20

MAY KALENDAR

- 1 5th Sunday after Easter
- 2 SS. Philip and James— Monday
- 5 Ascension Day—Thursday
- 8 Sunday after Ascension
- 15 Whitsunday
- 16 Whitsun Monday
- 17 Whitsun Tuesday
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- 29 1st Sunday after Trinity

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A Diagnosis

"The trouble with America," says the Bishop of Colorado, "is not its Congress, millionaires, and ministers, but that its Christianity is too anemic to be a leavening power for love." The Religion of Jesus Christ—is it still powerful enough to lift us out of the slough into which our selfishness and indifference have plunged us? The plight of the world daily gets worse. Can Christianity save it?

Yes, of course it can, but only if we can become more devoted to Christ Himself. To many who bear the Christian name religion has degenerated into formal saying of prayers, formal adherence to doctrine, formal practice of the moral code in daily life. Enthusiasm is lacking, passionate devotion to Christ has faded away, the will-of-God-for-us has ceased to be a vital matter. Civilization is ebbing for the want of faith that we ought to have in each other and in God. That we have no credit because we have no belief is a self-evident truth which almost nobody yet realizes.

A Cure

But you and I can help them to realize it. In the absence of vocal leadership today, in the face of a future that shows little promise, the duty falls upon our shoulders to exercise all the faith we possess. Supposing that in this time of dire need we start praying with greater intelligence and zeal; suppose we show our trust in God by reading our Bibles daily and by refusing to let a Sunday go by that finds us absent from holy worship; suppose that we demonstrate our Faith in Christ and His Church by working at them far more sincerely than

before. By doing these things we should certainly provide that most satisfying argument for Christianity, enthusiastic belief in action, and, what is far more important, supply God with human vehicles for His Love and Power.



CHURCH SCHOOL COLUMN

Commencement

The closing day of Church School is June 12th. On this day at ten o'clock the girls of the eighth grade will present a play in the Parish House. The play is concerned with the life of Saint Paul and has been written by the girls as a part of their year's study. The scenes depict the boyhood of Saul, the stoning of Stephen, the preaching at Lystra, Paul in prison, and the death of Paul. Parents of all Church School pupils are invited to attend this play and to examine the exhibit of work which will be on display at this time.

Registration cards for next year will be mailed into the homes of Church School members this month. The opening date of the new year will be October second, but during the summer months a children's service will be conducted each Sunday at 9:30.

Attendance

Although by the decision of the executive committee, there will be no mention of attendance records of individual pupils next year because of the over-emphasis on attendance rather than on growth in Christian character, it is of interest to note that the following five members have had perfect attendance for a surprising number of years: Richard Moore and Herbert Redhouse for fourteen years, Russell Redhouse for

eleven years, and Harriet Buckenhorst and Edith Henderson for seven years.

Tests

Twice each year teachers and pupils alike have an opportunity to find out systematically through tests how much understanding of Church School work exists. In one of the Senior grades came the following answers to the question, "Give two ways that you feel the study of the Bible can help meet life today."

"A passage in the Bible says, 'Love your enemies that do despitefully use you.' We all try to like one another, but sometimes it is a little difficult. But I'm going to keep this in mind and pray to God, 'Help me, O God, to be brave enough to see that those whom I do not like are treated fairly and kindly.' The only thing to do is to forget how to quarrel and all live in peace, as I know God wants us to."

"It helps us to forgive each other because of Christ's example on the cross."

"The study of the Bible can help you meet life today by giving you Jesus' ideas about different things."

From a Second Grader

Teacher of Grade Two: "But how can you tell that God is talking to you?"

Pupil: "Well, it's when you just stop thinking, and you know."

The Girls' Friendly Society

The third annual Girls' Friendly Garden Party will take place on Saturday, June 11th, in Mrs. Richard T. Nalle's garden, East Bells Mill Road near Stenton Avenue, from 3:30 to 6:00 P. M. The feature of the occasion will be a circus, with side shows, and clowns. There will also be a pony for the children to ride, a palmist to intrigue their elders, balloons, grabs, ice cream, lemonade,

cake and candy. Admission will be 20 cents for adults—10 cents for children.

The following may be ordered before June 11th by writing or telephoning Mrs. H. Irvine, 14 West Southampton Avenue, C. H. 3182.

Home-made cake, 50c to \$1.25.

Home-made candy, 60c lb.

Dish towels, 25c apiece.

Hemstitched linen bureau scarves, 65c and 75c.

Plants from a prize-winning garden:

Dahlias, 50c and 75c, worth \$1.00 to \$5.00.

Snapdragons, petunias, zinnias, etc., at less than market price.

In case of rain the affair will be held at St. Paul's Parish House.

Flower and Vegetable Mission

We shall resume the Flower and Vegetable Mission at St. Paul's on the first Wednesday in June. Those who care to help are asked to send flowers and vegetables to the Parish House on Wednesdays, beginning with June the 4th, by 10:00 A. M. The need for food at St. Barnabas' is greater than ever. The flowers, which are sent to various hospitals and settlement houses, will be particularly welcome this summer.

Summer Plans at St. Paul's

The services of the Church will be carried on as usual during the summer season. On Sunday mornings at 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00. At least one of the clergy will be in residence throughout the season. Mr. Peabody will take his vacation from the middle of July to the middle of September. Mr. Birkhead will be absent for a month after June 12th and again in September.

Summer Reading

The Parish Library contains a number of books which have been collected by the Reading Committee over a period of years and are available for members of the Parish at all times. Books may be taken out for the summer season simply by applying to the Secretary, who will help make a selection.

Among those which are most worth while may be mentioned the following:

Life of Christ—

Jesus of Nazareth, Bishop Gore

The Master, W. R. Bowie

General Subjects—

The Social Teaching of the Church, W. R. Inge

A Faith That Works, E. S. Woods

Christianity and the Race Question, J. H. Oldham

Reality in Worship, W. L. Sperry

Biography—

Life of Edward Lincoln Atkinson

Mahatma Gandhi, C. F. Andrews

Fifty Years, Wm. Lawrence

The Lambeth Series of Pamphlets—

God in Worship, F. Underhill

God in Science, C. F. D'Arcy

Faith and Witness of the Church in This Generation, F. T. Woods

The Present Economic Depression— (Not in the Library)—

The Acquisitive Society, and

Religion and the Rise of Capitalism, Richard H. Tawney

Christ and Society, Bishop Gore

Recovery, Sir A. Salter

The Church and Industry, Spencer Miller, Jr.

A Summer Conference

One of the principal reasons for the improvement in the Church's work during the past ten years has been the summer conference. St. Paul's has enormously profited from this source of inspiration. A number of our people have already planned to attend the Blue Mountain Conference at Frederick, June 27th to July 8th. If others are interested, they can secure information at the Parish Office. Rates have been reduced to put the conference within the range of all. A splendid faculty has been secured and the committee in charge is looking forward to one of the best years in its history.

"The Witness"

An excellent little Church paper, "The Witness," containing news and special articles, very ably edited, is on sale each Sunday morning in the Church vestibule. Price 5 cents.

The Servers' Guild

The Servers' Guild held their service on the afternoon of Palm Sunday. Medals showing full membership were given to the following: William Monroe, Leroy Monroe, Arthur Richards, Richard Lavelle. According to the rules of the Guild a full year of perfect attendance is required before the medal can be awarded.

When it is realized that from September to June there are at least four services each Sunday and that at each one of these members of the Guild have been on duty, I feel sure the Parish will appreciate the fine work being done.

Choir Cross

The Gold Cross was awarded on Trinity Sunday to George Crofton Thompson, in recognition of his eight years of distinguished service in the Choir.

Henry Ayton, who received the award last year and has continued to do fine work during the past year, was given the privilege of wearing his cross on a red ribbon.

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A summer camp for boys run by the Rev. W. F. Lutz at Avalon, N. J. Reasonable rates. Excellently provided.

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No. 7

RECTOR'S COLUMN

"Better Times"

The slight indications of improvement in business have found two kinds of reception. One type of mind hastily concludes that since prices are rising the "good old days of '29" will return with the inevitable rising of the economic tide. The more careful observer jumps to no such easy conclusion. He tells us that real progress awaits a change of mind on the part of large numbers of people regarding the fundamentals of Disarmament, War Debts, and the Aims of Industry. He points out our failure in terms of narrow nationalism and hardness of heart toward the brethren.

Our Part

Christians do not need so long a time as other people to learn how to apply these terms. They represent the current thought of our minds. Thus the world's hope lies in the ability of Christians to make use of this economic breakdown to raise up something more permanent in its place. This is no purely intellectual problem. It has to deal primarily with what man *is* and what he was put on earth to *do*. The answer to such questions lies in the Mind of God.

God's Part

It is a common-place to say that God rules the world through the agency and co-operation of man. We sometimes fail to make the most of religion in such times of uncertainty and fear. Let us turn to God, not with the resignation of despair, but in the assured confidence that when things are in flux His Power can be most operative. When we are

most conscious of our own ignorance, His will, being more ardently sought, may more definitely be known.

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Mr. Birkhead

As a result of the great demands made upon Mr. Birkhead this summer he became thoroughly exhausted and was compelled to leave the parish for an extended rest. He is recovering, however, and will return to us as soon as the doctor gives him leave. This is good news to every single member of the parish, for his work during the past years has spread out to all. He rose to great heights this summer in promoting the relief of distress at St. Barnabas'. We look forward to a future of increasing usefulness. The hold he has on our affection has only been intensified by his indisposition.

On Sunday, September 25th, the Vestry decided unanimously to secure the services of a clergyman for the winter months who should assume Mr. Birkhead's duties until his return, and then, by supplementing him whenever necessary, to prevent his assuming his responsibilities more rapidly than he is able to take them up.

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Confirmation Class

The first meeting of the Confirmation Class will be held on Sunday, October 9th, at five o'clock in the Parish House. It is hoped that all who are interested in attending the class meetings will come whether or not they have decided to be confirmed. It is especially desirable that everyone who is eventually to be presented may be on hand the first Sunday.

October Preachers

On the 9th of October the Parish will hear Dr. T. Z. Koo, a graduate of St. John's, Shanghai, and a member of our Church. Mr. Koo is a distinguished young Chinese who has represented his country on various occasions and speaks with authority on what is taking place there in every sphere of life. We count it a great privilege to have had him offered to us. His address will take the place of a sermon this Sunday morning.

October 16th, Bishop Creighton, head of the Department of Domestic Missions in the National Council, is making an exception to his rule to come to a parish church to preach to us. He has done a wonderful piece of work in surveying and organizing the continental missionary dioceses.

On October 30th, when the rector makes his annual visit to preach at Gorton School, the services will be taken and the sermon preached by the Rev. Brooke Stabler, who was until recently in charge of the religious work that our Church promotes in colleges throughout the country and is now Chaplain of the University of Pennsylvania.

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Our Canvass Plans

A committee of the vestry is giving more careful attention than usual to plans for the Every-member Canvass this year. Several new features will present the work of the Parish more effectively to the congregation. Every effort is being made to design a budget that emphasizes essentials.

The day on which we offer our pledges in Church will be Sunday, November 27th. On the following week, December 4th, the canvass of those not yet heard from will begin.

St. Barnabas'

The emergency of the last summer and how one mission rose to it has been described in the daily press and in the church papers. We cannot here give a complete report of what went on. Suffice it to say that as many as six hundred people received vegetables on one day. The distribution took place three days a week through July and August and was supplemented by milk for babies and grocery orders in many cases. Every family so served was, as far as possible, interviewed beforehand.

The relief on so large a scale was made possible by the generosity of members of the parish and certain others who came forward generously in the time of need. In response to Mr. Birckhead's appeal some \$2700 was received, a substantial balance of which still remains.

The relationship of St. Paul's with this mission is purely unofficial and human. We are responsible only up to the point that we wish to be. We are sufficiently implicated, however, to make it desirable that we should know more definitely about the work, and to that end the rector and the vestry have set in motion an inquiry that we hope will be of service to Mr. Eastburn and his fellow workers, as well as a means of information to us here.

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A certain western bishop was shaking hands after service with a number of people who had come to hear him preach.

"The reason that I don't come to church more often," said a young man, "is because I find so many hypocrites there."

"I wouldn't let that bother me," said the Bishop, "one hypocrite more won't do any harm."

CHURCH SCHOOL COLUMN

The first session of the Church School will be held on October 9th, the delay being caused by the epidemic. It is hoped that Dr. T. Z. Koo will address the school at its first opening.

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The regular Teachers' Corporate Communion, followed by breakfast and a meeting, was held on Sunday, September 25th.

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A series of Parent Conferences will be held at ten o'clock on November 6th, 13th and 23rd. Two of the speakers of these conferences will be Dr. Adelaide T. Case and Dr. Roydon K. Yerkes.

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A conference for St. Paul's Church School Workers was held at West-town Farm House, September 23rd and 24th. Twelve members were present, and the general subject was "Loyalty—What is it and how can it best be developed."

Friday afternoon we gathered under the trees, where Mr. Peabody spoke of Church Loyalty in relation to Church Unity. We found the two are not incompatible. The Episcopal Church is a very good example of Church Loyalty, for within its folds are found so many varied types of churchmanship.

At the evening meeting we considered the subject, "What Loyalties do we wish to develop through the Church School?" After discussion we came to the conclusion that to develop loyalty to Christ through our Church School we must:—

1. To some extent depend on loyal

parents, loyal fellow pupils, loyal teachers.

2. Bring the children into closer relationship with the heads of church organization, *i.e.* the clergy.
3. Transform competing groups (such as one class vying with another) into co-operating groups (*i.e.* two or more classes working together on a common task.)
4. Be aware of the value of discriminating and the danger of blind loyalty.
5. Offer to the pupils causes worthy of their allegiance and sacrifice.
6. Above all to present the person of Christ in such a way that the pupils will have a criterion by which to judge things and a personality to whom to be loyal.

In this way we felt that lesser loyalties will assume their proper relationship, or, in other words, conflicting loyalties will be resolved, for "Well-established codes of morals go sour on one unless one allies them to the very highest type of loyalty."

The evening session closed with a helpful meditation on St. John IX.

We began the second day of our fellowship with the Holy Communion. After breakfast we gathered together under the trees in the sparkling sunshine to discuss plans for the future. We all felt that it was good for us to "Come Apart" for this short time before beginning our new Church School year and hope we have started something that will grow and develop in the future.

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 Louise Liggett
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 Elizabeth Gordon Haskell Ranck
 Benjamin Rowland Achenbach
 Charles Maxwell Peterson
 Arlene Bertha Latta

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Marriages

Edwin Wayne Haley and Lorna Conwell Brown
 Rosewell Leavitt Gilpatrick and Margaret Fulton Kurtz
 Erastus Corning 2nd and Elizabeth Norris Platt
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 Walter Lippincott Coles and Frances Madison Sadtler
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 Edgar Allan Poe and Marie Louise McIlhenny

Charles Randolph Snowden and Mildred Packard
 Henry White and Sarah Preston Schwartz

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Mary Vaux Buckley
 Daniel Lammot
 Elizabeth Dawson Hulse
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French lessons, conversation, grammar, rapidly taught by modern native teacher. Children and grown-ups. Phone C. H. 4671 or write to 222 East Meade Street, Chestnut Hill.

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A capable and artistic young woman, formerly associated with a Philadelphia decorator, will be pleased to submit samples and estimates for any type of interior decoration, curtains, upholstery, rugs, etc. Phone C. H. 3986.

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Position wanted by needy member of the Parish who will do odd jobs or serve as caretaker in a house temporarily closed.

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Work by day—cooking, serving, or general housework wanted by a woman who is well recommended. Phone Victor 7505.

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

A FIELD OR A FORCE?

The Parish Meeting

Those who are planning the work of the parish for next year have been encouraged and helped by the attitude of the parish meeting. It indicated a sense of responsibility and partnership in a great undertaking. It reflected a willingness to examine needs and to frame a program that would meet them. Surely any progress that we make in carrying on God's work in the world depends on this attitude of mind, "the parish as a great potential force."

Two Theories of a Parish

Yet another theory of the parish does exist and ever contends with this one for the mastery. It is that "the parish is a field" in which a shepherd engaged to do spiritual work simply goes about caring for the welfare of his charges. Of course, the pastoral duty is primary, and the better the pastor, the stronger the parish. But if his only concern is binding up wounds and keeping the grass green, he will minister to an ever contracting flock. The reason is obvious. People don't want tending half as much as they want strengthening. Christ's gospel is one of Power before it is one of Consolation. He came to do God's will by building His Kingdom. The parish that sets forward the Kingdom by every means in its power enlists the devotion and the enthusiastic service of its members.

Our Choice Made

Because the parish meeting revealed this spirit we can look forward with confidence to increasing effectiveness. The people of St. Paul's have long felt a sense of partnership with the work of the National Church. They have done much to promote it. But the particular kind of keenness which this day requires

can be shown by the further demand that in every department of her activity the parish shall furnish distinguished service. This can only occur when everyone who cares brings forward his contribution to the task of program construction. Work runs smoothly that has been carefully and wisely planned. The parish that has mobilized its spiritual and mental forces cannot degenerate into becoming "a field," but will increasingly grow into "a force" through which God's will is known and His work is done.

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Mr. Birkhead

The reports on Mr. Birkhead continue favorable. When he returns to us he will be able to carry on his work as usual. We are hoping that this may take place in November, for our need for him is great. But he will definitely not come back until he is thoroughly fit again.

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The Parish Meeting

A public meeting of the parish was held on Wednesday evening, October 26th. Mr. P. Blair Lee, of the Vestry, presided and brought out a good deal of discussion. Miss Shaul on the Church School, Mr. Peabody on missionary giving, and Mr. Howes on the music, made brief introductory talks. There followed various suggestions regarding the extension and development of our work in the field of social service and worship. A great deal of interest was evinced in the conduct of our services, particularly as regards music. All the suggestions were constructive in their nature and will prove most helpful to the staff and the vestry when they come to the point of drawing up plans for the year.

The innovation was clearly successful and should accomplish even more another year as people get more fully used to the idea that everyone of us has a

share in the construction of our parish program.

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The Annual Parish Canvass

Careful plans are being drawn up this year for the more efficient carrying out of our parish canvass. We hope for more solicitors, for one thing, that each may have comparatively few calls to make. November 27th will be the Sunday on which all are asked to make their offering of pledges on the collection plate. December 6th will mark the opening of the house-to-house visitation.

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St. Barnabas'

Considerable progress is being made on the study of the work at St. Barnabas'. The inquirers feel that the work has been exceedingly well done, but have certain recommendations to make, some of which are already being carried out. We hope to present a full report in December.

The money which Mr. Birkhead raised in this parish this summer went entirely to food and without it many a family would have been utterly destitute. Relief agencies were without funds and the people had nowhere to turn, so those who gave to the fund have the satisfaction of knowing that they stood between these people and starvation. The situation in Kensington is slightly better now as some of the relief is coming from the County Board, but it is entirely inadequate, and in many cases the families have to wait weeks after their application before they receive their orders. St. Barnabas' is able to help by giving temporary food orders, eking out the food supply with the vegetables which are sent from here on Wednesdays, and helping occasionally with coal or clothes.

A correction should be made regarding the amount raised for St. Barnabas' last summer. The total now stands at \$4,162.46. No one who has not seen with their own eyes the conditions in the poorer districts of the city during this emergency can realize the inestimable value of the service rendered by this parish under the leadership of Mr. Birkhead.

CHURCH SCHOOL COLUMN

Of Interest to Parents

"How can I interpret God to my children in a day when so many unhappy things are happening in the world about one?"

"How young should we begin to interpret the mystical Christ to children?"

"What experiences in family prayers have other parents found helpful?"

These and other questions, raised by groups of parents of Church School children, have made it seem wise to arrange a series of three parents' meetings centering around the theme, "Ideas of God." These meetings are to be held on the Sunday mornings of November 6, 13 and 20 at 10 o'clock in the auxiliary room of the parish house. On November 6, Dr. Adelaide T. Case, of Teachers' College, Columbia University, will discuss the subject, "Ideas of God, Our Children's and Our Own." On November 13, Dr. Royden K. Yerkes, of the Divinity School of the Protestant Episcopal Church in Philadelphia, will talk on "The Development of the Idea of God." On November 20 there will be a "U-table" discussion by four Church School parents on "Children's Ideas of God" in the light of the two preceding talks. A general discussion will follow.

Members of the parish interested in religious education are invited.

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The Woman's Friendly

The rector opened the first meeting of the year on October 18, with prayer and a short address.

Our plans for the season are not yet complete, but the following dates have been fixed: the annual fair in December by which we earn funds to carry on the winter's work; a card party at the home of Mrs. Thomas Johnston, Friday evening, November 26. On the third Wednesday of each month we shall have a short talk on "The Life of Our Lord."

If there are any members of the parish who would care to join the Friendly they will be most cordially welcomed.

Thanksgiving Plans

In order that Thanksgiving may be celebrated in our Church School in the spirit of sharing "the bounties of the earth," on Sunday, November 20, pupils will be asked to bring gifts of food (canned goods, fruits and vegetables) for St. Christopher's Mission, North Philadelphia.

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The Christmas Box

Here follows a summary of our plans for the Christmas gifts, written for the Church School after a study of the Virgin Islands by the members of Grade 8-G:

"Our Christmas box this year goes to St. John's, Virgin Islands. There are six hundred children, mostly colored, in this church. St. Paul's Church School has pledged itself to send one hundred and fifteen gifts.

"The Virgin Islands were discovered by Columbus. The chief industries of the islands are the raising of sugar and cattle. The islands are very beautiful. They have few tropical diseases. It is a great out-of-door place. They ride, swim and play tennis, but the natives are desperately poor.

"Please be sure that your gifts are made in the United States, as they would have to pay duty if made in any other place."

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Parent Co-operation

For some years we have recommended to the teachers of our boys and girls that they call in the homes of the members of their classes. Now comes to us from a neighbor paper, *The Mount Airy World*, published by the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf, with another suggestion, quoting:

"I predict that education would be improved fifty per cent this year if every mother would call on her children's teacher and tell that teacher, as frankly as possible, the characteristics of her children—not apologize for her children, not defend them, not make them out brighter or duller, better or worse than they are—merely explain, as well as she can, what sort of children they are. Tell

their likes and dislikes. In this way parents will be giving teachers the information necessary for really teaching and guiding individual boys and girls."

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The Flower and Vegetable Mission

The work of the Flower Mission having come to an end for this season, the committee wishes to thank all those who have so generously contributed to it and to report that flowers have been sent each week to the following settlement houses: St. Martha's House, St. Agnes' House, St. George's House, the Lighthouse and St. Barnabas'.

All vegetables received have been sent to St. Barnabas' where food and clothing are still desperately needed. Donations of vegetables, canned foods and clothing are earnestly solicited and may be brought to church on Sunday or left at the parish house during the week. They will be sent in to St. Barnabas' on Wednesdays at two o'clock.

ANNA HARRIS PEPPER, *Chairman*

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The Girls' Friendly Society

The Girls' Friendly Society started the season a little late on account of the the infantile paralysis epidemic, but full of enthusiasm as always. The society functions through committees which are responsible for the various parts of the program and every girl serves on at least one of the committees, Worship, Recreation and Service, Suppers, Classes, and Finance. We are looking forward to the supper on November 7 which is to celebrate our 28th birthday to which we have invited our honorary associates, former active associates and former members.

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The Bible Class

The Bible Class has resumed its Sunday afternoon meetings with the usual energy and enthusiasm. The attendance is larger than last year at this time. The men have purchased a new shuffle-board which will add to the pleasures of the weekday evenings.

NOVEMBER KALENDAR

- 1 All Saints' Day—Tuesday
- 6 24th Sunday after Trinity
- 13 25th Sunday after Trinity
- 20 Sunday before Advent
- 24 Thanksgiving Day—Thursday
- 27 1st Sunday in Advent
- 30 St. Andrew—Wednesday

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PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Robert Henry O'Neill, Jr.
Elizabeth Carpenter Glendinning
Anna Martin Price
David Williamson

Marriages

Robert V. Burns and Lillian I. Campbell.
Benjamin Rowland Achenbach and Elizabeth Janet Schell.
Frederick Biddle Halsey and Rebecca Lycett Wistar.
Lewis MacCuen Smith and Letitia P. Landreth.

Burials

Clara E. Thomas

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The Canton Bowl Tea Room, one of the church properties, is now open, under the management of Aida Fogel, and will serve luncheons and dinners during the week, with mid-day dinner on Sundays. It is to be hoped that it will receive good patronage.

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No. 75 Bethlehem Pike, another Church property, is now ready for occupancy. It is a single house of great attraction and to meet the times has been reduced in rent to \$90.00 per month. Leonard W. Coleman, 8714 Prospect Avenue, will supply all information and gladly show the property.

Wanted

An old carriage house or part of a barn to be rented as a studio. Heat, light and furniture not necessary. Must be located in the vicinity of St. Paul's Church. Kindly call the parish office, Chestnut Hill 0359.

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French lessons, conversation, grammar, rapidly taught by modern native teacher. Children and grown-ups. Phone, C. H. 4671, or write to 222 East Meade Street, Chestnut Hill.

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An experienced stenographer and typist, member of the parish, desires secretarial work. She has served many years as an executive and is very well recommended. Phone 0808.

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A capable and artistic young woman, formerly associated with a Philadelphia decorator, will be pleased to submit samples and estimates for any type of interior decoration, curtains, upholstery, rugs, etc. Phone C. H. 3986.

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A chauffeur who has served nine years with one family will take a position to drive or to do general work. Excellent reference. Phone Ger. 5103.

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Isaac Currier	Herbert Matlack
Harry West	Harvey Scheetz
Bartelson Fleu	Peter Hay
William Wilmot	Frank Howell
Richard Tudor	Howard Algeo
Robert Morrow	Walter Tudor

Altos

John Wetherstine	Samuel Berry
William Naylor	Algernon Cavanaugh
George C. Thompson	James Corgie

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	Harry Blank

Crucifer: Edgar Blair

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Choir Mothers: Miss Christine Frazier, Miss Julia Ross.

Rehearsals

Mondays at 5:00 P. M.
Tuesdays at 5:00 and 7:30 P. M.
Wednesdays at 5:00 P. M.
Thursdays at 5:00 P. M.
Fridays at 7:30 P. M.

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"WHAT WILT THOU HAVE ME TO DO?"

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

A Fragment

I saw a bit of old "grisaille" glass the other day. When it was new it had consisted of a clear pane upon which was drawn in sepia paint the outlines of a figure. Into the Church where it originally stood had poured a flood of light illuminating the interior and clearly revealing the decorative design. But as successive centuries of smoke and winter weather beat upon it the outer surface had become pitted and colored. As a result the light that then came through was hardly less brilliant but took on a tone and quality that definitely improved the "atmosphere" within.

And a Prescription

"To one portion of good grisaille glass add six centuries and allow the mixture to sink into the soul." You and I will not often be able to take that healing draught, but what of it? The point is that places set apart for meeting with God do grow progressively better with age. The prayers said within as well as the weather without improve the atmosphere.

And yet isn't God always present in churches? Didn't people build the Church that they might always "find God at home"? Most of us use the Church only of a Sunday morning. But can't we put it to further use? Might not we use it also in the week? There must be groups of people who would like to come together to learn something more about prayer. And the Church ever holds out that priceless invitation to "come and be quiet alone." Nor are these purely selfish considerations, for surely the prayers of today do affect the tone and quality of the Church of to-

morrow, just as the rain and the wind and the passage of the years improved the quality of my old piece of grisaille.

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Venite Exultemus Domine

The meetings of the much-persecuted first Christians were characterized, according to early writers, by great zeal and devotion on the part of everyone and by loud hymn and Psalm singing. They were known for their singing. No inconvenience, nor the fear of any physical ill, even violent death, could prevent these religious enthusiasts from fulfilling what they considered to be their obligation to take their part in services of worship.

In modern times we have suffered from a lack of religious enthusiasm of this sort. Our sophistication is apt to prevent us from adhering staunchly to any principle which is against existing sanctions. It has also robbed us of the capacity to sing praises unreservedly and unstintingly. We permit the fear of vocal embarrassment to overwhelm us and we stand silent instead of praising God. This is a serious fault in our religious practice, and may well be a point on which we can direct a determined effort for improvement.

We are shortly to begin a program of musical activity which will give the entire congregation an opportunity to familiarize themselves with some of the great hymns and songs of the Church, so that everyone can sing them confidently. It will be an intensive campaign for the revival of congregational singing. It will, we hope, result in S. Paul's becoming a singing congregation in which everyone gives full and adequate expression to the prayers and praises that they

feel in their hearts. Without this "hearty" quality, public worship is futile.

This great object can only be attained by the active co-operation of every individual and organization in the parish over an extended period.

Let us by our singing rekindle some of the zeal and enthusiasm for Christianity which were so prominent in early times.

THE PARISH MUSIC COMMITTEE.

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CHRISTMAS PLANS

Christmas Eve

The Church School pageant and carol service for the children will be held as usual on December 24th at 3:30 P. M.

As Christmas falls on Sunday this year, the services of the day will correspond to those of an ordinary Sunday. 8:00 Holy Communion; 11:00 Holy Communion and Sermon; 7:45 P. M. Evening Prayer and Address.

The offering at all services on Christmas Day will be devoted to completing our pledge to the diocese of the General Church, which is at the present writing \$4,000 in arrears.

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The Parish Canvass

1933 will be a hard year for everyone, not excluding the Church. In this parish we shall try hard to carry on the work we have already in hand. With our reduced budget this may be made possible only by securing a large number of new givers.

On December 4th we shall start our Parish visitation by calling on all those who have not yet handed in their cards. The visitors are not simply collectors, however, but will make a friendly call on every person on their list with a view to drawing all closer together in the work of the Church, which someone described the other day as "the greatest fellowship in the world." We feel very

sure that our visitors will receive a warm welcome and a sympathetic hearing wherever they go.

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Christmas Fair

The Women's Friendly is now preparing for their annual Fair. It is not just a Sale, but the only way we can earn the money to do our share of Christmas giving.

The Fair will begin at three o'clock Wednesday, December 14th. Tea will be served. Toys, Christmas gifts, cake, candy, and useful articles offered for sale. We hope for the usual support that the congregation has always given us.

E. D.

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St. Paul's Club

Every Thursday at 7:30 P. M. finds a number of younger boys, mostly choir boys, with older boys leading, in the old gymnasium, for recreation and play. The choir boys work hard for the parish, and it is hoped they and others who so desire will come on Thursdays and enjoy this organized fun period. Mr. Norman H. Mason is in charge, with Mr. Clyde B. Pyle assisting during the absence of Mr. Birkhead.

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Boy Scout Troop 197

Since the Vestry removed the restrictions on membership in the troop and it is possible for any desirable boys to be elected, several of the friends of our own boys have joined. It is hoped that more of the boys of the parish will come to at least a few meetings to see for themselves how interesting and what fun it is to be a scout.

If anyone of the parish knows a boy whom they consider a good companion for our own boys, and who wants to be a scout, we would be glad to have his name. We want the best boys so that we may soon have the best troop possible.

CLYDE B. PYLE,
Scoutmaster.

CHURCH SCHOOL COLUMN

The Christmas Pageant

Members of last year's Confirmation Class have been asked to make plans for and to take part in this year's Christmas pageant, under the direction of Mrs. R. T. Nalle. This will furnish an opportunity for the group who met together so often last year to again be together for a few Sunday afternoons. Their first meeting will take place on Sunday afternoon, December 4th, at 3:30 o'clock, when they will start on a trip about the neighborhood churches to examine stained glass windows picturing the Nativity scenes. It may be that they will wish to incorporate some of these windows as tableaux in the pageant.

Gifts

The Christmas Box which went to St. John's Church in the Virgin Islands contained about two hundred gifts from our school. On Sunday, November 20th, over three hundred gifts were brought for St. Christopher's Mission in Philadelphia. In an effort to encourage understanding of other races among the pupils, Rev. James N. Deaver, of St. Christopher's, was asked to speak to our school on November 27th, and as a result some of the classes are looking forward to visiting the mission.

"Our Trip"

(Written by ninth grade girls)

"Saturday, November 26th, the girls of 9G1 took a trip to find out facts about unemployment and what Philadelphia is doing to help the unemployed. We visited Stanfield House, where we talked with Miss Gabriel, the Social Service Building, the United Campaign Headquarters, where we talked with Mr. Heine, the Chamber of Commerce, where we spent a few minutes with Mr. Summerfield, and we ended our trip with Mr. Young, who showed us around the State Employment Office.

"Here are a few of the facts we found out:

On November 25th, they had collected \$2,076,000 on the United Campaign Fund.

330,000 people are out of work in Philadelphia according to the United Campaign Fund, and about 250,000 according to the Chamber of Commerce.

In some blocks on Front Street only six people out of from 20 to 30 families are working, and those are working for very small wages.

At the Chamber of Commerce they think that the general world depression is the cause for unemployment, rather than the introduction of new machinery.

At the State Employment Office from 1,500 to 1,800 people come in daily, and one out of every 14 is placed. Everyone is interviewed. The office is divided into departments—research, rehabilitation, junior, industrial workers, etc. It started in 1931."

"In the parish house you will find information on these subjects."

Parents' Meetings

On November 20th a summary was made at the last of a series of parent meetings in regard to where children seem to be obtaining their ideas of God, and what idea of God they seem to be obtaining from these sources. In answer to the first question, the group felt that children seemed to find God through experiences with death in the family, through coming into the Church during the week, through helping with activities in the parish house, through the beauties of nature, and through the Church services. They felt, too, that children accepted very readily ideas given to them by other children, by their parents, and by Church School teachers. The ideas of God which children seemed to receive through these mediums included God as a man, as a loving Spirit, as a Planner and Creator, as a Father, and as a "Spirit of otherness."

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G. F. S. Notes

Practice for basketball has begun and those who do not play basketball are engaged in making linoleum blocks to print their own Christmas cards. We are laying our plans for the annual Christmas party we give at the Chapel of the Transfiguration in South Philadelphia.

A Report on St. Barnabas'

As already reported, \$4,162. was raised this summer to help in the appalling situation caused by the cessation of all public relief and the exhaustion of almost all the funds of the charitable agencies. \$1,978. was spent by Mr. Eastburn on food, mostly vegetables, bread and milk, which he bought in large quantities at the lowest possible prices. This was given out by a corps of volunteers to all the families known to St. Barnabas' and all others in the district who could show a letter from their priest or pastor saying that they were needy, or failing that, who could be visited by the workers. No one was turned away without good reason, and it can be truly said that this food saved lives.

\$2,184. of this fund remains, and the wise spending of it is naturally a heavy responsibility. Several conferences have been held, to which have been invited social workers not intimately connected with St. Barnabas', in order to obtain a professional and detached point of view. This is the policy now laid down.

1. The primary function of a church is to be a spiritual force, not a relief agency, although when physical needs exist everything must be done to secure relief through agencies already organized to give it. Making a church connection for those who have none, either with the churches in their immediate neighborhood or with St. Barnabas' is, therefore, the first object, after the most pressing needs have been supplied.
 2. Since the County Board is functioning now, the part of St. Barnabas' is to supplement that relief through clothing, vegetables, etc. These to be given to its own families first, to others as far as possible.
 3. As the field is so great, definite geographical lines must be arbitrarily fixed beyond which no one can be helped.
 4. The Supper Club is to be kept for the children who are sent by the hospitals and health centers because they are under-nourished.
- It would be better to see that these

children were properly fed at home, but this would be more expensive and would require educating some of the mothers, which is a slow process. Eventually it is hoped this can be done; a beginning has been made in the Cooking Club.

Mr. Eastburn, single-handed, could never swing this job, and his request for a young man to help him on Sundays and with some of his week-day work with young people is certainly reasonable. Rev. Mr. Menicon, a recent graduate of the Seminary, has been secured at a nominal figure. During the emergency, Miss Johnson, the part-time social worker, is invaluable, and her salary must be paid. Mr. Eastburn's own salary must be met, and although the diocese pays some of it, the parish is responsible for the major part. This responsibility, since the depression, the parish has been unable to assume entirely. Therefore it seems wise, after asking the consent of some of the larger givers to the fund, to keep a certain part for salaries. Of what remains a certain amount is to be given each month to Mr. Eastburn as a discretionary fund for emergency food orders, medicine, shoes, etc.

The continued interest of this parish cannot be too strongly asked for. We can help week by week by contributing clothes, vegetables, and groceries, which are given out as fast as they come in. The two big truckloads of food which went down from here on Thanksgiving, together with some groceries contributed by the McKinley School in the neighborhood of St. Barnabas', whose children gave because of what St. Barnabas' had done for some of their fellow pupils, made up baskets for 63 families. At Christmas we shall have the names of those who need baskets, and we can share again as we did last year. Most of all, we can help as we have been doing through our volunteers in the Mothers' Club, the Supper Club, and those who give of their time in the office and doing the visiting. Mr. Eastburn is now looking for one or two people who will help with a Church School session one afternoon a week.

A Financial Report

ACCOUNTS

October 1, 1931—October 1, 1932

Income

From North Phila. Convocation for Rector's salary	\$900.00
From St. Paul's Church—salaries	600.00
From St. Paul's Church (through John Radcliffe) Treasurer for special Fund	2,690.41
From other individual givers	3,342.20
From Convocation—interest on mortgage	274.00
From St. Barnabas' congregation	2,379.00
From other outside givers	180.00
From St. Barnabas' Endowment	578.00
	\$10,943.61

Expenditures

Salaries—Rector	2,100.00
Miss Johnson	600.00
Mr. Urban	
Sexton	1,196.00
Organist	300.00
Relief	4,902.00
Mission Expenses	1,402.00
	\$10,610.00
Balance with John Radcliffe	301.61
	\$10,911.61

These figures have been secured from five different sources, so no attempt has been made to arrive at an exact balance.

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Girls' Friendly Society

28th Anniversary

On November 7, 1932, the G. F. S. of St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, celebrated their 28th anniversary by inviting the Honorary Associates and former active associates and members to supper, which was served by the younger girls of our branch. There were 69 present.

Mrs. Spiess, the Diocesan Director, was our guest of honor and made an address, as did Mr. Peabody, who warmly commended the activity of the branch.

Mr. Isaac Starr kindly showed us some moving pictures when supper was over.

DECEMBER KALENDAR

- 4 2nd Sunday in Advent.
- 11 3rd Sunday in Advent.
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- 24 Christmas Eve.
- 25 Christmas Day.
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	Harry Blank

Crucifer: Edgar Blair

Servers: Edward Cost, George Wilmot, Samuel Wilmot, Robert Morrow, George Ayton, Arthur Richards, Leroy Monroe, William Monroe, Richard Lavelle, George Huggins, Richard Ward, Joseph Huggins.

Choir Mothers: Miss Christine Frazier, Miss Julia Ross.

Rehearsals

Mondays at 5:00 P. M.
Tuesdays at 5:00 and 7:30 P. M.
Wednesdays at 5:00 P. M.
Thursdays at 5:00 P. M.
Fridays at 7:30 P. M.

SAINT PAUL'S LEAFLET

"WHAT WILT THOU HAVE ME TO DO?"

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

Why Lent?

"God is everywhere, but unless you look for Him somewhere, you'll find Him nowhere." So speaks the man who realizes that to pursue religion he must have special places and special times for its practices. Interestingly enough, this idea is gaining adherents rapidly with regard to Lent, and especially in the Protestant churches, where it has hitherto found scant observance. It is true that to make a definite effort toward God produces a deeper knowledge of Him and a more intimate sense of companionship.

Plans for 1933

Our Lenten Program at S. Paul's this year is more extensive than usual. We plan for two services to accommodate everyone who would like to take part in worship every day. Then to the regular Wednesday evening services, to which Dr. Yerkes has again generously consented to come, we are adding "a School of Prayer" on Friday mornings. Here in a short half hour those who wish to develop their knowledge of Prayer will meet with the Rector for a meditation and a series of simple instructions.

The Better Motive

The Church has traditionally emphasized "Duty" as a leading motive in Lenten observance. But especially in times like these we shall probably go further if we consult our needs. Our religion actually does supply Wisdom, and Strength, and Peace. If we feel a pressing need for such things in these difficult days, we may do well to make a particular effort during Lent to draw near

to Him who has actually promised to supply our every need "by his riches in glory in Christ Jesus."

Our Program for Lent

A card is enclosed giving a list of our Lenten plans. Other copies of this may be found in the church vestibules.



Cantate Domino

The members of the congregation who have pledged themselves to work for the improvement of congregational singing at S. Paul's have been meeting on Sunday afternoons at 5:30 in the Parish House. They have practiced some old hymns and some new ones, and already their influence is noticeable in the singing at the morning services on Sunday.

They have begun the study of music for the Communion Service. They have made such progress in this that we feel justified in planning to use this music in the Communion Service on Sunday, March 19th. The entire congregation will be invited to join in the singing of all the musical parts of that service.

The music which we have selected for this purpose is from that wonderful heritage of traditional melodies which have for so long been a part of the liturgy of the Church. These melodies, like folk-songs, have evolved from an unknown origin, always, however, retaining their devotional character, so that they form an integral part of the services in which they are sung.

This music is different from that to which we have lately become accustomed in that it consists of melody only, with no harmonizing parts, and as such represents a higher development of melodic

art than it is possible to attain in harmonized music. It also differs in that its spirit is distinctly religious, and it is unlike any secular music. It is felt to be an ideal expression of the thought and feeling of the great words of our service.

Like all other great music, its fine qualities are not readily discernible at one or two hearings; its character is not immediately understood. We, therefore, ask that you make your acquaintance with it open-mindedly, realizing that upon familiarity it will come to mean much to us.

Anyone who wishes to join in advance study is welcome to come to our "sing" on Sunday afternoons at 5:30 o'clock in the Parish House.

A. W. H., Jr.

CHURCH SCHOOL COLUMN

Missionary Education

During the last six weeks, while Church School members have had missionary boxes in their homes, there has been an intensive effort in nearly all classes to study the problem of war and peace, and to see missionary education as a way of bringing peace throughout the world. February 26th has been set aside particularly as PEACE Sunday, at which time the pupils are not only returning their offering boxes, but are also presenting a Peace pageant, displaying a Peace exhibit in the Children's Corner, and publishing a Peace newspaper. Copies of this paper, which contains some surprising creative work, may be procured from the Children's Corner. Here also may be found cards to be sent to President-elect Roosevelt expressing our desire that the spirit of the Paris Pact be fulfilled during his administration.

Lenten Plans

Plans for Lent include an experiment in an extended session of the Church School for the Kindergarten and Primary Departments and some of the fourth grade classes; the meeting of Church School Committees at 4:15 on Mon-

days for older pupils, following by attendance at evening prayer; a special service on Ash Wednesday, and a Day of Intercession on April 8th.

In regard to the expanded session, the groups will meet from 9:30 to 12:05, the closing hour to correspond with the close of the 11:00 o'clock church service. The morning will run somewhat as follows:

9:30-10:05—First class session.

10:10-10:30—Service in church.

10:35-11:00—Milk and crackers, with rest and outdoor recreation.

11:00-11:20—Music period.

11:20-11:45—Second class period (including excursions).

11:45-12:05—Assembly.

Classes for children not enrolled will be held as usual from 9:30 to 10:45.

We are very fortunate in having secured the services of two specialists for this period of time—Miss Cecilia Sewell, of the Chestnut Hill School of Music, who will help the various classes to learn hymns and create their own hymn tunes; and Miss Elizabeth Thesmar, art teacher at the Shady Hill Country Day School, who will act as an advisor to groups wishing to work out class plans through drawing or modeling.

In general the subjects which will be undertaken are:

Kindergarten: Living a Christian Life in Our Community.

Grade One: Living a Christian Life in Our Day Schools.

Grade Two: Living a Christian Life in Our Community.

Grade Three: Studying People in Church History.

Grade Four: Making New Friends Through the Church.

The Executive Committee hopes to provide a speaker for parents and teachers on "The Religious Difficulties of Adolescents" during the Lenten period, to be followed by discussions by parents of adolescents. The parents of the younger children are meeting on February 26th to discuss the extended session.

Report of the Accounting Warden to the Rector and Vestry of St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, for the Year Ending December 31, 1932

INCOME ACCOUNT

Balance from 1931	\$ 247.84
From Envelopes, Pledges and Non-Pledges, also Plate Collections for Church Budget	37,332.53
From Envelopes Pledges and Non-Pledges, also Plate Collections for Missions	20,392.81
Special Contributions for Missions:	
Woman's Auxiliary	83.00
Altar Society	300.00
Church School	35.32
Other Contributions	1,399.27
	1,817.59
Church School Piano Fund Account	38.12
Special Contributions	500.00
Miscellaneous Receipts for Church Budget	477.38
Christmas, 1931 Envelopes	84.10
Christmas, 1932 Envelopes	429.15
Evening Service Collections	49.59
Nine-thirty Service	30.49
Easter, 1931 Envelopes	10
Easter, 1932 Envelopes	344.00
Endowment Income	2,606.67
Rector's Discretionary Fund	1,411.55
Interest on Bank Deposit	92.88
Gifts for Special Purposes	450.41
Special Appeal—1931	537.50
Special Appeal—1932	13,672.46
White Sunday Offering for the National Church Deficiency Fund of \$400,000.00	394.57
For 1933 Budget	4,733.00
Miscellaneous items received and Disbursed:	
Gillespie-Pie-Gray Co. (fire ins.)	2.05
G. W. Jacobs and Co. (Church School)	4.65
Guild of Organists	33.60
Personal Telephone Calls	8.75
	49.05
	\$85,691.79

DISBURSEMENTS

Roberts' Mortgage Interest	\$4,734.88
Payment a/c of \$90,000.00 Mortgage — (Roberts' Properties)	3,000.00
Rector's Discretionary Fund	1,411.55
Gifts for Special Purposes	450.41

Whitsunday Offering of the National Church Deficiency Fund of \$400,000.00	394.57
Miscellaneous Items received and Disbursed:	
Gillespie-Pie-Gray Co. (fire ins.)	2.05
G. W. Jacobs and Co. (Church School)	4.65
Guild of Organists	33.60
Bell Telephone Co. (Personal Telephone Calls)	8.75
	\$ 49.05

Missions	\$22,210.40
Diocesan Assessments	1,504.74
Clergy Salaries	16,000.00
Pension Premiums	1,400.00
Church School:	
Director	\$2,500.00
Supplies and other Expenses	651.93
	3,151.93

Music:	
Choir Master	2,400.00
Asst. Choir Master	450.00
Men	4,151.62
Boys	1,663.60
New Music	235.92
	8,901.14

Parish Office:	
Secretary	1,500.00
Printing	685.60
Postage	343.70
Telephone	153.48
Office Supplies	160.77
	2,843.55

Care of Property:	
Sexton	1,448.43
Asst. Sexton	1,105.50
Care of Organ and Piano	190.00
Cleaning and Supplies	1,010.18
	3,754.11

Accounting Warden:	
Clerical Work	540.00
Insurance	1,148.08
Taxes	790.39
Annual Audit	60.00
Printing, Postage and Supplies	97.23
	2,635.70

Operating Expenses:	
Coal	1,525.00
Light and Power	940.79
Gas	34.41
Repairs	698.28
	3,198.48

Altar Guild	699.99
Contingent Expenses	918.93
Interest on New Church Loan.....	3,640.05
Federal Revenue Tax of 1932 on Bank Checks	6.46
Cash Balance (includes \$38.12 for Church School Piano Fund Account and 1933 Budget)	4,776.85
	\$85,691.79

Summary

Parish Account:	
Budget For Year	\$45,919.33
Disbursed Account Bud- get Items	\$43,503.83
	\$2,415.50
Total of "Under" Items.....	\$ 3,054.26
Total of "Over" Items.....	\$ 638.76

\$2,415.50

Missions Accounts:	
Credits From Church House	3,789.60
Paid by Accounting Warden	22,210.40

Pledge of St. Paul's.....\$26,000.00

**Detail of Mission Payments Applying on
Pledge of St. Paul's to Diocese and
General Church**

Through the Accounting Warden:	
For the Nation-Wide Campaign	\$21,778.37
For Work in China	11.76
For Thanksgiving Offering for the Episcopal Hospital	518.09
Sunday School Lenten Offer- ing	593.12
From the Woman's Auxiliary:	
Colored Committee	447.50
Diocesan Committee	334.00
Domestic Committee	460.00
Foreign Committee	514.50
Indian Hope Association	363.50
Remitted Direct:	
To New York	135.16
To the Church Extension Fund.....	844.00
Pledge of St. Paul's	26,000.00

**Special Mission Payments not Credited
on Pledge of St. Paul's for Diocese
and General Church**

Through the Accounting Warden:	
Good Friday Offering	\$ 173.31
Whitsunday Offering For the National Council Deficit	1,834.89
From the Woman's Auxiliary:	
Domestic Committee	550.00
Foreign Committee	75.00

From Individuals:	
For the Diocesan Contributors Fund	4,137.50
For Work at St. Elisabeth's Church	10.00
Remitted Direct:	
To New York	101.51
To the Welfare Federation.....	1,940.00
To the City Mission	2.00
Saint Barnabas'-Kensington	4,162.00
Rector's Discretionary Fund	1,411.55

Total

Summary of Mission Payments	
On Pledge of St. Paul's	\$26,000.00
Special Payments.....	14,397.76

Total

During the year 1932, \$3,000.00 was paid of the New Church loan with German- town Trust Company, reducing it from \$74,000.00 to \$71,000.00.

\$3,000.00 was paid of the principal of the first mortgage on the Roberts property reducing it from \$90,000.00 to \$87,000.00.

S. Paul's Young People's Society

A group of young people in the parish have met and organized for regular Sunday evening meetings. These meetings are to consist of a short service followed by a discussion of some phase of Christianity or the application of Christian principles to current problems, and will be conducted by members and officers of the Society. The group is composed of young people between the ages of fourteen and twenty. Any other persons who may be interested and whose age qualifies them for membership are welcome.

At the first meeting the following officers were elected: President, Henry Getz; Vice-President, Edgar Blair; Secretary, Thomas Blair; Treasurer, Russell Redhouse.

MARCH KALENDAR

1	Ash Wednesday.
5	1st Sunday in Lent.
12	2nd Sunday in Lent.
19	3rd Sunday in Lent.
25	Annunciation B. V. M.—Saturday.
26	4th Sunday in Lent.

Needy Clergymen

A number of clergymen of our Church in the Germantown Convocation are practically without funds. Some have no position and find difficulty in picking up supply work. Others have received almost nothing from their salaries. A committee under the chairmanship of the Rev. W. E. Conkling, Rector of S. Luke's, Germantown, is appealing for funds to provide these men and their families with the necessities of life. Will anyone who cares to help kindly send a check either to Father Conkling or the Rector?

The Girls' Friendly Society

The Classes Committee has arranged a most interesting series of evenings for the Society, two evenings of current events, a talk on "Arts and Decorations" by Mrs. L. Conarroe, and a talk on "How to Improve Your Personality." The Lenten study class on China opens on March 6th, with a talk on China by Dr. Dora Deng, now studying at the Woman's Medical College. On April 3rd, the Candidates are to present a Chinese play to the older members.

On Friday, February 17th, a most successful card party was held which netted \$66.00. Our profits were largely made possible by the kind backing of our honorary associates who made us donations of money and prizes. Those who attended liked it well enough to say they hoped this would be an annual affair. The proceeds will be used for the missions and social service work of the Society.

The Woman's Auxiliary

The Woman's Auxiliary will meet every Friday, during Lent at 10:30 in the Parish House. It is hoped that all the women of the parish will attend, as there is a great deal of work to be done.

Boy Scout Troop 197

Each week finds new boys coming to the troop. They come with a real interest in many phases of scouting that are so interesting and are so valuable to see the boys applying bandages, talking to each other in code, building fires, camping, competing in games, learning the wonders of nature, and through all gaining interest in each other and reverence for God.

The troop has no camping equipment. If anyone has anything of this kind that they would care to contribute it will be most gratefully received.

CLYDE B. PYLE,
Scoutmaster.

Personal Notices

Work by day, cooking, serving or housework desired, by a capable and experienced person. Excellent references. Apply to Parish Office. C. H. 0359.

A well-recommended person desires work as child's nurse or will care for children by the day or evening. Phone C. H. 0359.

A typist, member of the parish, desires typing to be done at home. Phone C. H. 0359.

A cultured and experienced person desires position as companion or social secretary. Phone, C. H. 0359.

Carrot and orange marmalade for sale. Kindly call C. H. 0809.

Our Scoutmaster, Clyde B. Pyle, would like to enroll any boys who are interested in taking a summer camping and canoe trip through northern Maine from July 1st to August 20th. This trip offers the opportunity to enjoy a real outdoor cruise and to become expert woodsmen under experienced leadership. A pamphlet with further description may be found in the Parish Office. Kindly call C. H. 0359.

Contributions of books of any description are solicited for the library of St. Agnes' Settlement House, Kensington. Kindly send them to the Parish Office.

S. PAUL'S CHURCH

East Chestnut Avenue

SERVICES

1st and 3rd Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Holy Communion and Sermon at 11 A. M.
2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays in month: Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 A. M.
Church School: Sunday, 9:30 A. M.
Thursdays—Holy Communion, 7:30 and 10 A. M.
Fridays—Morning Prayer and Litany at 10 A. M.
Saints' Days—Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M.
The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

Rector

REV. MALCOLM E. PEABODY
18 E. Chestnut Avenue. Telephone C. H. 0503

Curate

REV. MALBONE H. BIRCKHEAD
22 E. Chestnut Avenue. Telephone C. H. 1310

Director of Religious Education

MISS HILDA SHAUL

Office, Parish House Telephone C. H. 5245
Home Address, 8617 Germantown Avenue

Parish Secretary

MISS RUTH C. KENNEL
Office, Parish House Telephone C. H. 0359
Office Hours: 10:00 to 1:00—2:00 to 5:00
Home Address, 217 E. Evergreen Ave.
Telephone C. H. 3986

Missionary

MISS ELSIE BEYER
Emery Hall, Bromley, Liberia

Organist and Choirmaster
ARTHUR W. HOWES, JR.

200 W. Highland Avenue
Chestnut Hill 4241

Assistant Organist

FRANK A. ROTH
8311 Ardleigh Street
Chestnut Hill 0489

Sexton

JAMES E. McELHINNEY
5720 Beechwood Street, Germantown

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CHURCH SCHOOL

Superintendent, REV. M. E. PEABODY
Director, Miss Hilda Shaul
Executive Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Margaret Earle
General Secretary, Miss Helen M. Zebley
Supply Secretary, Mrs. Arthur Goodfellow
Supt. Primary Dept., Mrs. M. H. Birkhead
Supt. Junior Dept., Miss Lily Cheston
Supt. Junior High-Senior Dept., Miss Louise Weill
Missionary Education, Miss Katharine Williamson
Girls' Choir, Mrs. Charles Willing
Parent Representatives, Mrs. George Dallas, Rev. M. H. Birkhead

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Joseph Wayne Lee
Patricia Sovereign Gates
Margaret Johnson Snyder
Harold Page Starr
Marie Currier
Betty Ann Hamilton
Caroline Morris Cheston
Peter Butler Neide
Joy Elizabeth Moore
Dorothy Latimer
Jeannette Nimon

Burials

Julia Ludwig
Jay Cooke
Annie Blanche Ludwig
Norman Ellison
Mrs. Annie Parsons
Elsie Cleveland Reynolds
Mary A. Kern



Confirmation List

Elizabeth Dulles Allen
Louise Ewing Allen, Jr.
Nancy McLellan Boyd
Janet Bromley
Leila Canby
Evelyn Q. Cox
James S. Cox
Marie Currier
Jennie T. Dow
Lester Wendover Dykeman
John Horace Frank
Margaret Alice Frank
Mrs. Clare T. Gucker
Hester Carter Hammett
Suzanne Heath Harrison
J. Mortland Henderson
Harry Albert Holland, Jr.
Mary Lavinia Horner
Frank Rutherford Howell
John Huggins
Jane Jordan
James G. Masland
Arthur Howell Napier, Jr.
Susan Dixon Pearson
George Platt Pilling 4th
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Harvey C. Sheetz
David Scull
Joan Scull
Helen L. Swain
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Charles E. Wellener, Jr.
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Isabel Wetherill
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RECTOR'S COLUMN

Varied Views

Holy Week and Easter Day bring us varied messages, depending upon our need and upon our insight. The passer-by sees a Figure on a Cross and overhears an unbelievable story about rising from a grave. Those who have chiefly found happiness in life feel a welling up of still better things in the annual Easter triumph. The more sober minded can attain to Easter's joy only after reliving the trials and sorrows of Good Friday. Perhaps the frame of mind in which we find ourselves this year may lead us into a deeper understanding of the season.

The Moral Breakdown

Describe it in what terms you will, the world is at the crossroads. To continue in the same direction will lead to destruction—which is only another way of saying that we have all been partners in carrying on a society that is filled with grievous injustices and wrongs.

The astounding thing is that in spite of the obvious breakdown which these wrongs have produced, people are generally unwilling even now to recognize the moral breakdown. We deceive ourselves with weasel words and devise petty poultices to cure the mortal disease from which we are suffering.

The Cross—33 A. D.

Jesus faced a group of men in a similar situation. Judaism had become so formalized that it had lost its appeal as a vital religion. Its leaders had lost touch with the God of the prophets. But it remained for Jesus to tell them in quite unvarnished terms that they were "sinners." By this He meant that knowing a higher standard they had deliberately chosen a lower. And He blamed them for this with all His force. He made quite clear that in turning away from God they had not committed a mere "ethical error" but had betrayed their inheritance, outraged their office, and brazenly maintained their wilful way in the face of God's Chosen Representative. The Cross was not so much the answer of the Jewish rulers to this indictment by Jesus. It was rather God's answer to sinful and unrepentant humanity.

The Cross—1933 A. D.

It is a terrible atrocity for man wilfully to sin against His Maker and involves him inevitably in disaster. But is not the worst of it the injury inflicted upon God? Surely the "Hardest Part" wherever sin is involved is His. It hung *His Son* upon a Cross 1900 years ago. It hangs Him there again today.—If the world can get but a glimpse of the Suffering God on Good Friday the reasons for Christ's Death may this year prove to be of equal significance even with His Triumph in the Easter Dawn.

The April Appeal

For the past two or three years the Vestry has made an appeal in April for funds with which to defray interest charges and reduce the figure of our debt on the Church. Due to the hard times we have unfortunately been compelled to use some of the money subscribed to fulfill our budget plans. It is only in this way that we have carried on the Parish work and made good our pledge to the Diocese and General Church. This month we are making a similar appeal. Letters describing our condition will be sent out after Easter to prepare people for the general offering on April 30th.

The Vestry hopes very much that in addition to meeting our fixed charges we shall be able to pay off something on the \$71,000 still owing on the New Church.

CHURCH SCHOOL COLUMN

The Extended Session

During the Sundays of Lent about 85 per cent of the pupils in the Kindergarten, Primary, and two fourth grade classes have taken advantage of a session of Church School lasting from 9:30 until 12:05. Not only has this given an opportunity for more reverent worship and instruction in worship but also for a varied program of activity about the areas of study. As one goes from class to class and finds one group engaged in the making of a stained glass window, another in writing a hymn, or still another interviewing an outstanding negro, Crystal Bird Fauset, one has a feeling that this extended session is giving Church School children truly vital religious experiences. After today's session parents, children, and teachers will have

an opportunity to express themselves on the value of this experiment. The Church School classes will resume their regular schedule on the Sunday following Easter.

Holy Week and Easter

Holy Week for the Church School was preceded by a Day of Intercession on April 8th, in which about sixty members took part. Services for the Church School will be held at 5 o'clock on Monday and at 9:30 on Good Friday.

On Easter Sunday the Carol Service at 4 o'clock will be preceded by an Easter play, written and produced by a Lenten study group, in the Parish House at 3:30. There will be no Church School at 9:30 on that day.

The Executive Committee

During the weeks of Lent the Executive Committee have been studying the book, "Re-thinking Missions," in the light of its implications for the missionary education in our Church School. Findings of their study will soon be available in the Church School office. This group has also been engaged in a study of the meaning of worship for primary children and for older boys and girls. The committee is calling two meetings of teachers,—one on April 26th and one on May 24th,—to further consider these problems.

Holy Week

The services in Holy Week will be at the same hours as in the other weeks of Lent with the following exceptions:

1. Holy Communion will be celebrated

The Girls' Friendly Society

April 26th to May 2nd will be celebrated as Girls' Friendly Week throughout the Diocese. Special efforts will be made during that time to acquaint the public with what the Girls' Friendly Society is and what it does. On Sunday, May 2nd, a Corporate Communion will be held in which all those interested in the Society are invited to join. At the Sunday evening service the Admission Service of the Friendly will be held. Some time during the week the candidates will repeat a play already most successfully presented and the older members will serve tea. The week will close with the annual Service, which is to be at St. Mark's, Frankford, this year and at which our rector will preach the sermon.

Dean Fosbroke Coming

The preacher on Sunday morning, April 23rd, will be the Very Rev. H. E. W. Fosbroke, D.D., Dean of the General Theological Seminary in New York. Dean Fosbroke will be remembered as the preacher on Good Friday, 1931.

Boy Scout Troop 197

Ask the boys. That is one way to determine the value of their activities. Every boy in the troop will tell you that every feature of scouting is interesting, that everything they learn is of use in everyday life, and, above all, that it is great fun to learn how to do so many things the right way. The next few months will afford us many opportunities to become more familiar with the wonders of nature. All boys who desire to join us on bird-hikes, or at any time, will be most welcome.

New boys continue to join the troop. We would like to have all the boys who have been in the troop, with their experience, for leading the new and

younger boys, although with most of the young boys, progress and growth have been most gratifying.

We would like to have some camping equipment, and the use of a nearby habitable building for overnight camping.

CLYDE B. PYLE, *Scoutmaster*.

Personal Notices

Carrot and orange marmalade for sale. Kindly call C. H. 0809.

Work by day, cooking, serving or housework by a capable and experienced person. Excellent references. Apply to Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

Jig-saw puzzles, three-ply wood, for sale or rent. Kindly call C. H. 4495.

Marionette shows for hire. A clever marionette artist who has given many successful performances may be secured for children's parties and other occasions. Kindly call Locust 2239.

An experienced and capable workman will scrape, finish and surface parquet and hardwood floors, old floors and stairways, rebuild old wornout pine stairs. All work guaranteed to be satisfactory. Prices reasonable. Call C. H. 0359.

A respectable, well-recommended man desires work as gardener or caretaker. Phone the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

Typing and social secretarial work desired by capable and experienced people. Kindly call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

Any boys who are interested in taking a summer camping and canoe trip through northern Maine from July 1st to August 20th may enroll now with our Scoutmaster, Clyde B. Pyle, who will conduct the trip. A pamphlet with further description may be found in the Parish Office.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY, ST PAUL'S CHURCH

in account with

V. J. HARRIS Treasurer

JANUARY 1, 1932—JANUARY 1, 1933

RECEIPTS

Balance brought forward	\$ 36.51
Contributions and interest on deposits	4,812.38
Total Receipts	\$4,848.89

DISBURSEMENTS

	Budget	Total	Special	Total
Diocesan —Through Committee	\$384.00			
Deaconess Retiring Fund			\$25.00	
Scholarship Church Farm School			35.00	
City Mission Clothing Fund			7.00	
Potatoes for St. Barnabas			27.00	
Miss Dean's Work			125.00	
St. Anna's Home			10.00	
United Campaign (Annual Pledge)			150.00	
House of Rest			13.40	
Unemployed Women at Church House			359.00	
Layettes, Bur. Unemployment Relief			10.00	
	\$384.00	\$384.00	\$761.40	\$761.40
Domestic —Through Committee	\$460.00			
Rev. F. Neve (Annual Pledge)			\$10.00	
Mr. Mayo, B. R. I. S.	15.00			
Mr. Mayo, B. R. I. S.			10.00	
	\$475.00	\$475.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Foreign —Through Committee	\$394.50			
Foreign Missionary Life Insurance			\$35.00	
Mrs. Hill for Mrs. Burke (Alaska)			215.10	
Dr. Burke's Heating Plant (Alaska)			525.00	
Miss Riddell's Memorial			100.00	
Bible Woman, Hankow	60.00			
	\$454.50	\$454.50	\$875.10	\$875.10
Indian —Through Committee	\$363.50			
Box			\$4.00	
Box			189.00	
Archdeacon Boyle			151.00	
			50.00	
	\$363.50	\$363.50	\$394.00	\$394.00
Colored —Through Committee	\$412.50			
St. Agnes School (Annual Pledge)	25.00		\$25.00	
St. Augustin's Hosp.	10.00			
Archdeacon Baskervill			75.00	
	\$447.50	\$447.50	\$100.00	\$100.00
Miscellaneous —Woman's Aux. Main-tenance Fund			\$100.00	
Convocation of Gtn. Card Party			13.00	
Church Missionary Calendar			10.00	
Church Periodical Club	5.00			
Church Work Among Blind	2.00			
Woman's Interdenom. Union			5.00	
Federal Check Tax .....			.32	
	\$7.00	\$7.00	\$128.32	\$128.32
Sewing Wool			\$262.35	
			75.14	
		\$2,131.50	\$2,616.31	\$4,747.81
Balance				101.08
				\$4,848.89

at 7:30 each day except Good Friday, and also on Maundy Thursday at 8:15 P. M.

2. Good Friday

9:30 Church School Service

12:00-3:00 Service of the Passion
Led by the Rector

3. Easter Even

7:30 Holy Communion

4:00 Holy Baptism

4. Easter Day

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8:00 Holy Communion

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11:00 Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon

3:30 Easter Play (Parish House)

4:00 Church School Carol Service

CONGRATULATIONS

The singing of the congregation in the Communion services on March 17 and April 2nd, was very much to their credit musically as well as religiously.

The congregation is to be congratulated on making such a splendid effort.

These services showed clearly that most of us have been underestimating our own musical abilities and proved conclusively that this congregation can sing praises in a thoroughly dignified and reverent manner.

One very interesting feature of these services was the effectiveness of the choir in leading the hymns when occupying positions in the pews. Their strong, clear voices sounding from all parts of the church made it easy for everyone to join in *all* the verses of every hymn. The volume of tone thus produced by choir and congregation singing together

was greater than any that has been heard in S. Paul's before.

Now that it is an established fact that we can sing, and can sing well, may there be no lack of confidence, no timidity nor self-consciousness about singing in Church. Let us sing as well as we are able *every* Sunday.

A. W. H., Jr.

The Woman's Auxiliary

During the past year there were twelve meetings of the Auxiliary with an excellent attendance.

We had a variety of speakers from the five missionary fields. Among the most interesting were Bishop Nichols, of Kyoto, Archdeacon Wellington Boyle, an Ojibway Indian from Minnesota, Mrs. Burke from Alaska, Archdeacon Baskervill, our favorite colored speaker from South Carolina, and Miss Eleanor Dean, who told us about the Italian missions in Philadelphia.

In March the Auxiliary went to Mrs. Pepper's house for the Mission Study class led by Mrs. Hill. The subject was "Building a Christian Nation."

The response to the appeal for baskets was even greater this Christmas, and nearly a hundred were sent to families in the parish and Kensington.

The Quiet Day in December was led by Dr. Earp, from the Church of the Redeemer, Bryn Mawr. He convinced us by his personality and his address that a sense of obligation gives way to a sense of privilege when perception and appreciation are developed through the Christian life.

FRANCES BIRCKHEAD, *Secretary*.

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Supt. Junior High-Senior Dept., Miss Louise Weill

Missionary Education, Miss Katharine Williamson

Girls' Choir, Mrs. Charles Willing

Parent Representatives, Mrs. George Dallas, Rev.

M. H. Birkhead

The Woman's Friendly

The work of the Woman's Friendly goes on as usual. A good deal of sewing has been accomplished for the Red Cross, Kensington, and the Supply Bureau at the Church House. Funds have been contributed for parish relief, diocesan and general missions. At the close of the year there will be a supper to which everyone is cordially invited. The date and the speaker will be announced later.



PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Douglas Hamilton Parsons

Albert Freeman Amory King, Jr.

Grace Lois Jordan

Marriages

Dale Benson Purves and Alice Louise Allen.

Burials

Dorothea Pancoast

Adelaide Jordan Farr

Philip Frederick Stoever

Henry Wharton

Mary F. Freas



APRIL KALENDAR

- 2 Passion Sunday
- 9 Palm Sunday
- 10 Monday Before Easter
- 11 Tuesday Before Easter
- 12 Wednesday Before Easter
- 13 Maundy Thursday
- 14 Good Friday
- 15 Easter Even
- 16 Easter Day
- 17 Easter Monday
- 18 Easter Tuesday
- 23 First Sunday After Easter
- 25 St. Mark's Day
- 30 Second Sunday After Easter

SAINT PAUL'S LEAFLET

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RECTOR'S COLUMN

Midsummer Praise

June marks an end and a beginning in the Church's season as well as in our everyday lives. It marks the time when in self-defense we lay aside the burden of the winter's tasks and give ourselves to less stern occupations. In the Church's season it begins, this year at least, with the great feast of Whitsunday and carries on with Trinity. Whitsunday has always been kept as one of the three great feasts and thought of until recent years as equal to Christmas and Easter. It stands for the pouring out of God's spirit in strengthening abundance on those who have followed Christ's footsteps from Bethlehem to Galilee. Then Trinity follows with its twenty-five Sundays giving us the occasion to apply in our lives the great lessons learned through the winter.

While we shall now relax the keenness of our working efforts that we may get geared up for another autumn, we shall not want to allow that relaxation to extend to our attendance at service on Sunday. Surely "rejoicing in the Lord" is the most "recreative" activity we can indulge in. Moreover we help the brethren by coming. They miss us when we are away. And God misses us. He cares that every member of His family shall acknowledge that glad relationship. Summer is indeed a good time to praise God and to rejoice together in His house.

A Prayer for Vacations

Loving Father, who didst make this earth so fair. Open our eyes to see its wonders and our hearts to feel its

beauty. In our days of refreshment and recreation draw us nearer to Thee through the things which Thou hast made. May the joy of Thy sunshine, the quiet of Thy forests, the murmur of Thy streams and the steadfast strength of Thine everlasting hills, teach us the deep secret of Thy Peace. Calm our fretful spirits. Deepen the current of our shallow lives. Renew in us faith and courage, physical strength and spiritual vision, that we may know ourselves to be safely held in Thy strong hands, and may joyfully conform our lives to Thy great purposes.

From this life, so near to Nature's heart, may we drink in new strength to help us reach the restless hearts of men. Give us Thy secret, and the power to share it with our fellows: that we may go back to the world and its duties, stronger, simpler, sweeter; and may thus become more worthy messengers of Him who saw His Father's goodness in the sparrow's flight, and His Father's love in the beauty which clothes the lilies of the field. We ask it for His dear sake. Amen.

THE MONTH

Carrying on the Church

The response to the April Appeal has as usual been generous. The Vestry has tried hard this year to keep expenses down and the parish has evidently appreciated it. We did not economize on our contributions for the Diocese and General Church, which is surely the right spirit, too. As a result of the April Appeal we now have \$13,621.50 in hand toward the total of \$20,000 which we needed to fulfill the total bud-

get. Before the end of the year we hope that various other amounts may come in to enable us to carry out our plans in full.

Mr. Birkhead

For the past few weeks we have felt the absence of Mr. Birkhead. The congregation will be glad to know that we have encouraging reports from him. We hope he will be with us again before long.

Flowers and Vegetables

We are going ahead this year with the Flower and Vegetable Mission, which has given great pleasure to many who cannot frequently get away from the city streets. Last summer the mission was particularly well run.

Will those who wish to contribute flowers and vegetables send them to the Parish House before ten o'clock on Wednesdays throughout the summer, beginning June 7th?

St. Barnabas'

The following report shows how the money subscribed so generously last July has been expended at St. Barnabas', Kensington. Although originally raised only for relief, permission was secured from the givers to devote a portion of the funds to staff salaries which would without this help have gone in arrears.

Relief Work	\$2,327.41
Salaries of Staff	1,555.00
Balance on hand June 1, 1933	629.60
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	\$4,512.01

The G. F. S.

"Morton, the Magician, at 4 P. M." This is the special treat that is being offered at the Garden Party on Saturday, June 17th, at Mrs. Richard Nalle's and we guarantee that this magician will

entertain old as well as young. There will be games for the boys and girls with prizes for those who excel, and of course there will be cake, candy, ice cream, lemonade, fancy articles and flowers for sale. Many of the flowers come to us from a garden that wins prizes at all the shows. Put it down on your calendar.

Saturday, June 17th,
3:30 to 6:00 P. M.

Down Dale—E. Bells Mill Road
near Stenton Avenue

The Woman's Friendly Society

The Woman's Friendly will have their annual supper on June 14th, at 6:30. Miss Eleanor Dean, from St. Elizabeth's, will speak to us, and needless to say we hope for a large attendance. Tickets are seventy-five cents and they may be bought at the Parish Office or from any of the members.

Fellowship Dance

The Young People's Fellowship is giving a benefit dance at the Parish House, Friday, June 9th, at 9:00 o'clock. The orchestra will be "The Cavaliers." Tickets 40 cents.

Church School Graduation

The Church School will be with us at the 11:00 o'clock service on June 11. Eight pupils are graduating this year and the congregation will be asked to take part in a prayer celebrating the important event. The 9:30 service will be omitted on this day.

Of Interest to Fathers

The Rector is inviting the fathers of the Kindergarten and Primary Church School children to his house at 8:00 o'clock on Whitsunday evening to discuss some questions relating to the religious education of this age group. All

who seek new light on old problems will be welcome.

Women's Bible Class to Entertain

The Young Women's Bible Class, which has been meeting since December for the study of the Prayer Book, will entertain at a garden party the Women's Bible Class of St. Ambrose's on June the 7th.

The Scout Troop No. 197

Our Scout Troop prospers. It has just registered for its third year with twenty-four boys, a considerable growth over a year ago. The members have worked hard for their badges and have had some good days of hiking. Mr. Pyle, the Scoutmaster, asks the encouragement of occasional visits by the parents at the meetings on Friday evenings.

SUMMER PLANS

Union Services

The Churches of Chestnut Hill are again planning to carry on the Union services this summer. They will be held on the lawn behind the Rex Avenue Presbyterian Church every Sunday evening after July 1st at 7:30. The addresses will be made by the various ministers of Chestnut Hill. St. Paul's people have always attended these community gatherings in good numbers and will probably want to continue doing so this year.

Mr. Bell in Charge

The Rev. Gibson Bell, headmaster of Montgomery School, has kindly consented to come over again this year and take the services during my vacation. He will also be on hand each day for those who wish to call on him and will be ready to serve the members of the Parish in any way that he can. I trust

that the Parish will look upon him "*in loco rectoris*" during my vacation.

M. E. P.

Summer Services

After July first the services throughout the summer season will be as follows:

Sunday—

8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.

9:30 A. M.—Morning Prayer and Address.

11:00 A. M.—1st and 3rd Sundays, Holy Communion and Sermon.

2nd, 4th, and 5th Sundays, Morning Prayer and Sermon.

Weekdays—

7:30 P. M.—Thursdays and Saints' Days, Holy Communion.

Social Service Notes

The co-operation of St. Paul's people in helping to carry out the social service experiments conducted in Chestnut Hill this year has been most valuable, as the following results show:

1. The Parish Office has supplied from four to six jobs weekly throughout the year, a number resulting in permanent positions.
2. From February, 1932, to June, 1933, 1,908 articles of clothing have been sent to St. Barnabas' for distribution.
3. Over one hundred names of house-to-house solicitors have been reported for investigation, many of whom have thereby secured weekly relief from the County Relief Board. Although many of these people have given wrong addresses and many were found not to be in great need, the obvious conclusion is that the majority have been forced to beg in order to obtain money for rent, gas and electricity. The investigations will continue this summer and further

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plans are under consideration for the fall.

4. To discourage giving money to the house-to-house solicitors, 220 meal tickets entitling the bearer to a 25-cent meal have been sold to the parishioners for distribution, of which 62 have been used.
5. Relief Directories to encourage the centralization of relief in the organized agencies have been printed and distributed. These, together with meal tickets, may be obtained at the parish office throughout the summer.

Personal Notices

Kindly apply to the Parish Office, C. H. 0359, for the following:

Work by day, cooking, serving or housework by a capable and experienced person. Excellent references.

An experienced and capable workman will scrape, finish and surface parquet

and hardwood floors, old fashioned stairways, rebuild old wornout pine stairs. All work guaranteed to be satisfactory. Prices reasonable.

Respectable, experienced, well-recommended men desire positions as chauffeurs or general work of any kind.

Typing and social secretarial work desired by capable and experienced people.

"The Canton Bowl," the tea room on the Church property at 46 East Chestnut Avenue, offers special hot-weather platters served in the garden on pleasant evenings.

Baby carriages, strollers, and cribs can always be used in Kensington. Kindly notify the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Constance Devereux Hecksher
Elsie Rachel Brinton
James Wellener Brinton
Stanley Kenneth Forbes
Doris Marie Hoagland
Robert Glendinning II
Everett Uberto Crosby II
Susan Hill Kephart
Saraellin Merritt

Burials

Miss Catherine B. Davis
Josephine M. Dallett
John Davies

JUNE KALENDAR

- 4 Whitsunday
- 5 Whitsun Monday
- 6 Whitsun Tuesday
- 11 Trinity Sunday
- 12 St. Barnabas
- 18 First Sunday after Trinity
- 24 St. John Baptist
- 25 Second Sunday after Trinity
- 29 St. Peter

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Assurance of Power

IN these times of pressure and uncertainty what I need to know is that if I do my part as well as I can, someone will be happier. It will help if that someone should be of my family or the circle of my friends, but somehow I want to reach out further than that. The world is in considerable trouble. Cannot my efforts serve even in a small way to help straighten things out?

Jesus, whom I have taken for my Lord, has given me certain principles by which my life can be directed. I know that I shall be more likely to succeed in my quest if I learn and practice them. But He Himself is the greatest principle, for He is living and active. When I think of Him I know what He wants me to do. He gives me also the strength I require to put His ideas into practice. I actually receive power when I ask for it. Perhaps my need will be solved if I can only remember to keep on asking for Power from Him who is its inexhaustible Source.

Our New Curate

On Sunday, September 17th, the Rev. Matthew M. Warren was introduced to the Parish as a new member of the staff. We wish to assure him and his wife of a very cordial welcome. He comes from a year's rectorship in Shepherdstown, West Virginia following his graduation from the Theological Seminary at Alexandria. Mr. Warren will have as his special responsibility work among young people, but he is at the same time a minister of the whole Parish and will call on all its members. He has taken an apartment at 97 Bethlehem Pike.

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Office Hours

The Rector will keep office hours on Tuesday afternoons in the Parish House as usual from five to seven. But he will also be available in the Rectory each morning in the week between 9 and 10, except Monday. The clergy are anxious to be of personal service to people and wish that any who want to see them would arrange conference hours on the telephone if they can't come on the occasions just enumerated.

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The Confirmation Class

The first meeting of the Confirmation Class will take place on Sunday afternoon, October 1st, at five o'clock in the Parish House. The Rector hopes that anyone who is interested will come. If there are among the group any older ones, he will make a special arrangement for their instruction aside from the meeting of the younger people. It is very helpful to have everyone who is to join the class on hand the first day.

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Church School

The Church School opens today. The Kindergarten and Grade One members will have an opportunity to enroll for

an-expanded session as a part of their regular religious education schedule. It is hoped that older classes will be able to have additional church school work on some week-day afternoon.

The Church School Executive Committee and the Young People's Executive Committee have recently decided to launch a four months' experiment for the young people over confirmation age. The plan is to transfer all classes from ninth grade up into an evening session, preceded by a five o'clock service of evening prayer and correlated with the work of the Young People's Societies.

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Student List

We try to keep in the Parish Office an accurate list of all the boys and girls who are away from home at school and college in order to keep in touch with the group during the year. As it is hard to keep the list up to date, the Secretary would be greatly helped if parents who are sending their young people off for the first year would be good enough to send in the name of their child with the new address.

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St. Barnabas'

For the past two years St. Paul's has been able to help the work at St. Barnabas', Kensington, both by personal service and financial backing. A brief accounting of the money raised during the summer of 1932 is as follows:

Relief Work	\$2,327.41
Salaries of Staff	2,073.11
Balance on Hand Oct. 1..	111.49
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	\$4,512.01

Obviously the money is nearly used up. As a result of permission given last spring, most of the balance of the fund was then devoted to the salaries of Mr.

Eastburn and his assistant, Miss Johnson. It will be difficult for the Mission to pay further salaries this year unless we back it with at least \$100 worth of salaries each month. An appeal will shortly be made for this cause. Mr. Eastburn is still doing good work and has justified our confidence in him.

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Organization Notes

The Girls' Friendly Society will open for the season with a cover-dish supper on Monday, October 2nd.

St. Paul's Young People's Society, which was organized last year, will begin its regular weekly meetings on Sunday, October 1st, in the Parish House, at 7:30 P. M. Any young people of the Parish who are between the ages of fourteen and twenty will be welcome to attend these meetings.

The Woman's Auxiliary will hold its first meeting on Friday morning, October 6th, at 10.30, in the Parish House. The women of the Parish are cordially invited to attend.

The third season of the *Boy Scout Troop* 197 promises to bring further success. Several new boys have joined, and all are much interested in the valuable features of scouting. Membership is now about twenty-four. All boys, 12 to 18, are invited to attend the meetings on Fridays at 7:40 P. M. at the Parish House. Plans are being made for building a cabin and the boys will sell Christmas cards to aid in financing the project.

"The Canton Bowl," the tea room on the Church property at 46 E. Chestnut Avenue, is now open and offers special lunches at 50c and dinners at 75c. It will render catering service at reasonable rates and fill orders for sandwiches and cakes.

A Word from the Philippines

The following letter will be of interest to a number of people who knew the writer as Tutor-in-Ordinary to all the children at Winter Harbor for a number of years. He is now a master at Brent School for American children at Baguio, P. I. His letter gives some insight into the difficulties of carrying on mission work on a greatly reduced budget.

Dear Mr. Peabody:—

Since school ended, I have again been helping with the mission work of our church. I spent six weeks at our mission centre in Bontoc and helped with the out-station work. Of course the churchmanship and the services were quite different from what we have at Brent School, but I was able to adjust myself successfully. Until I left, there has only been one resident priest at Bontoc, and I was glad to give Father Wolfe a hand. Father Sibley, whom you probably knew when you were here, died more than a year ago. The automobile he was driving, went over one of the many cliffs along the mountain road. He was a great loss to our mission at Bontoc.

I left Bontoc a few days ago, at the arrival of a new priest. At the present time I am holding the fort at Balbalsang, which is our northernmost post in Luzon. The priest has left for a short vacation. I expect to be here until the middle of September.

Brent School will open in October again. Our faculty has been reduced and I have the feeling that we shall pull through the hard times of the present successfully. Things are beginning to appear brighter since the Philippine politicians seem to be running away from acceptance of the Hawes-Cutting Bill.

I am,

Sincerely yours,
ALFRED L. GRIFFITHS.

Brent School
Baguio, P. I.

Employment

The Parish Office has resumed the Personnel Bureau which successfully functioned last year in supplying work for people connected with the Parish. The staff wishes to be of service to both employer and employee and solicits the co-operation of all parishioners and members of the community.

Kindly apply to the Parish Office, C. H. 0359, for the following:

Companions, governesses, and practical nurses, members of the Parish, cultured and experienced, well recommended.

Work by the day, cooking, serving, or general housework by capable and experienced women with good references.

Typing, clerical and social secretarial work desired by well trained men and women.

Respectable, well - recommended men desire positions as chauffeurs, mechanics, carpenters or general work of any kind.

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Rooms for Rent

The Parish Secretary has on file some attractive rooms in good homes, convenient to the business district of Chestnut Hill and transportation, for rent at reasonable prices. Kindly call C. H. 0359.

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OCTOBER KALENDAR

- 1 16th Sunday after Trinity
- 8 17th Sunday after Trinity
- 15 18th Sunday after Trinity
- 18 St. Luke—Wednesday
- 22 19th Sunday after Trinity
- 28 S. S. Simon and Jude—Saturday

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Sydney Holliday Coleman
Markley Holmes Boyer
Olav Ryerson Kalnes

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Margaret Taylor

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Marriages

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Thomas S. Horrocks and Elizabeth T. Pearson
Frederick Wistar Morris, III, and Mildred Dulany Dickinson
Raymond L. Bolling and Jean Black
Charles Hart Heckscher and Marjorie Maud Newhall

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Morning Prayer

O God, who hast folded back the black mantle of the night to clothe us in the golden glory of the day, chase from our hearts all gloomy thoughts and make us glad with the brightness of hope, that we may effectively aspire to unwon virtues; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. C. H. B.

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"Above All Other Things"

WHEN everything in which we have believed is shaken, social institutions, economic creeds, standards of manners, and even of morals, one sometimes wonders whether there remains anything still left unshaken. If we could find but a single rock on which to establish a foothold, that would encourage us enough even in our worst moments to make head against the storm.

Such "rocks" of course still do exist. Someone wrote the other day of a friend: "His personality radiated that simple integrity which is so manifestly genuine that it can never be mistaken. He upheld all the fine traditions of the bar, but above all other things he was good."—As long as we put sheer goodness "above all other things," surely there are hopes of a future in which believers in Jesus may confidently hope for a better world.

The Parish Canvass

The plans for the Every-Member Canvass are similar to those of former years. Offering Sunday will come on November 26th. The canvass proper will start December 3rd. The budget will be drawn at the next Vestry meeting with the aid and advice of the Parish Meeting that takes place in the Parish House on November 8th. As our work expands, the need for the cooperation of every member in the Parish in making plans and in understanding our program is more and more apparent. Shall not our ideal be a Parish Program in which every member has a part, not only in working it out but in designing it beforehand?

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The Church School

On October 29th a new group made its appearance in the Church School—the Nursery Class of three-year-old children. Because of limited space and its experimental character this group is limited to ten children. There is at present one vacancy.

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Families with children in the third grade and over will receive cards this week announcing a Church School hour of prayer from 9 to 10 A. M. on Armistice Day in the Church. The Confirmation Class has been asked to take charge of the arrangements for this hour. The Executive Committee of the Church School hopes that this day will provide a real opportunity

for parents and children to take part together in a church activity.

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The members of the Girls' Choir will meet for rehearsal on Thursday afternoons at 4.20. Any girls of the Church School in the Fifth Grade or over may apply for choir membership at this time.

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Young People's Work

An Executive Committee has been formed for work among our Young People composed of presidents and heads of the Societies, two elected by lay people, Miss Shaul, and the Curate. A new program drafted by this committee centers the young people's work on the Sunday evening Service. This is followed by small discussion groups led by three members of the Church School staff. Supper, consisting of a very simple meal follows at six forty-five. The organized societies then meet in this accustomed group.

The plan has been in effect for only four Sundays but already shows many signs of improvement over our former schedule.

Organization Notes

The Woman's Friendly Society held its first meeting on October 18th. The members are now engaged in making many useful articles for the Annual Bazaar to be held December 6th from three to eight P. M.

The Girls' Friendly Society has elected the following officers to be in charge of the year's doings. Member Chairman, Mildred Grove, Secretary,

Margaret Brunt, Corresponding Secretary, Edith Butler, Treasurer, Helen Shuman, Chairman of Older Members, Mrs. Maude Schaeffer, Chairman of Younger Members, Helen Fulmer, Chairman of Worship Committee, Mrs. Estelle Derr, Chairman of Classes Committee, Mrs. Edgar Sheppard, Chairman of Service Committee, Mrs. Charles Goodin, Chairman of Recreation Committee, Mrs. Richard Nalle, Chairman of Finance Committee, Mrs. Mae Wohlschlagel.

On November 20th, the Neighborhood Conference of the Germantown district G. F. S will be held at St. Paul's Parish House and the Society will provide the supper. The last time St. Paul's G. F. S. had the privilege of entertaining the conference was seven years ago.

The Boy Scout Troop continues to grow in numbers and interest. Several boys are almost prepared to become first class scouts, and this represents considerable interesting study, pleasant work and association, and plenty of fun. Committeemen and friends have been taking an interest and have brought some profitable special features to the meetings. Such help is of great value to the troop and is much appreciated. Members of the Parish can be of material assistance to the troop if they will buy Christmas cards from the boys.

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The Flower and Vegetable Mission

The Mission has come to a close. It has been managed particularly well this year. The flowers have been es-

pecially beautiful and the work most efficiently done. Those in charge of the work are grateful to all who have had a part in it. Letters of appreciation from those who have received the flowers and vegetables have been most touching. The grateful thanks of the Parish go out to the following who generously contributed:

Mrs. A. A. Blair, Mrs. Robert Gledinning, Miss Katharine Wolf, Mrs. Randall Morgan, Mr. George Willing, Miss Mary Powers Harris, Mrs. E. Finletter, Mrs. George Huggins, Mrs. Frazer Harris, Mrs. Jay Cooke, II, Miss Eleanor Stewardson, Mrs. Edwin N. Benson, Mr. William Dick, Mrs. Randall, Mrs. Bruce Ford, Mrs. Charles Willing, Mrs. B. R. Marsden, Mrs. Kelsey, Mrs. P. Dickinson, Mr. A. Lea, Mrs. S. Morris, Mrs. B. F. Pepper, Mrs. M. Morgan, Mrs. F. A. Packard, Mrs. F. S. Whittaker, Mrs. T. M. Perot, Miss Mary Lovering, Mrs. Joseph Clark, Mrs. R. Nalle, Miss M. Hebard, Mrs. I. Starr, Jr., Miss Zebley.

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Employment

The Personnel Bureau is anxious to assist all unemployed members of the Parish and community in finding work, and applicants may register with the Parish Secretary any day during office hours. A personal interview is desired.

There remain on file many capable and experienced people in various occupations and it is hoped that those who are seeking employees will call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

Rooms for Rent

The Parish Secretary has a list of attractive rooms in good homes, convenient to the business district of Chestnut Hill, for rent at reasonable prices. Kindly call C. H. 0359.

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Typewriter for Church School

If anyone would care to give a typewriter to the Church School, it would be highly appreciated as the old one is nearly worn out.

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Teacher of Italian

An Italian priest of the Diocese offers to teach Italian or painting. Will those interested kindly call C. H. 0359 for further information.

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Church House for Rent

Two of the houses owned by the Church on Chestnut Avenue next to the Parish House are for rent. Mr. Birckhead's house is also for rent furnished for a year. Would any member of the Parish who knows of prospective tenants kindly telephone to Leonard W. Coleman, C. H. 1085.

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NOVEMBER KALENDAR

- 1 All Saints' Day
- 5 Twenty-First Sunday after Trinity
- 12 Twenty-Second Sunday after Trinity
- 19 Twenty-Third Sunday after Trinity
- 26 Sunday before Advent
- 30 St. Andrew—Thanksgiving Day

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Emma Case Stoeber
 Stacy Budd Campion Wood, Jr.
 William Stafford Masland
 Mary Cheston Stokes
 Henry John Morris
 Kathleen Stewart Craig
 Norma Frances Seitz
 Sidney Keith
 Paulding Phelps

Marriages

William Farnam Sanford and Janet Holliday Wear
 William Ezra Lingelbach, Jr., and Barbara Warden Strawbridge
 Charles Vinal Hulich and Alice Lalor Haines
 Francis D. W. Lukens and Emma Martyn George
 George Willing Pepper and Laura Jayne Wayne

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"An Insight"

"Oh, fellow-bearers of the load we did not choose, the load we fain would have some other carry if we could, remember this,—the burden bearers help the world along.

I know not how it is. I know not all the law. I am only sure of this,—the fight that each man fights behind his chamber door for courage and for patience and for faith, he fights not for himself alone, he fights for all mankind; he fights as one who is a helper of his kind, as a blood brother of that One who, in little Galilee, obscure, almost alone, was wounded for our transgressions and bruised for our iniquities, and who upon the cross became the Burden Bearer of the human race."

—Alexis Stein.

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Saints' Days—Holy Communion 7:30 A.M.

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In Our Extremity

THOSE who have read "Anthony Adverse" to a finish will have been touched by the sweetening of the hero's character after his terrible ordeal by fire. And yet the sweetening came not so much by fire as from his growing detection of a Purpose in the directing of his own footsteps and of those of all he met. It was this that utterly changed his nature and gave him a whole new set of values. Especially did it take away the impulse to grasp at life and in its place set a confidence so serene that he found in every circumstance thereafter an opportunity to enrich and fulfil it.

This is of course that veritable Faith in God for which we constantly are striving but rarely see realized so completely. The book has a lesson for these uncertain and fearful days. In his own extremity man finds the opportunity to solve life's riddle no longer through the policy of grasp and gain, but rather by waiting in patience to find out God's will for him and then with glad acquiescence helping it on with all his might.

The Parish Canvass

The Every Member Canvass is under way as the *Leaflet* goes to print. We have made a distinct effort this year through the canvassers to make a personal contact in every visit. The aim is to supplement the work of the clergy in helping every individual to feel that the Parish has something to contribute to him as well as asking for his contribution. In hard times that contribution cannot always be large in dollars, but it can always take the form of Church going and a lively interest in the Parish Program. We are, nevertheless, hoping to retain all our old friends and to receive also a large number of new contributors to help carry on the work at its present high standard.

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Congregational Singing

Everyone has noticed the improvement in congregational singing this year due to the fact that we are using familiar hymns every Sunday with the exception of the half dozen new hymns that we have undertaken to learn. The plan has worked so well that we shall certainly carry on along the same lines in 1934. The hymns learned in 1933 were 98, 158, 213, 339, 432. The new ones for 1934 will soon be announced.

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Parish Finances

As a result of the strictest economy and the hardest sort of work St. Paul's has a chance of keeping out of the red in 1933. But we are still behind-hand on our pledge to the Diocese

and General Church, and will need more money for our own needs also to finish up the year without a deficit. If normal income for the month of December is as good as it was in 1932 we shall probably still lack \$500 to \$700.

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Christmas Services

Our plans for Christmas services are similar to those in other years. We will start off with a Carol Service and a pageant, specially worked out for this occasion, on Sunday afternoon, December 24th, at 3.30. The Midnight Service will take place as usual, preceded by a half hour of singing in the Church. On Christmas Day, Holy Communion will be celebrated at eight and again at ten. We hope very much that families may come together at the ten o'clock hour. The service and the address will be designed with the family groups in mind. Christmas began by being a family day. Shall we not best continue its spirit by coming to worship the Christ Child all together?

The Offering at all services will be devoted to completing the Parish pledge for the work of the Diocese and the General Church. Church workers both at home and abroad are bearing the burdens of repeated salary cuts with cheerfulness and consecration. We must see to it that those who represent us on the frontiers and the out-of-the-way places are paid the full amount which has been promised them for the current year.

Christmas Dinners

In the past few years the people of St. Paul's have chosen to make Christmas a day of giving for others. Last year we distributed over 130 Christmas dinners to those in need at St. Barnabas' and in our own Parish. This year we plan to do the same thing. Dinners cost from three to five dollars. Those wishing to give one may secure tags indicating the number to be served in each family, after service on Sunday, December 17th, or send their checks to Mrs. B. Franklin Pepper, Crefeldt Street. Suggestive orders may be found at the American Store, the Piggly-Wiggly, and the A. & P. Donors are asked to have their baskets at the Parish House by ten o'clock on Saturday, December 23rd. All names will have been cleared through the Christmas Exchange.

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Church School Carol Service

The Christmas pageant service for the boys and girls of the parish will take place on Sunday afternoon, December 24th, at 3.30. The five scenes of this pageant will include Herod's court, the Nazareth home, outside the inn at Bethlehem, the Nativity, and the Presentation in the Temple. They will be presented by the members of last year's confirmation class and the church school choir. There will be no church school session on the morning of this day.

Thursday Afternoons

Boys in the fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth grades are eligible for a newly organized "Builders' Club" and

girls of the same grades are eligible for the Girls' Choir. Both of these groups meet under competent leadership on Thursday afternoons each week at four-fifteen.

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Organization Notes

This evening, (Dec. 10th) the *Young People's Fellowship* of the Young People's Division will present a Dramatic Service of Worship at the 5:30 service. The theme of this service is "The Advent, as seen by early prophets of Israel" and depicts the Annunciation Scene. A special service will be sponsored each month on the second Sunday at 5:30 by the Young People's Division.

The Woman's Auxiliary is making a special plea for donations with which to purchase the remainder of the articles to complete the box to be sent to an Indian missionary. This is an important part of the work of the Woman's Auxiliary to supplement the small salaries of those who work in our Mission Field. Checks may be sent to Mrs. Frazer Harris, Chestnut Hill.

Our *Boy Scout Troop* now has three boys who have advanced to the rank of first-class Scout. This is the result of loyalty and considerable effort. The Investiture Ceremony was attended by several parents and friends of the boys. A contest within the troop during the past month gave the boys much interest, amusement and advancement in scouting and resulted in a trip to the Poconos for three boys with the most credits.

In order to acquire funds for building a troop cabin, the boys are selling Christmas cards of excellent quality at reasonable prices. Patronage in this regard will be greatly appreciated.

The activities of the *Girls' Friendly Society* reached a high point last month in the entertainment of 200 G. F. S. members of the Germantown District at supper on November 20th on the occasion of the annual Neighborhood Conference which is held here every six or seven years. Recent meetings arranged by the Classes Committee have included a talk on "Personality" by Mrs. Hickok, and one on "Living Rhythmically" by Miss Kennell, illustrated by dance interpretations. The branch Christmas party will be held on Dec. 11th, and on Dec. 18th, the Society will give a Christmas party to the Children of the Chapel of Transfiguration in South Philadelphia. The society will reconvene on Jan. 8th with a covered dish supper.

The Woman's Friendly held their Annual Bazaar on Wednesday, December 6th. The Society is most grateful for the splendid support from the congregation in making the Bazaar a success. The proceeds will be used for charitable causes.

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PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Lindley Murray Cowperthwaite, Jr.
Frederic William Wilson Graham, III

Marriages

John George Newhall and Caroline
French Graham

Burials

William Henry Trotter
Susan G. Snyder
Nina L. B. Cooke
Robert Albert Ingraham

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Employment

The Personnel Bureau reports that during the past two weeks fourteen jobs, six of which are permanent, have been secured for needy members of the Parish and community. This is attributed to the excellent cooperation of St. Paul's people in the use and extension of this service. The Parish Secretary will be glad to interview any from the Parish who wish to apply for work during office hours at the Parish Office.

There are at present on file those who wish to offer their services as companions, governesses, practical nurses, cooking and serving, general housework by the day, typists, chauffeurs, and carpenters. All are well recommended and of high quality.

There is also a list of attractive rooms in good homes for rent at reasonable rates. Kindly apply to the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

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DECEMBER KALENDAR

- 3 First Sunday in Advent
- 10 Second Sunday in Advent
- 17 Third Sunday in Advent
- 21 St. Thomas' Day
- 24 Fourth Sunday in Advent
- 25 Christmas Day
- 26 St. Stephen's Day
- 27 St. John Evangelist
- 28 Holy Innocents

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Christmas and Christian Missions

INTO the despair of a world that had lost hope came a Child. His principal contribution to humanity was a Cross. It challenged attention. Men saw that unaided they could never have arrived at the conclusion that through self-sacrifice life achieves meaning and value.

Then they considered the Messenger. They began to recognize in Him the lineaments of God. His acts were the acts of God. His words were the words of God. Finally they discovered that through Him they too could gladly spend themselves.

So they needed Him. In fact His Friendship and Presence for them became a necessity. But it was equally a necessity for every man who wished to know Life at its highest and to live it at its best. Thus they became in turn messengers and associates of God in telling far and wide His great secret, "Don't save your life, lose it."

New Hymns for 1934

The singing of the congregation, as everyone will agree, has been far better during the past year than for a long time heretofore. The reason for it is undoubtedly the policy adopted last January of singing only familiar hymns with the exception of six hymns which were at that time announced and which the congregation were asked to learn during the coming months. Four out of the six we have learned will and take great joy in singing. Two of them we did very little with.

In pursuing the same plan for 1934 we are therefore adding these two to a new list together with four others all of which are well worth learning on account of their value as religious poetry and their musical quality. The numbers apply both to the Hutchins Hymnal (the one in the Church) and the Pension Fund Hymnal. Unfortunately, some of the tunes are only to be found in the Pension Hymnal. The selection of new hymns for 1934 is:

Hymn	Tune
74	Divinum Mysterium
155	Herz Liebster
161	Stabat Mater
213	Ein Feste Burg
433	Ton-y-Botel
525	St. Patrick

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1933 Finances

It is a great pleasure to be able to announce at this date that St. Paul's has passed through the difficult year 1933 in sound financial shape. We paid our full pledge of \$26,000 to the Diocese and all bills. This means that the Budget planned a year ago was put through with the exception of a radical economy in the appropriation for the Choir which since March 1st has carried on upon a reduced basis. In addition all charges from the Roberts' property were taken care of and \$3,000 paid off on the New Church loan. That we were able to do all this

has been due to the continued interest of an ever increasing number of contributors and their generosity in what may prove to have been the most difficult year of the depression. For the confidence which this support proves, the Rector, the Staff, and the Vestry have the highest appreciation.

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Report on Christmas Baskets

The amount of Christmas cheer distributed by the Parish through the subscription to dinner baskets was very considerable. Between 500 and 600 people ate Christmas dinner who would otherwise have gone without it. 89 baskets went to St. Barnabas', Kensington, where Mr. Eastburn testifies that the appreciation was as heartfelt as the need was desperate. 16 baskets were distributed in the neighborhood of Chestnut Hill. Due to the experience and efficiency of the Committee in charge an opportunity was given to every one who cared to subscribe. All requests for dinner baskets were filled. It was an eminently satisfactory undertaking.

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Report on Parish Canvass

We are happy to say even at this date that the number of subscribers for 1934 as well as the amount subscribed is slightly greater than last year. We have not yet attained the level of our 1932 giving, and of course the full budget figure has not even been approached but the returns to date are most encouraging.

The success of the work, however, has been more than financial. We have been in friendly touch with hundreds of people whom we believe to have been brought closer to the Church through the visit of the canvassers. The work was immensely facilitated by the careful planning and organization which the experience of years has brought to us, but it was the personal

interest of the canvassers that constitutes the great service rendered. To each one of these seventy-four, the Parish is most sincerely grateful.

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ORGANIZATION NOTES

The Church School

Missionary Education. During the Epiphany season the church school services and many of the classes will be centered around the thought of missionary work in Japan. On January 7th pupils will receive offering boxes for the work of the Church in Japan and on February 11th will be asked to bring them to the presentation service.

Mr. Takiguchi, a Japanese student at Alexandria Seminary, will speak to the school and visit its classes on February 4th.

Parent-Teacher Meeting. Parents of church school pupils are invited to attend a meeting of parents and teachers to be held on Wednesday, January 17th, at 8.15. The evening's schedule will begin by a brief meditation in the church and a presentation of plans for helping children of all ages to worship. Parents will then be asked to meet the teachers of their children in the various class-rooms in order to talk over the church school work informally.

Student Councils. During Advent representatives from thirteen classes in the upper school formed a student council, or an advisory board for the adults working in the church school. This group studied and presented to the school the needs on the mission field so that the classes might vote their money intelligently; they took charge of the Manger gifts on Christmas Eve; they suggested improvements for the services and organization of the school. Believing that by this means young people gradually assume responsibility for the work of the church, a second Council will be elected for Epiphany to help with the Lenten plans of the school.

The Young People's Division will

present an Epiphany Candlelight Service on Sunday evening, January 14th at 5.30. This will be a follow up of the Christmas pageant portraying the coming of the Wisemen.

The Rev. W. Brooks Stabler will speak to the *Young People's Fellowship* on Sunday, Jan. 28th on "An Introduction to Christian Ethics."

At a recent meeting of *The Woman's Friendly Society* it was voted that the proceeds from the Annual Fair amounting to \$200 should be distributed among various charity organizations of the city. On January 10th a covered-dish supper will be held at seven o'clock. The Diocesan supply work will begin at this time.

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Employment

The Personnel Bureau reports an increase in the demand for well-qualified, thoroughly trained young women to serve as cooks, waitresses, laundresses, and general houseworkers by day or week. Those wishing to register for work may interview the Parish Secretary from *ten to twelve o'clock on weekdays except Saturdays*.

Several exceptionally well-qualified, experienced, men desire work as chauffeurs, or carpenters, or odd jobs. They are connected with the Parish and very deserving of work. They are well recommended.

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Miscellaneous Notes

Roumfort Inn, Mt. Airy, offers attractive rooms with bath to rent with board at reasonable rates. Kindly telephone 1734.

The Chestnut Hill Community Center, 8419 Germantown Avenue, offers a free course in Home Nursing taught by a graduate Red Cross Nurse, beginning February first. Registration may be made now at the Community House or at the home of Mrs. Norman Taylor, Evergreen and Shawnee Street. It is hoped that all young girls, more particularly high school graduates, who desire positions as mothers'

helpers or child nurses, and all young mothers may enroll for the course.

New books especially on fiction, or school subjects which are in good condition are greatly needed at St. Agnes' Settlement House, Kensington. They may be left at the Parish Office any time during the week.

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Vacancies in Choir

There are three places in the choir training class open to boys ten years of age. All applicants should call on the choirmaster at four P. M. on Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday in the Choir House.

JANUARY KALENDAR

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| 1 | Circumcision (New Year's Day) |
| 6 | Epiphany |
| 7 | 1st Sunday after Epiphany |
| 14 | 2nd Sunday after Epiphany |
| 21 | 3rd Sunday after Epiphany |
| 25 | Conversion of St. Paul |
| 28 | Septuagesima |

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Charles Randolph Snowden

Henry Styer Grove III

Burials

Ethel Newbold Strong

W. Linton Landreth

A FRAMEWORK FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

The following suggestions for Private Prayer made in a recent sermon by the Rector seem to have answered a rather widespread need and are here reprinted in the thought that they may be helpful to some people who could not get to church on the day that the sermon was delivered.

1. *Tune in*—"Thou art my God."

Silence—	{ Repeat a Psalm (23, 121, 139) }	Resulting in an awareness of God
	{ Picture a scene in Nature }	

2. *Adoration*—"I love Thee

The Power which holds the Stars together.

The godlikeness of Jesus.

The "adorable" qualities of people.

3. *Confession*—"Unworthy to be called Thy Son."

A feeling of uncleanness—of having let God down.

of having injured others.

of having wronged self.

A realization of forgiveness.

4. *Intercession*—"And then for those our dearest."

In ever widening circles

those we live with.

the needs of our locality and city.

the nation—especially with reference

to the world—all of God's children

5. *Petition*—"Make me."

What does God want me to become?

What is the next step in my development?

6. *Thanksgiving*—"Thanks be to God."

in detail—

for what He has done all my life

and especially of late

things in which I share with others

special mercies to me

Close with a Hymn "Now thank we all"

or hum to yourself some inspiring tune

or say a few verses or a prayer especially valuable to you.

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Christ and Human Need

I AM a 'needy' person. I may have shelter, food, and warmth, friends, funds, and a task to perform, but I am constantly in need of other things such as encouragement, confidence, self-control, and peace. So I find that by myself I am incomplete. I cannot face life even for a day alone. But I am not ashamed of that. In fact if I enumerate my needs, I may become conscious enough of them to seek for help in fulfilling them.

Of course I know the sources to which to turn for an answer to some needs, personal sources, and medical sources, for instance. But I am a little less certain concerning the religious source of power. I read "My God shall supply your every need in His riches in glory by Christ Jesus." I am charmed by that Figure. He possesses my imagination. Others tell me that through the great traditional service of Christianity the service of His 'Body and Blood' I can take part with some assurance of drawing near to Him. That *may* be true. What I feel *sure* of is that my needs are very great and that He will help me with them if I give Him opportunity.

Dr. Russell H. Johnson

Chestnut Hill has known and loved the familiar figure of Dr. Russell Johnson for nearly ninety years. During his active days he brought healing and comfort to all who sought his help. To the Church he gave that devoted service of regular attendance which has made St. Paul's what it is. The men of his generation had an emotional faith in the institutions of established society. In a time of stress and change he represents the stability of character on which we found our hopes of a sound future. We shall miss his gentle presence while we thank God on every remembrance of what he was and did.

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Lent 1934

The card describing our Lenten Service is included herewith—it will show that this year we have taken a single subject around which to gather all our thoughts, the Holy Communion. The teaching in the Church School will center upon it, the talks on four Wednesday evenings will help us to enter more deeply into its meaning. We have done this in the thought that people will welcome further information concerning the central service of the Church and will appreciate the simplification of the season that a program with a focus always gives.

Ash Wednesday this year falls on February 14th. The date of Easter is April 1st.

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Coming Events in the Diocese

Annual Missionary Day of the Women's Auxiliary, Wednesday, February 21st, in the Church of the Holy Trinity. The program follows; 10:15 Holy Communion, followed by a sermon by the Rev. Joseph Fort Newton, D. D.; 11:45 "The Diocese: Its Needs and Opportunities" by Mr. Spencer Ervin, Vice-Chairman of the Executive Council of the Diocese; 12:15 Noon-

day Meditations and Intercessions, the Rev. Franklin Joiner; 12:45 Box Luncheon in Holy Trinity Parish House; 2 P. M. "The Opportunity of the Church in China," the Rev. John Magee of Shanghai, China; 2:45 "The Opportunity of the Church in the Rural Field," the Rev. Goodrich Fennner, of New York.

Lenten Talks at the Churchwomen's Club, 134 South 22nd Street, on Tuesday evenings at 8 P. M. beginning February 13th by the Rev. Leicester C. Lewis on "The Teaching of the Prayer Book."

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The Parish Canvass

It is a gratification to be able to report that both in number of pledges and amount subscribed we have run ahead of last year in our Every-Member Canvass. This is due to the generosity and fine loyalty of a great many people as well as the devoted labors of the canvassers. The figures for February 1st are:

1932	564 pledges	\$52,340.40
1933	712 "	\$46,581.70
1934	748 "	\$47,837.95

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The Pink Envelopes

The Rector has asked to have enclosed in the envelope boxes this year a pink envelope for each month through which gifts may be made to his Discretionary Fund. Every year the personal and unpredictable demands grow. He is often put to it to find funds to meet these demands. He hopes that no one will feel compelled to use it but assures all who wish to do so that the money will be carefully spent on those one hundred and one needs personal and otherwise that cannot be included in the budget.

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ORGANIZATION NOTES

The Woman's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church will hold weekly meetings

during the Lenten season on Friday mornings from 10:30 until noon beginning February 2nd. All the women of the Parish are members and are welcome. The purpose of the Auxiliary is to inform the members of the Church concerning the Church's program abroad, at home, and in the local Parish. Its work is the promotion of this program in answer to the needs that exist in each of these fields.

On Tuesday, February 6th, the Auxiliary Corporate Communion will be celebrated at 10:30, followed by the Quiet Day which will be conducted by the Rev. J. W. Suter, Jr., D. D. Lunch, 50c, at one o'clock in the Parish House. Kindly notify the Parish Secretary, C. H. 0359 to reserve a place.

On Shrove Tuesday, February 13th, the *Young People* of St. Paul's Parish will have a pancake supper at 6:30 followed by a service at seven o'clock to prepare for the Ash Wednesday Corporate Communion of this group. It is hoped that the pancake supper which has long been a Church tradition will become an annual event with the young people of this Church. But more important still is the desire that the Corporate Communion of the Young People will take on more meaning from time to time. The Ash Wednesday Communion Service will be held at 7:30 in order to give those going to school and business ample time after the Service.

Every year the *Girls' Friendly Society* interests itself in some particular part of the Church's work abroad. Last year it was China, this year it is Japan and the annual corporate gift is going to the leper hospital at Kusatsu to establish a home for the well children. On February 5th Miss Shizuko Nakamura, a student at Bryn Mawr, will address the branch. On February 19th and 26th addresses on the political situation in Japan, and on making Japanese gardens. On February 12th, both the Senior and Jun-

ior basket-ball teams are playing with other teams in the Springside gymnasium, which is being kindly loaned for the occasion, so the meeting will adjourn over there to cheer them on.

On February 7th, the *Woman's Friendly Society* will hold a Valentine party at eight o'clock in the Parish House. Members and their families and guests are invited.

The treasurer reports that a recent donation of \$25.00 was made by the Society to St. Michael and All Angels' Church, Philadelphia.

Church School

Parent Discussions. The last of the three Pre-Lenten parent meetings will be held Sunday, February 11th, at 10 o'clock in the Parish House. The discussion at this meeting will be based on the two previous lectures by Dr. Bond and on the question, "Our Children's Lent: Freedom and Discipline."

Presentation of Missionary Offering. The service of presentation for the missionary offering of the children will be held on February 11th at 9:30. All children are reminded to bring their offering boxes at this time. The Student Council of the Church School has planned a simple pageant for this service.

SAINT PAUL'S CHURCH SCHOOL*Receipts and Expenditures, 1933*

Received	\$ 1,426.24
Balance, Jan. 1, 1933	130.76
Expenses	\$1,557.00
St. Paul's Church, for general expenses	\$ 183.95
Coal, clergy salaries, etc	
St. Paul's Church, towards debt	44.71
Missions, special	217.20
Diocesan Missions, special	220.78
Lenten Offering	265.42
Supplies	28.78
Curtains, oilcloth, tables, etc.	
Flowers, for Primary and Children's	
Corner	16.27
Food	86.34
Breakfasts, Young People's suppers,	
Choir Boys' Easter Lunch, Christmas	
Boxes for Missions	31.78
Christmas Baskets	31.64
Bishop's Bricks Offering	11.58
Miscellaneous	69.70
Fees to visiting preachers, money for	
Family Society, Tax on checks, etc	
Total spent, January 1, 1933, through	
December 31, 1933	\$1,208.15
Balance, January 1, 1934	348.85
	\$1,557.00

Employment Notes

This month seventeen jobs, four of which are permanent, were filled by the Personnel Bureau operating in the Parish Office. This is a good record and it is hoped that members of the Parish and Community will continue to avail themselves of this service when in need of employment or employees. There is a demand for experienced, well-recommended cooks, waitresses and laundresses. Registration may be made by interviewing the Parish Secretary any weekday morning between ten and twelve o'clock except Saturdays.

There remain on file many well-qualified men who desire work as chauffeurs, carpenters, mechanics, or odd jobs. Kindly call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

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FEBRUARY KALENDAR

- 2 Purification B. V. M.
- 4 Sexagesima
- 11 Quinquagesima
- 14 Ash Wednesday
- 18 Quadragesima — First Sunday in Lent
- 24 St. Matthias
- 25 Second Sunday in Lent

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Walter Alwin Roth
 Sarah Hamilton McCandless
 Ann Graham Robb
 Edwin Graham Robb

Burials

Sarah S. Drovin
 Russell H. Johnson

Confirmations

Elizabeth Ann Butterworth, Helen B. Carmine, George Clay, Robert Clay, Anne Meredith Dickinson, Albert Harold Duffy, John Welsh Drayton, Jr., Jane Earle, Evelyn May Gager, Elizabeth Garrett, Mary Elizabeth Gaylord, Joseph Grant, Ann Kershaw, George R. Lobs, Jr., Grace Alice Monroe, Richard Tilghman Nalle, Jr., Eleanor Parkhill, George Lee Peabody, Madeleine Sherborne Potter, Thorp VanDusen Goodfellow, Frances Neall Repplier, Walter Alwin Roth, Florence Spencer Truitt, Philip Henry Ward, 3rd, Edgar Leslie Williams, Robert Stuart Wilmot, William Wilmot, Stephen D. Wright, Joseph Fulton Boyd, James B. Franks, Jr., Mary Louise M. Franks, Elizabeth Brown Hogg, Willie Moss Howe, Louisa M. N. Steeble, Emma Case Stoever, Mary McCook, Stokes, William Cheston Stokes, Jr., Rebecca Sharpless Watson, Arthur Norton Goodfellow, F. Russell Gonaver.

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"A Call to Christian Churchmen"

THIS is the title given by the Presiding Bishop to a "Church Wide Endeavor" to encourage every one of us to live up to the Faith we profess. He has worked out no elaborate, new venture but wisely urges us to lay greater emphasis on normal religious activities.

"I call upon you who are communicants of the Church," he says, "to make this Way of Life your own throughout the coming year. Find in the services of daily Morning and Evening Prayer, with the appointed lessons and psalms, help for your private devotions. Thus prepared, attend each week the public worship of the Church receiving regularly the Sacrament of Holy Communion. Let whole parishes concentrate their thought and work upon our Lord's special, missionary and sacramental purpose for His Church. Let there be carried from house to house and heart to heart the message of the same loving purpose, until flames of faith, of quickened conscience and devotion, burn with new light."

We shall want to do much about this "Call" as the year goes on. But by our special concern in Lent with the Holy Communion this Parish is already taking one important step toward the fulfilment of Bishop Perry's program.

Our Pledge for 1934

The Vestry, with the support of a meeting of the men of the Parish and another of the Woman's Auxiliary, has pledged \$26,000 for the work of the Diocese and General Church for 1934. This has been a daring step in view of the fact that the money is not yet in sight but we have always been able to raise it in the past and hope to do so again this year. There can be no doubt that the need is greater than ever before. The payments of nearly every Diocese in 1933 fell far below its stated expectation so that the National Church is starting 1934 with a debt of half a million dollars and the compulsion upon it to do much better this year unless valuable work in the field is to be given up.

That the Church can count on us to do our part is a tremendous satisfaction. May St. Paul's in China and Alaska during the coming year do God's work with just as great enthusiasm as we try to do it here at home.

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Holy Week

As Holy Week does not begin until March 25th the Parish will be notified of our plans by printed cards about the middle of the month.

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News About the Parish

The *Lenten Books* are going better this year than for some years previous. We have even brought up a number of books recommended in former years from the Parish Library to fulfil the demand. The Fireside Book Shop also reports many sales.

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It is pleasant to report that owing to the increased duties of the *Parish Office* several girls have come in on part time to relieve Miss Kennell of some of her work. When we added the Employment Bureau to her al-

ready heavy schedule the activities began to become too numerous. The new plan has greatly relieved the situation.

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The *Every Member Canvass* which is not yet complete has brought in \$48,068.95 from 756 pledges, an increase of \$1,312.25 and of 35 pledges over last year.

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Inter-Church-School Meeting. On February sixth, the leaders of religious education in the community met in the parish house to consider common problems. Representatives from six Chestnut Hill churches attended the meeting. Weekday education, leadership training, and the problem of moving pictures in our community were discussed. Another meeting of this group will take place in April.

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ORGANIZATION NOTES

Church School

Sunday Extended Session. The Extended Session of the Church School during Lent has an enrollment of nearly one hundred pupils. As one goes from class to class and finds the Kindergarten making flower pots for the altar on Easter Sunday afternoon; the first grade constructing the town of Nazareth; the second, third and fourth grades working on plays depicting Bible stories; and the fifth grade working on Bible texts in manuscript writing, one gains a sense that these children are having both religious and interesting experiences in their Church School life. We are fortunate in having the assistance of Mr. Fred H. Robinson, art instructor at Chestnut Hill Academy, and of Miss Cecilia Sewell, of the Chestnut Hill School of Music in some of the classes of this session.

Thursday Extended Session. Boys in Grades five, six, seven, and eight may enroll for a training class for servers which meets at 4:15 on Thursday afternoons and girls of these grades may enroll for a training class for altar guild workers meeting at the same time. The 5 o'clock service of evening prayer on Thursdays will have special meaning for Church School members.

Good Friday Service. The 9:30 service for Church School members on Good Friday will include a dramatic production of the Good Friday and Easter story. The production is called "Thy Kingdom Come" and will be presented by the Young People's Group of the Church School. The service will be suitable both for children and for adults, and it is hoped that many families may attend this service together.

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Girls' Friendly Society

On account of blizzards on two Mondays in February part of the February program will be transferred to March. March 5th, Mothers' Supper—moving pictures of the Chicago Fair by the Philadelphia Electric Company. March 12th, "How to Make a Japanese Garden." March 19th, Mrs. J. McA. Harris, "Current Events." March 26th, Lenten Talk, Mrs. E. Y. Allen.

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The Woman's Auxiliary

The Woman's Auxiliary is the organization in the Church to which every woman in the Parish belongs and in which she may find a practical way of backing up the Church's work. With the Parish she may extend her interest to the needy corners of our diocese, the work among the mountain whites, negroes and Indians, and further still help the efforts of our

missionaries in different parts of the earth, to combat Atheism, Materialism, Communism, poverty, sickness, and famine. The problems of the Far East are much the same as those at our very door. Everywhere there is need. Nowhere can we turn our backs and say it is not our responsibility. Because of the pressure of the times there is tremendous danger that even the work we have begun may have to be given up in many places. The National Council reports the staggering deficit of \$500,000 for this coming year, the United Thank Offering, the Special Woman's Offering, which supports women workers in many fields, is far behind. Let every woman in our church assume her share and see if together we cannot conquer the difficulties which beset us.

During February the Woman's Auxiliary heard from Mr. Tyler about the work among the Indians at Ethete, Wyoming, from Father Parker of the work among the mountain whites at St. Andrew's School, Tennessee, from Mrs. Hill and Miss Deane about the way the Woman's Auxiliary functions, from Mrs. Warren about several of the books on the Lenten reading list, from Mrs. William Jefferys about some of the opportunities for social service in the diocese. Every woman in the Church is invited to the meetings which will take place Fridays at 10:30 till Holy Week, after that on the first Friday of April and May.

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Notes from the World Field

The Bishop of Dornakal, India, had fifty-three confirmations within a year, confirming 3,054 persons. Massachusetts, New York and Pennsylvania are the only American dioceses in which this number of persons confirmed was exceeded.

Twenty of the necessary thirty-six states had ratified the proposed Child

Labor Amendment, by the middle of January. Before the end of 1932 it had been ratified by Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Montana and Wisconsin. A small leaflet, The Child Labor Amendment, answering questions about this proposed enabling act, may be obtained from the National Child Labor Committee, 419 Fourth Avenue, New York.

The consecration of the Ven. Archbishop Land Fleming as first bishop for the new Canadian diocese of the Arctic took place in the Cathedral Church of St. John, Winnipeg, on St. Thomas Day. Bishop Rowe was among those taking part, "the Lord Bishop of Alaska, U. S. A.," as the Canadian paper said.

The diocese of the Arctic stretches right across the northern part of Canada from Yukon to Hudson Bay, bordered on the north by the North Pole. There are about 10,000 Eskimos, white people and Indians in the area.

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The Needs at St. Barnabas'

Mr. Eastburn reports that this has been the most difficult winter he has had to face since he began his ministry at St. Barnabas': The slight improvement in business conditions has not affected Kensington in any marked degree and there has been suffering from cold and sickness. The principal needs are for clothes, furniture, and money for coal and shoes. Any member of St. Paul's who cares to help may send checks to Mr. Peabody with directions as to their wishes.

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Experienced knitters desired by private enterprise for piece work. Phone C. H. 0742.

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The Personnel Bureau reports vacancies for experienced cooks, waitresses and laundresses for full-time and part-time work. Those wishing to apply may interview the Parish Secretary any weekday morning between ten and twelve o'clock except Saturdays.

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Anyone interested in the Dude Ranch run by the Rev. Barrett P. Tyler, D. D., at Ethete, Wyoming, may obtain information about it from the Parish Secretary.

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MARCH KALENDAR

- 4 3rd Sunday in Lent.
- 11 4th Sunday in Lent
- 18 Passion Sunday.
- 25 Palm Sunday.
- 26 Monday before Easter.
- 27 Tuesday before Easter.
- 28 Wednesday before Easter.
- 29 Maundy Thursday.
- 30 Good Friday.
- 31 Easter Even.

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Burials

Susan Virginia Thompson
Edgar Wright Baird
Elizabeth Cuthbert Roberts Wyatt

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Christianity and the New Deal

"CHRISTIANITY has a great deal to do with the economic and social conditions of the world. They are very much the concern of the Church, of the Church's ministers, and of all Christian men. It has always been recognized in our own communion that this world and its affairs are God's concern, and therefore that they must be the concern of God's Church. That is partly due to the great place that the study of the New Testament has always had in our Church, bringing home to us the sense of the real humanity of the Lord Jesus. Therefore, whether we realize it or not, it makes us feel that human beings as such are of concern to God. It is the Church's business to claim all human life for God and to consecrate it to the highest aims.

"Even if you think of religion and the Church's work in the narrowest way, even if you put it, as a great many great men have put it in the history of Christendom, that the business of the Church is the salvation of souls and the preparation of men for Heaven, it still remains true that social and economic conditions have a very great effect upon the salvation of souls. You and I have no right to kneel down and say our prayers in a sense of gratitude to God that He has saved us, while there are men and women living in conditions of poverty or disillusionment and despair which make it almost impossible for them to keep the moral law, and live the moral life. Economic and social conditions are very much the concern of Christian ministers and the Christian Church."

—From an address by the Rev. A. E. Baker, B. A., Vicar of St. Michael-le-Belfrey, York, England, before the Church Club of Philadelphia, February 19, 1934.

Church Congress April 17 to 20

The Church Congress of our Church is meeting in Philadelphia this month. It is an organization, liberal in origin, but including all phases of thought in the Church. People will come from all over the country both to read papers and to hear them. Some of the subjects will be "In What Sense Do We Wish Christendom to Be Reunited?" and "What Is the Relation of the Church to Social Change?" On Thursday, April 19th, at the Conference dinner "The Relationship of the Clergyman, the General Physician, and the Psychiatrist" will be discussed by three quite outstanding speakers. Further notices will be available later on. It is hoped, however, that some St. Paul's people may care to go at any rate to the Thursday evening meeting.

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Holy Week and Easter Day

We have rarely had a more significant Passion-tide season. The varied quality of the services seemed to have appealed to many people. The congregation rose to a climax on Good Friday and Easter Day, surpassing even the fine enthusiasm of last year.

The Parish will wish to thank all those who helped to make the services of the Church and the Church School so effective. St. Paul's is unusually blest by the large number of those who can be called upon to take responsibility. They rise to the heights, however, at Easter-tide.

The Offering which will be devoted to paying off the debt on the New Church amounted to \$2,159.72.

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The Choir

The beauty of Holy Week and Easter was vastly enhanced this year by the fine work of our choir. Mr. Howes and every member of the organization

are to be highly commended for the long, patient work of practice and drill which has brought them up to such a fine point of artistic skill. The polyphonic music of Palestrina and Victoria in which they now sing so well has elicited favorable comments both from musicians and from others who pretend to know a little about music. But the best thing about their work is its very evident religious tone. It is for this reason that they are a true inspiration to the congregation whose singing they both lead and encourage.

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Altar Flowers

The flower list in the vestibule of the Church shows vacancies for these Sundays: May 13th, July 1st, 15th, 22nd, 29th, September 2nd, 9th, and December 23rd. Would any one who would care to give flowers on any of these occasions, kindly inform the Parish Secretary or Mrs. Hamilton Disston.

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April Appeal

It has been our habit for the last five years to make an appeal in April for the completion of our current budget and for the debt on the New Church. We plan to do this again in spite of the fact that we did so finely on our Every Member Canvass last December. The Vestry hopes to secure \$20,000 and is appointing Sunday, April 29th, as the day on which the congregation is asked to make their gifts for this necessary cause.

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ORGANIZATION NOTES**The Woman's Auxiliary**

The Woman's Auxiliary will have two more meetings, one on Friday, April 6th, and the last of the season on May 4th. Every woman in the

Parish is invited through the Woman's Auxiliary to take an active interest in the Church's work and those who listened this past month to Father Parker of St. Andrew's tell about his work in Tennessee, to Miss Dean about the conditions among the Italians in Philadelphia, Miss Haines on her summer among the Indians, Miss Lustgart about her missionary life in China, have a far broader idea of what the Church stands for than they had before. We owe it to our missionaries to give them a hearing and to back them up with our interest and our prayers so that we really are accomplishing something even if we sit with folded hands when we come to the Auxiliary meetings.

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Girls' Friendly Society

One of the greatest advantages of belonging to a society which is Diocesan and National is the wider association which brings us so many interesting things outside our own little circle. One of our members was a delegate to the Social Service Supper at which Miss Charlotte Carr, Secretary of the Department of Labor at Harrisburg and Mr. Victor Abel of the Philadelphia Housing Commission spoke. The annual Service which will be held at Holy Trinity on April 24th will bring all the branches together and the rector, Mr. Howard Weir, will preach the sermon. The position of head waitress at the Holiday House at Cape May has been offered to one of our members and others will go there for a week or two at a time this summer.

On May 12th at the Germantown Y. W. C. A. all the branches will get together for a spring frolic which will include among other attractions a swimming meet, and a show of fashions, ancient and modern.

The Young People's Department

The Young People's Executive Committee will be busy this month planning a dance to be given in the early spring. Notice later will be given of exact date and all young people in the Parish are urged to attend. Watch for the date.

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The Woman's Friendly Society

A card party will be given by the Woman's Friendly Society in the Parish House, Wednesday, April 11th, at eight o'clock. Tickets 35c. All members of the Parish are invited to attend.

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DIOCESAN NOTES

The Annual Spring Presentation Service of the United Thank Offering will be held this year in St. Clement's Church, 20th and Cherry Streets, on Thursday morning, May 3, at 10.30 o'clock. Dr. Frederic S. Fleming, Rector of historic Old Trinity Church, New York, will preach the sermon.

The Dramatic Committee of the Junior Woman's Auxiliary is presenting a mystery play, "The House of a Thousand Thrills," by Leslie Browning in each of the Convocations during April and May. The proceeds will go to the work of the Unemployment Relief Committee of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese. Every Convocation is represented in the cast. The Germantown Convocation play will be held in the Parish House of Christ and St. Michael's Church, Thursday, April 19, at 8.15 P. M. Admission 50c.

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A public Service of Commemoration of the 150th Anniversary of the Diocese of Pennsylvania will be held on the afternoon of Monday, April 30, at 4 o'clock, and a Pre-Convention Diocesan Mass Meeting that same evening at 8 o'clock. Invitations to partic-

ipate in the Service and the Mass Meeting have been extended by Bishop Taft to the Bishops of nine Dioceses whose early history is closely related to the Diocese of Pennsylvania.

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He Knew Bishop Hare

Among the Dakota Indians whose picturesque names are familiar to Church people, Paul Yellowbear has been one of the best known. Now comes word of his death in Bismark, North Dakota, on February 12, at the age of 69. He was an Indian judge and orator, won to the Church long ago through White Eagle, who was himself a friend and disciple of Bishop Hare. Paul Yellowbear became dean of the Indian Convocation of North Dakota and has been respected and loved these many years.

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Home Rule in the Chinese Church

The eighth triennial Synod of the Chinese Church (Chung Hua Sheng Kung Hui) meets in Wuhu April 21 to 29. At the 1931 Synod there were 17 bishops, of whom five were Chinese. Including bishops and clerical and lay deputies, there were 95 present, of whom 61 were Chinese. Bishop Norris of North Dakota is Presiding Bishop.

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Employment

This has been a record month for the Personnel Bureau with over thirty jobs listed and twenty-four filled, constituting permanent and constructive relief for five families. The cooperation of the members of the Parish in the extension of this work is most gratifying. Unfortunately the demand for qualified people has exceeded the list of those registered and it is hoped that those in the Parish or Community of Chestnut Hill in need of work will avail themselves of the opportunity to

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Wanted

Rummage, clothing, furniture, bric-a-brac, books, etc., needed for the Economy Shop operating at the Chestnut Hill Community House. Articles may be left at the Community House, 8419 Germantown Avenue, any time.

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PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Charles William Latta III

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Burials

Edmund Waterman Dwight
William N. Morice

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APRIL KALENDAR

- 1 Easter Day
- 2 Easter Monday
- 3 Easter Tuesday
- 8 1st Sunday after Easter
- 9 Annuciation
- 15 2nd Sunday after Easter
- 22 3rd Sunday after Easter
- 25 St. Mark
- 29 4th Sunday after Easter

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The Joy and Pain of Growth

THE Presiding Bishop of the Church has proposed a task for Episcopalians that demands the best thought we possess. "What," he asks, "is the purpose of God for the Church today?"

With this question in mind during the past month I have tried on Sunday mornings to rehearse some of the Church achievements through history in the hope of bringing the consciousness of a great past to bear upon the confidence with which we face an inscrutable future. Hitherto, the secret of the Church's success has lain in the assurance of victory which Christians brought to bear upon every problem with which life presented them.

How may Christians in this day continue to make that all-conquering attitude their own? Shall it not be by an unhesitating declaration that this is God's world, that his purpose for it is discoverable, and that as we begin to learn what our part in it is we shall find that many cherished ideas must be revised, some even replaced, in order that the society which we eventually produce may be more, not less, in line with the mind of Christ. To be a Christian involves us ever in the growing pains of progress, but it is worth all we are asked to pay. "If any man is in Christ he is a new creation: old things are passed away; behold they are become new." M. E. P.

Whitsuntide

On Whitsunday we remember the founding of the Church by the coming of the Holy Spirit, but we also realize the power and strength of the church today because of God's constant outpouring of that Spirit. The usefulness of the church is maintained by His continual Presence in it and by the fact that we give ourselves to Him. It is by God's care for the Church and the response of such people that the Holy Spirit accomplishes its work.

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ORGANIZATION NOTES

The Woman's Auxiliary held its final meeting Friday, May the fourth. The first Friday in October will be the time of the next meeting. During the past year many new people have become interested in the Woman's Auxiliary. It is hoped that the first fall meeting will find others who wish to take an active part.

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The Woman's Friendly Society will have their annual supper Wednesday, May the sixteenth, at six-thirty P. M. The price of admission will be fifty cents and tickets may be bought from any of the members. It is hoped there will be a large attendance.

The closing meeting of the Woman's Friendly will be Tuesday, May the twenty-ninth.

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The young people's division, which has been meeting on Sunday even-

ings during the past year, will have a spring dance on Friday, May the eighteenth, from nine to twelve P. M. All young people of the parish are cordially invited to attend. The admission will be twenty-five cents per person. Tickets may be secured from members of the young people's group.

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The Church School Executive Committee

During the year twelve parents, teachers, and officers meet every Tuesday morning to consider the plans and program of the School. Through the creative thinking of this group the work of the School is evaluated and plans are proposed for the coming season. Recently a curriculum committee has been appointed to analyze more thoroughly the course of study of the School and to prepare information for the parents of pupils in the various grades. The report of this committee will be given in the fall when it is hoped that materials about the curriculum will go into the homes.

Among the questions which the entire Executive Committee have discussed during the year are:

How can we help boys and girls to enter with appreciation into the service of the Holy Communion?

What is worship for Primary boys and girls?

How can Church School offerings be made more real to the pupils?

What relation have allowances to children's education in regard to the proper use of money?

What is the most effective program for our pupils in grades nine and above?

What can we do to increase co-operation of religious education workers in our community?

Out of these problems have grown such activities as a series of curriculum materials on the Holy Communion for our Junior School, the development of a service in the church for the primary department, a parents' meeting on the question of money offerings, and an evening session of young people meeting regularly every Sunday night.

Meetings of religious education leaders in the various churches of our community.

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Girls' Friendly Society

When May arrives we know it is time to prepare for our annual garden party and sale which will be held as in previous years at Mrs. Nalle's lovely place on East Bell's Mill Road. Our patrons in the past have been mostly children and the party is for them particularly, but we wish more of the older people would drop in. They would find at our flower table little plants and seedlings from a prize winning garden at very moderate prices, home made cake and candy whose excellence we can vouch for, also tea towels, toys, ice cream and lemonade. Orders would be gladly

received beforehand. The date will be either the first or second Saturday in May.

The youngest members of the Girls' Friendly Society are the candidates. They meet once a week under the leadership of Mrs. Arthur Crosby, Mrs. David Lawson, and Mrs. Adam Schaeffer. Once a year the older members invite the older candidates to have supper with them. This event took place on the first Monday in May and fifty odd younger and older members sat down to a covered dish supper in the parish house. The entertainment for the evening was a Japanese play given by the candidates and movies taken in Japan. The mission study for the year was about Japan and the offering from all branches goes to a Home for the children of lepers in Kusatsu.

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The Triennial Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, meeting in October in Atlantic City, is to have two introductory addresses, one on World Conditions, the other on The Resources of the Church. On three later dates there will be three other addresses, on Missions, Christian Citizenship, and The Life of the Spirit or personal religion. The theme which summarizes all this thinking is, "If we be His disciples. . . . The Reverend Dr. Frank Gavin, Dr. Vida Scudder, and the Reverend Dr. Howard C. Robbins are among the speakers. Following the three addresses there will be small conference groups to discover and discuss the practical application of these ideas in the programs of parish and diocesan Auxiliaries.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Leslie Agnes Jasmine Woods

Burials

Mary W. Royal Carpenter

Marriages

Richard Davis Woods II and
Josephine Virginia Coleman

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MAY KALENDAR

- 1 St. Philip and St. James.
- 6 Fifth (Rogation) Sunday after
Easter.
- 10 Ascension Day (Thursday).
- 13 Sunday after Ascension.
- 20 Whitsunday.
- 21 Whitsun Monday.
- 22 Whitsun Tuesday.
- 27 Trinity Sunday.

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Wanted!

Coupe or roadster in good condition
for member of church staff. Not to
exceed \$200.00. Inquire at Parish
Office. Che. 0359.

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Student Program

The Christian Association of the
University of Pennsylvania is now
conducting its annual appeal. The
chaplain for the Episcopal students is
the Reverend William B. Stimson who
has recently been secured and is well
qualified for this work. The carrying
out of the University student program
is dependent upon the generosity of
interested church people in our dio-
cese.

The Liberal Evangelicals

The second annual conference of
the Liberal Evangelicals of the Church
will be held at the Philadelphia Di-
vinity School June fourth and fifth.
Programs for this conference may be
secured in the church porch. The
Liberal Evangelical movement was
started some years ago in the Church
of England and has been a real force
for good since its founding. The same
movement in America is only in its
second year but promises to be a leav-
ening force of great worth. Some of
those scheduled for the program are:
The Reverend W. Russell Bowie,
D. D., rector of Grace Church, New
York, chairman of the movement; the
Very Reverend Henry B. Washburn,
D. D., Dean of the Episcopal Theo-
logical Seminary, Cambridge, Mass-
achusetts; The Reverend Howard C.
Robbins, D. D., General Theological
Seminary, New York. All meetings
will be open to the public and will be
held in the chapel of the Philadelphia
Divinity School. It will be necessary
to register Monday, June 4th, nine to
eleven, but there is no charge.

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Employment Bureau

The employment agency will be
available throughout the summer
months. All those interested in secur-
ing positions or desiring to employ
help of any kind should communicate
with the parish office. A position is
desired by a woman of mature years
as companion to an elderly person.

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HAMMOCKS AND HASSOCKS

WE are all a little like the School Ma'am who said that the way she managed to be an example for ten months was by becoming a warning for two! The reason for our resemblance to the lady lies in our discovery that we *must* relax, as much as our jobs will let us, for four full months in order to maintain the pace required for the other eight. This is not a theory. It has become an established habit.

But the habit is still new, too new to have given us time to become adjusted to it. We have yet to learn how to relax decorously. We are pretty good workers but the fine art of relaxation is as yet a mystery. It should include, of course, midday slumber in the hammock. But there is more to it than that, for sound relaxation requires a plan just as work does, only the plan is different. Don't let us leave out of it Worship during the green tree months. Holiday Sundays without any thought of God makes life poorer, not happier.

Then there is something to be said for a bit of reading. There will be plenty of "unforgiving minutes" begging for employment. The Parish Library is full of books. Why not take one out for the summer, a book on "A Faith That Works," a book on "The Church and the Industrial Crisis," one devotional in nature by E. Stanley Jones or Bowie's life of "The Master"? Should we seek fresh provender Secretary Wallace's "Statesmanship and Religion" will supply that, and hot off the press too. In any case, may we not plan to run our summer instead of letting it run us? It will prevent us from being something less troublesome than a warning and something more valuable than an example.

SUMMER PLANS

Services will be held on Sundays during the summer at the usual hours: 8, 9.30 and 11.00. One of the clergy will be continually in charge and expects to be called upon for parish duties. St. Paul's wishes to be of service to her people every day of the year.

The Rector will be on duty until July 15th when Mr. Warren will return from his vacation. The Parish Office will be open until this date. After July 15th those who wish to get in touch with Mr. Warren may find him at his house or call C. H. 1031.



ST. BARNABAS', KENSINGTON

An appeal was made in March for funds to supply emergencies at St. Barnabas'. A number of people very kindly responded and the amount received was \$297.00. Mr. Eastburn has spent \$85.00 on men's, women's and children's clothes, \$12.00 for coal, \$34.00 for food orders, \$25.00 for milk. Since "The Welfare" has supplied new clothing, none of this has gone to the people on the Welfare list. The money that remains will be spent in part for milk for undernourished children. Mr. Eastburn wants to thank every one who has contributed to this fund. It has enabled him again and again to meet the pressing needs of his people.



THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Commencement

Commencement for the Church School was held June 10th, at 11 o'clock. At this time five members will graduate from the twelfth grade of the school: Mary Barbara Bishop, William Henry Hay, 2nd, Thomas Heaton, Carl Liberg and Margaret Wilmot. An exhibit of work and copies of the Church School curriculum for the year were in the vestibule of the church on this day.

In the Fall

An all-day meeting of the Church School Executive Committee was held on Monday, May 28th. The following are some of the recommendations which were made at this meeting for next year's curriculum:

1. That more stress be laid on the teaching of the Christian Seasons in connection with the life of our Lord, in the Seventh Grade.
2. That there be included in the Sixth Grade a unit on the organization of the Episcopal Church.
3. That since the Eighth Grade is in general the confirmation age group the emphasis of that year be as personal as possible.
4. That the parents be asked to assist with memorization of parts of the services and of the Bible.

Summer Activity

Religious activity for family groups during the summer months might take one of the following forms:

Visiting church schools of other denominations and in other cities to gain suggestions for our own organization.

Constructing a map of Palestine on the seashore or in a field, and so being able to trace the journeys of our Lord.

Visiting a mission school while traveling to summer resorts.

Making gifts to be sent in our Christmas box, which will go to the Church School of Coleraine, Minnesota.

Making a book of snap-shots of different kinds of church architecture.

Read one of the following books available in the Church School Office:

Primaries: Fox, H. W. "Tales From the Old Testament."

Juniors: Appleton, E. R. "An Outline of Religion for Children."

Young People: Axling, William "Kagawa."

UNION SERVICE SCHEDULE

The Union Services on Sunday evenings will be held in the respective churches of Chestnut Hill at 8 P. M., according to the following schedule.

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| July | 1—Presbyterian (Trinity) |
| | 8—Methodist Episcopal |
| | 15—St. Paul's |
| | 22—Baptist |
| | 29—Lutheran |
| August | 5—St. Paul's |
| | 12—Methodist Episcopal |
| | 19—Presbyterian (Trinity) |
| | 26—Baptist |
| Sept. | 2—Lutheran |

It is hoped that St. Paul's may send her fair representation. Those who have gone in the past have gained a lot from worshipping with the brethren.



GENERAL CONVENTION

The next meeting of the General Convention of our Church takes place in the Autumn at Atlantic City. For the opening service on Wednesday, October 10th, Bishop Taitt hopes to have large numbers of the members of the Diocese present. The round trip will cost five dollars for adults, and three dollars for children. Mr. B. W. Frazier has been designated as the Chairman of the "pilgrimage" for this Parish. He will be glad to have any who are interested apply to him for further information.



ORGANIZATION NOTES

The Woman's Friendly Society closed another successful year on Tuesday, May 29th. Supper was served and games were played during the evening. This year the Society has done a large amount of sewing for the Diocesan Supply Bureau and St. Michael's and All Angels Home for colored crippled children. They have also contributed generously to the Convalescent Home for Consumptives and the Rector's Discretionary Fund.

The first meeting of the fall will be held on Wednesday, October 24th.

The Men's Bible Class. A Memorial Service on Sunday evening, May 27th, with full choir, constituted the last session of the Class for this year. The members who have died during the past fourteen years were memorialized.

The Class has carried on as usual this year, meeting every Sunday at 2.15 P. M. It has especially benefited under the leadership of the Rector.

The Women's Bible Class, meeting every Sunday morning after the 9.30 Service, has just completed their first year. They have studied the Old Testament and the New Testament in relation to everyday life. The members of the Class wish to thank their teacher, Miss Helen Zebly, for her helpfulness.

The Servers' Guild held a supper meeting Sunday evening, June 3rd. The summer schedule was arranged and the Junior Guild inaugurated. The three new Junior servers are Thomas Brunt, Jefferson Craig and Thomas Ellison. They will serve at the 10.20 Primary Service. Harry Kurtz received the medal this year for completing a full year's service.

The Girls' Friendly Society. The annual garden party took place on June 2nd with a large number of people attending, among whom were members of other branches, some from St. Barnabas' Church, and from the Bethesda Home. The last meeting of the season will be a picnic on June 18th, starting at 5.30 from the Parish House.

The Holiday House at Cape May will open its season with a week-end conference for older members and associates to which five of our branch are going. Others of the branch will go as guests for one week or two during the summer.



JUNE KALENDAR

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| 3 | 1st Sunday after Trinity. |
| 10 | 2nd Sunday after Trinity. |
| 11 | St. Barnabas. |
| 17 | 3rd Sunday after Trinity. |
| 24 | St. John Baptist. |
| | 4th Sunday after Trinity. |
| 29 | St. Peter. |

THE FLOWER MISSION

The Committee which runs the Flower and Vegetable Mission is again being organized to carry on the helpful work of collecting and distributing flowers and vegetables to those who live in the city all summer long.

Anyone who is interested in contributing either flowers, vegetables, or their services are asked to send the former to the Parish House before ten o'clock on Wednesday, June 20th, when the Flower Mission opens, or their names to the Parish Office, telephone, C. H. 0359.



EMPLOYMENT NOTES

The Personnel Bureau reports that during the months from October, 1933, to June, 1934, 123 placements were made, 29 of which are permanent. This represents the most active period of its existence, with a 50% increase in the number of jobs over 1931 and 1932.

This Bureau was created in 1931 as an Emergency Service Agency to meet the unemployment situation in the Parish and Chestnut Hill. It has been carried on in the Parish Office in addition to the regular duties and no registration fee has been charged. The excellent co-operation of the members of the Parish and community has brought about the extension of this service and enabled the Church to meet the needs of the people in a constructive way. The results have been most gratifying and the Staff wishes to thank all who have been actively interested in this project.

The Bureau will continue to function throughout the summer. After July 15th the Rev. Matthew Warren will be in charge. Tel. C. H. 1031.

The following are now available:

Companions, governesses, and practical nurses, who are members of the Parish.

Women to cook, serve, or do general housework by the day. Experienced, good references.

Seamstresses who will restyle old dresses and do sewing of any kind.

Well trained men and women to do typing, clerical, and social-secretarial work.

An expert floor finisher who will lay, scrape, and finish parquet and hardwood floors, rebuild old floors and stairs.

Well-recommended men for positions as chauffeurs, mechanics, carpenters, or general work of any kind.



PARISH REGISTER

Marriages

John Wister Wurts and Mary Vaux Buckley Zantzing.



NOTES FROM THE CHOIR-HOUSE

The choir music library has recently acquired copies of three new services. The first, Palestrina's "Missa Aeterna Christi Munera," is one of the most inspired works of this great composer. The second is the "Missa Brevis in E Flat," by the distinguished contemporary Canadian organist, Healey Willan, of Toronto. "A Short Communion Service, Mainly in the Phrygian Mode," by Sir Charles Wood, is well representative of present day English church composition. These services will all be sung next fall.

One of the most significant contributions to church music is a book entitled "Protestant Church Music in America," by Dr. A. T. Davison, of Harvard. It is valuable not only to the trained musician, but also to the general reader.

On Whitsunday the gold cross was awarded to Richard Tudor for his four years of excellent work in the choir. Thomas Blair, who received the award one year ago, was given the privilege of wearing his cross on a red ribbon in recognition of an additional year of distinguished service.

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THE PROXIMITY OF GENERAL CONVENTION

IT is rarely that the triennial meeting of General Convention, the law-making and deliberative assembly of our Church, takes place at our very doors. But that is to be the case this year when General Convention opens at Convention Hall, Atlantic City, with a great service at eleven o'clock on Wednesday, October 10th. Our Bishop has planned a pilgrimage by the people of the Diocese to this service, details concerning which appear on a special sheet (enclosed with this copy of the Leaflet), together with an outline of principal events. A number of people from St. Paul's are already planning to go. It will be a great experience to see the full leadership of the Church in procession and to worship with those who have come from the earth's four corners.

The General Convention of 1934 will be especially memorable as having faced the very difficult problem of "How to carry forward the Church's work in a time of transition and stress?" Its meetings will be well worth following in the daily prints and in the more trustworthy "Living Church Daily," for which subscriptions will be taken each Sunday at the church door. Let us all remember General Convention in our prayers. I hope that a good many of us may grasp the opportunity to attend its meetings. The Church, like the state, lives by the vital concern that her members have in her welfare.

**SPECIAL PREACHERS
IN OCTOBER**

We have been able to take advantage of General Convention to secure two of the Church's outstanding leaders for sermons at St. Paul's.

On Sunday, October 14th, the Rev. Karl M. Block, D.D., rector of St. Michael and St. George's Church, St. Louis, Missouri, and member of the National Council, will visit us. October 21st, the preacher will be the Rev. Frank H. Nelson, D.D., rector of Christ Church, Cincinnati, whose voice commands attention, especially when he speaks about the Church and her plans for the future.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION IN
CHESTNUT HILL**

Due to our "unhappy divisions," the conduct of religious education has heretofore been divided up into as many sections as there are churches in Chestnut Hill. This is far from the natural inclination of the various pastors in the community. We are accordingly holding on September 30th and October 1st an Interdenominational Conference for the Parents and Teachers of the community. Seven churches have sponsored it and have invited Dr. Adelaide T. Case, of Teachers' College, Columbia University, to conduct the meetings.

Adequate notice of the program has been given elsewhere. What we believe the community will approve, however, is this common effort to secure for our people the best possible training for future teaching. Religious education in Chestnut Hill is the common concern of all the churches.

**THE NEW CONFIRMATION
CLASS**

Each year as the Confirmation Class notice goes out, the Rector wishes that all who have any interest in preparing for Confirmation might be informed at the earliest possible minute, so that they may have every chance for adequate preparation before the class is presented to the Bishop.

This year the first meeting will be held on Sunday afternoon, October 7th, at five o'clock in the Church. To this meeting he will welcome the members of the congregation as young as ten or eleven years, if they are definitely interested. But he would also like to urge the attendance at this early date of any older people who have Confirmation in mind. The early assembling of the full class certainly contributes to the effectiveness of the training of every member.

OFFICE HOURS

The clergy of St. Paul's wish always to be at the service of the members of the Parish. For this purpose they usually plan to be at work in their studies in the morning and to be ready to respond to personal calls throughout the rest of the day. Many of their contacts are made by visiting. But they cannot always know who stands in special need during any given week.

It is for this reason that the Rector holds an office hour every Tuesday between five and seven o'clock in the Parish House. People may feel free to come to him there for any reason and especially those which concern personal matters.

Mr. Warren does not hold office hours, but will be glad to meet anyone at any time who cares to call him up and arrange for it. The clergy are never "too busy to see people." Their desire to be of help in this way is the principal reason for their being in the ministry.

Principal Events of General Convention

OCTOBER 10th

11.00 A. M. Opening service—Convention Hall. Sermon by the Presiding Bishop. (Admission badges are required for this service and may be secured in the Church vestibule on Sundays. Excursion tickets may be ordered there also at \$1.25 for the round trip.)

3.00 P. M. Convention sessions begin.

House of Bishops—Haddon Hall.

House of Deputies—Convention Hall.

Woman's Auxiliary—Chelsea Hotel.

Evening. General Reception—All church people invited to meet the Presiding Bishop and other Church leaders.

OCTOBER 11th

8.00 A. M. United Thank Offering presented at Corporate Communion for the women of the Church—Convention Hall.

8.30 P. M. Missionary Mass Meeting with address by Bishop Creighton, of Mexico and Long Island. Announcement of the United Thank Offering.

OCTOBER 12th

Joint session of the Houses of Bishops and Deputies to consider the Church's Program for the next three years.

OCTOBER 15th to 19th

National Council Institute. Classes daily 9-10.

*"Japan"—Rev. Arthur M. Sherman, S.T.D.

* This is only a partial list of the twenty courses which may be found in detail on p. 339 in the July "Spirit of Missions" or in "The Living Church General Convention Daily," which may be subscribed for in the Church vestibule—14 issues for 65c.

"Program Building for Women's Group"—Miss Edna B. Beardsley.

"The Parish Meets the New Leisure"—the Rev. C. Rankin Barnes.

10:15-11:15. "Christian Education in the Home"—Mrs. George B. Barber.
"Methods in Missionary Education for Adults"—William E. Leidt.

"Problems of the Modern Family"—Miss Mary S. Brisley.

Church Papers

With the infinite clutter of publicity that weighs down the postman these days and covers desks and tables to the very brim, one hesitates to suggest another subscription.

And yet a principal source of the Church's welfare must lie in the knowledge that people have concerning her life both in the sphere of the spirit and that of her work. At least three publications exist worthy of attention.

"The Witness" is a small weekly paper giving news of the Church, together with special articles of considerable merit, price 5c a copy (in the Church vestibule), \$2.00 a year.

"The Churchman," a bi-monthly paper which does the same thing as "The Witness" but on a somewhat more ambitious scale with good illustrations. Its churchmanship is that of the broad and evangelical type. Price, \$4.00 a year.

"The Living Church," a weekly magazine definitely Anglo-Catholic in its editorship but broad enough to include churchmen of all types among its subscribers. Price, \$4.00 per year.

The Parish Secretary will gladly take subscriptions for these papers from anyone who wishes to secure them.

THE JUNE APPEAL

The Vestry has been much gratified by the results of its appeal in June for an increase in twenty per cent of all pledges to the Parish expenses. So far \$4,606.92 has been received. They believe that when people have all come home this amount may grow still further. This is a most generous response and leads us to hope that we may be able to close the year without a deficit. But this will depend upon our attaining the same income from all sources that we so generously received in the final three months of 1933.

ORGANIZATION NOTES

The Woman's Auxiliary will hold its first meeting the first Friday in October at 10.30 in the Parish House. All women of the Parish are invited to attend.

The Boy Scout Troop has thirty-five members now enrolled. The Scoutmaster invites all boys who are interested in joining the troop to attend the meetings held in the Parish House on Friday evenings at 7.30.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Edward Lavino Ruegg, Margaret Landreth Smith, Wilmot Grant Peirce, 2nd.

Burials

Walton Clark, George Willing, Jr., Anna Mullen, Hamilton Disston.

Marriages

Rayburn Clark Smith, Jr., and Janet Langhorne Bullitt; Lawrence LaTour-ette Driggs, Jr., and Ethel Howell Sewell; Lothrop Lee and Anna Carter Fisher; Andrew Pierre Koller and Mary Laura Lightcap; Charles G. Diesenoorth and Laura E. Williams.



FOR SALE

A pony, cart, harness, and saddle, \$125.00. Apply to Parish Office for details, C. H. 0359.

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THE CHURCH SCHOOL

The New School

Boys and girls of 4, 5, 6, and 7 years (corresponding to the Kindergarten and grades one and two in day schools) may register on October 7th for THE NEW SCHOOL at St. Paul's Church School. This School is an outgrowth of the so-called Extended Session. Children who enroll will be expected to remain regularly on Sunday mornings from 9:30 to 12 o'clock. During the morning a varied program of activity will be carried on, including music, services of worship, construction work, visits in the community and to missions, free play (out-of-doors in pleasant weather), rest, etc. Day school teachers will act as advisers in this project, and specialists in music and construction work are being secured. The entire School will be on a sound religious and educational basis, and every effort made to make this church school experience a vital factor in the lives of boys and girls. For the convenience of parents, it will be possible to arrange to have children taken to their homes at 12 o'clock in a private car. Also, if they wish, parents may take their children with them for the first few minutes of the 11 o'clock service, without interrupting the work of the School.

A detailed folder on THE NEW SCHOOL is available in the Church School office. While the Executive Committee strongly urges parents to enroll their children in this School, classes beginning at 9:30 and ending at 10:45 are being planned for those children whose parents, for some reason, cannot cooperate with this new development.

School Opening

All classes except the Kindergarten will meet in the church at 9:30, Sunday, October 7th, for the opening service of the school year. The Kindergarten will meet in the parish house. The sessions for all grades, including THE NEW

SCHOOL, will close at 10:20 on this date to allow for a brief teachers' meeting before the 11 o'clock service.

YOUNG PEOPLE

The Young People's group will meet Sunday afternoon, October 7th, at 5:30. This is to be the opening meeting of the year and will be in the nature of an informal reunion at which time plans for the future will be discussed. The service at 5:30 will mark the beginning of the meeting and supper will be at the usual hour. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crosby will be the two new discussion leaders for this Winter and will be on hand for the opening meeting. It is also expected that Mrs. Hermann Moret, formerly Miss Charlotte Cheston, so well known to this parish from Battle Harbor, Labrador, will be there to speak to the group with regard to her work in Labrador. A full meeting is expected.

TEACHERS

Fall meetings for teachers and officers in the Church School include the following:

Two conferences with Miss Adelaide T. Case, of Teachers College, Columbia University, at 5:30 on Sunday and Monday afternoons, September 30th and October 1st, at the Baptist Church, Bethlehem Pike and Germantown Avenue.

A Pilgrimage to Atlantic City for Religious Education Day at General Convention, Monday, October 15th. The visit is to be made with other teachers in church schools in this convocation. At four o'clock a guide will show us through the exhibit and at five o'clock Dr. McMasters will talk to the officers and clergy and Deaconess Edwards to the teachers. At the evening mass meeting, Dr. Karl Block, Dr. Adelaide T. Case, and Dr. McMasters will be the speakers. For the details of transportation, consult Miss Shaul.

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PARENTS

Fall meetings for parents of children in the Church School include the following:

September 30th, at 9:45 A.M., in St. Paul's parish house:

"Religion in the Home: Problems of Parents"Dr. Case

September 30th, at 8 P. M., at Trinity Presbyterian Church:

"Christian Life Through Religious Education"Dr. Case

October 1st, at 10 A.M., at the Methodist Church Mothers' Meeting:

"Answering Children's Questions on Religion"Dr. Case

October 1st, at 8:15 P. M., at Christ Lutheran Church Fathers' Meeting:

"What is the Father's Part?"
Dr. Case

October 22nd, at St. Luke's Church, 5421 Germantown Avenue:

"Religion in the Life of the Child,"
Rev. John W. Suter, Jr., D.D.

The last meeting is under the auspices of the Germantown Sunday School Association. Dr. Suter is the rector at the Church of the Epiphany in New York City.



ORCHESTRA CONCERTS

Many of the younger members of the choir are keenly interested in symphonic music. If any subscribers to the Philadelphia Orchestra concerts should find themselves unable to use their tickets for any concert, they may be sure that some of our young men and boys will be very glad to have them.

Such a disposition of unwanted tickets might well be regarded as an investment in musical education that would yield dividends to choir and congregation alike.

CRESCENDO, POCO A POCO

The congregation is to be congratulated on their steady improvement in hymn singing. There is now quite a substantial volume of tone in addition to that produced by the choir and organ. As a result of this improvement, our services are much more alive and quickening to the spirit than they formerly were. We are not perfectly satisfied, however, nor will we be so long as there is a single worshipper in church on Sunday morning who fails to take part. There is no voice too poor to sing hymns, nor a voice of any quality or pitch which can be distinguished from the resulting great mass of tone if everyone does his or her bit. So let us try to leave all self-consciousness behind when we come to church.

Venite, Jubilate, Benedictus and Te Deum, when chanted, all belong to the congregation's part of the service. The words and music with pointing are to be found in the back of the Hymnals. Their numbers are printed on the notice sheet, and it is small trouble to turn to them. Shall we not assume full responsibility for singing them, too?

The musical parts of the Communion Service on the third Sunday each month are intended for congregational participation. This music may always be found before service on the table in the main vestibule.

May the volume of our singing increase more and more, and may it be a true indication of increasing devotion to Jesus Christ.



OCTOBER KALENDAR

- 7 19th Sunday after Trinity.
- 14 20th Sunday after Trinity.
- 18 St. Luke.
- 21 21st Sunday after Trinity.
- 28 S.S. Simon and Jude.
- 22nd Sunday after Trinity.

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THE ACCOMPLISHMENT OF GENERAL CONVENTION

GENERAL Convention has come to the boardwalk and returned severally to its homes leaving behind a trail of heated discussions, exciting headlines, and at least a suspicion as to the religious value of the goings-on-by-the-sea. And yet if we have read the reports of "The Living Church Daily" we must have got hold of the deeper significances of these meetings.

There was no question in the minds of the delegates about the genuine value of the Church's work both in continental America and overseas. Examined, surveyed, and abbreviated as it has been in these latter years it now represents a minimum in extent but a maximum as far as its efficiency is concerned. Contracted resources have refined the work and revived the workers. Never has the Church's Mission more worthily deserved the full support of its members.

It was with the confidence that it had a great undertaking to promote that General Convention therefore did away with "quotas," "expectations," and every other money-raising scheme, and decided to rely solely upon voluntary giving for the three years to come. This means that the fortunes of the Gospel of Christ, as this Church has undertaken them, will depend upon the personal interest that you and I have in them. No one will say what we ought to give. That remains entirely in our own hands. But this Parish has always had a concern for missions. We have consistently exceeded the figure of our quota. It has been our joy to do so. The voluntary system is therefore not a new one in Chestnut Hill. Now that the whole Church has adopted it, let us continue to carry it forward with our might!

THE PARISH MEETING

We have had one now for two years. Those who came liked it. The results of the discussion helped the Vestry. This year we are going to try it again but the plans sound more interesting.

The date is November 7th. A very nice supper will be served by the G. F. S. at 6:45 to all who send notice that they are coming. Then at 8:15 the meeting will begin. We shall have a chart carefully prepared to show nearly everything that figures can tell. Against this as a background we shall hear brief stories about the human side of the work that it represents.

The main part of the evening will be occupied by a discussion on the subject, "Shall we return to the Duplex Envelope?" The theme is more fascinating than it sounds. An opportunity will be given for each person present to register his opinion before the evening is done. Final decision rests in the hands of the Vestry but this meeting will be of immense value both to them and the Church staff, especially if it is representative of the whole parish.

EVERY MAN'S OFFERING

The Chairman wishes to report: The number of men subscribing, 122. Cash received, \$332.50. Total contributions for the Convocation of Germantown amount to \$8,000. Grand total to date is \$275,000, but the books will remain open until December 31st.

ISAAC STARR, *Chairman*.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL The New School

The opening of the NEW SCHOOL for the Kindergarten and grades one and two of the Church School has met with enthusiastic response on the part of parents, teachers, and pupils. Seventy-five out of a possible ninety-two boys and girls are now having more adequate

religious education through a Sunday morning's program lasting from nine-thirty until twelve. In addition to ten teachers and assistants, three specialists are on the staff: Miss Georgette Caldwell, nursery school teacher at Shady Hill Country Day School; Miss Margaret Sewell, teacher at the Chestnut Hill School of Music; and Miss Mary McKee Simmons, teacher at Springside Junior School.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SUNDAY

On November 18th a brief religious education program for parents, explaining the entire scope of the Church School, will be presented both at ten-fifteen and at twelve-fifteen in the parish house. Other members of the parish who are interested will be cordially welcomed.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE

The young people's groups have been meeting since the first Sunday in October at 5:30 in the afternoon. All young people in the parish in the Ninth Grade and above are included in these groups. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crosby have been working with the "older" young people and have been laying plans for some pageantry and dramatic work. One group is also working on the subject of "War and Peace." The Ninth Grade has been studying "Church History" from the point of view of unity. The first few weeks have been spent considering the differences within the Episcopal Church. On Sunday night, the 28th of October, Dr. Leicester Lewis of St. Martin's-in-the-Fields discussed with this group "The Historical Differences between High Churchmanship and Low Churchmanship." It is hoped that many other young people will desire to come to these meetings. Supper is served at seven o'clock.

ORGANIZATION NOTES

The Woman's Auxiliary. The two discussion groups initiated by the Woman's Auxiliary on "Religious Movements of the Day" and "The Religious Development of Children and Young People" had a joint meeting on October 26th, which was addressed by Mrs. W. J. Haines, Miss Margaret Sherman, and Mrs. Dean Parker on the Oxford Movement, and the Rev. W. Brooke Stabler on the Religious Attitudes of young people, especially those of college age. The following meetings will be held:

GROUP I

- Nov. 2 Discussion of Oxford Group Movement.
Talk on "Liberal Evangelical Movement" by Rev. M. M. Warren.
- Nov. 9 "The Anglo-Catholic Movement" — Rev. Leicester Lewis.
- Nov. 16 "Christian Socialist Movements," presented by various members of the group.

GROUP II

- Nov. 2 Discussion based on talk of preceding week led by Rev. W. Brooke Stabler.
- Nov. 9 Panel discussion on "Religion and the 'Teen' Age." Chairman, Miss Elizabeth Frazier.
- Nov. 16 Subject to be announced.

The Woman's Friendly held their first meeting October 24th. The members are planning a card party on Wednesday, November 14th, in the Parish House at eight P. M. Tickets, 35c. Plans are under way for the annual bazaar in December for which many useful articles are now being made.

The Girls' Friendly Society has started off the year with great enthusiasm, partly caused by their attractive new room which new rugs and lamps have made more homelike and comfortable. Six committees have been appointed with the following chairmen: Worship, Mrs. W. Pattison; Service, Mrs. C. E. Goodin; Recreation, Mrs. H. Irvine; Classes, Mrs. Edgar Sheppard, Jr.; Finance, Mrs. Wm. Wohlschlagel; Basketball, Mrs. D. A. Tutein. These committees, with those appointed monthly, are in charge of the winter's program which will include for recreation, basketball, under the coaching of Agnes Williams, and tap dancing.

The Service Committee is in charge of the Parish supper which the G. F. S. is proud to be asked to serve before the Parish Meeting, November 7th.

On December 17th, we shall have an annual Christmas party for the Sunday School of the Chapel of the Transfiguration. This event, with the outing which we provide in summer, are the only parties which the children of this neighborhood seem to have.

MORE BRIEFLY

Offertory Sunday falls on November 25th this year. This is the day when we all are asked to lay on the plate our pledges for the coming year. Every member of the parish will have in hand the budget for 1935 before that date.

Thanksgiving Day falls on November 29th. Holy Communion at 7.30 and Morning Prayer and Address by a distinguished layman at ten o'clock. Let us make this a day of praise for families as St. Paul's people have so often done in the past.

St. Paul's Leaflet

The Girls' Friendly Society would be grateful for donations of discarded toys or dolls that are in fairly good condition and could be done over for the Christmas party given each year at the Church of the Transfiguration in South Philadelphia. We would also appreciate magazines for immediate distribution to convalescent patients. A telephone call to C. H. 0809 will bring us to your door.

"The Spirit of Missions" is widely considered the best publication of its kind in any church. It more than pays its way. The Roman Church authorities recently gave it careful study in contemplation of issuing a similar magazine. It costs only \$1.00 a year. It makes for intelligent church membership. The Parish office will gladly subscribe for you.

THE OLDER CONFIRMATION CLASS

The Rector wishes that he might be of greater service to the older members of the Parish as regards Confirmation instruction. He therefore most cordially invites any who may be interested, whether confirmed or not, to attend the classes which he will hold each Sunday afternoon at five o'clock in preparation for the Bishop's visit in January. There is already a fine class of younger people that comes for instruction each Thursday at five o'clock.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

The Day of Prayer for all Christian people each year is increasingly observed. This year it falls on Monday, November 12th. Its object is to pray not only for peace but for the promotion of God's Kingdom everywhere.

Prayer cards may be found in the Church that day for all who wish to come in at the hour most convenient. It is hoped by preparing a schedule of hours in the Parish Office to arrange for at least one person to be present at every quarter hour during the day.

Wanted

A heavy coat for a woman in great need.

Excellent floor finisher will recondition floors of any kind at reasonable prices. Work guaranteed. Phone C. H. 0359.

Rooms for Rent

The Parish Secretary has a list of attractive rooms in good homes, convenient to the business district of Chestnut Hill, for rent at reasonable prices. Kindly call C. H. 0359.

NOVEMBER KALENDAR

- 1 All Saints' Day
- 4 Twenty-third Sunday after Trinity.
- 11 Twenty-fourth Sunday after Trinity.
- 18 Twenty-fifth Sunday after Trinity.
- 25 Sunday Before Advent.
- 29 Thanksgiving Day.
- 30 St. Andrew.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Graham Hanna.
Kathleen Corlies Tatnall.
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Virginia Pepper.

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Christmas Then and Now

IT came to pass—the days were fulfilled—she wrapped him in swaddling clothes—there was no room—there were shepherds—and an angel—and the glory of the Lord—"good tidings"—"a Saviour who is Christ, the Lord"—"Glory to God; and on earth peace"—"Let us now go" and they found both Mary and the babe.

Have the times taught us anything about what it is to be unwanted, about sharing our little with others, about relieving human need, about the lack of Peace on earth, about the joys of fellowship, about the contribution of Jesus to human life, about the delight of glorifying God and the reward of adoration?

If they have, then surely we may look forward to keeping Christmas this year out of a full heart.

THREATENED DEFICIT

In spite of a financial year in many ways encouraging, we are threatened with a deficit for 1934, of between \$1,000 and \$2,000. The Vestry are making every effort to avoid this as it would be a serious matter for the giving of the Parish in 1935. The ground on which the Vestry was willing to pledge our full \$26,000 this year was that in case of a deficit this budget item, in which no cut has been made since 1929, should be made up from funds at our disposal for this purpose in 1935.

CHRISTMAS PLANS

We shall have a series of Christmas Services similar to those held in former years.

1. December 24th.

3:30 P. M.—Church School Carol Service.

11:30 P. M.—Carol Singing.

12:00 Midnight — Holy Communion.

December 25th.

8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.

10:00 A. M.—Morning Prayer, Holy Communion, and Address.

2. The Christmas Baskets will again be a feature of our Christmas giving. Dinners cost from \$3 to \$5. Those wishing to give one may secure tags after service on December 16th, indicating the number to be served in each family. Later notices will give further instructions concerning this matter.

TWO HELPFUL MEETINGS

The Parish Meeting and Supper, held on November 7th, found 125 members of St. Paul's discussing in an animated fashion questions related to our 1935 Budget. We not only got somewhere

with them, but everyone who came got the feeling that our common problems require the help that all can give, if they are to be settled wisely.

On November 21st the splendid group of people who are undertaking the house-to-house canvass met together for supper and to listen afterward to news about our budget, and instructions concerning the work. Many questions were answered, but again the best fruits of the meeting resulted from the sense of common responsibility in carrying on the Church's program.

PLANS FOR ADVENT

A Service of Meditation will be held on Friday Evenings during Advent beginning November 30th, at 6:00 P. M. It will last fifteen minutes. Its aim is to give an opportunity to business people, as well as others, to find a quiet time during the season to consider what the coming of Christ may mean for us and for our world.

On Sunday Evenings the regular service at 5:30 will be followed by a half an hour of organ music with selections carefully made with reference to the season. The body of the Church will be darkened while the music is being played.

QUIET DAY

The Annual Quiet Day for all members of the Parish will again be held by the Woman's Auxiliary on December 11th. It will be conducted by the Reverend Howard R. Weir, Rector of Holy Trinity Church, and will consist of meditations and prayers on the subject of "The Church and Her Work." As "the quiet day" this year will be limited to the morning hours, 10:00 to 12:30, it is very much hoped that all who attend will try to make a point of arriving at the opening hour.

GENERAL CONVENTION NOTES

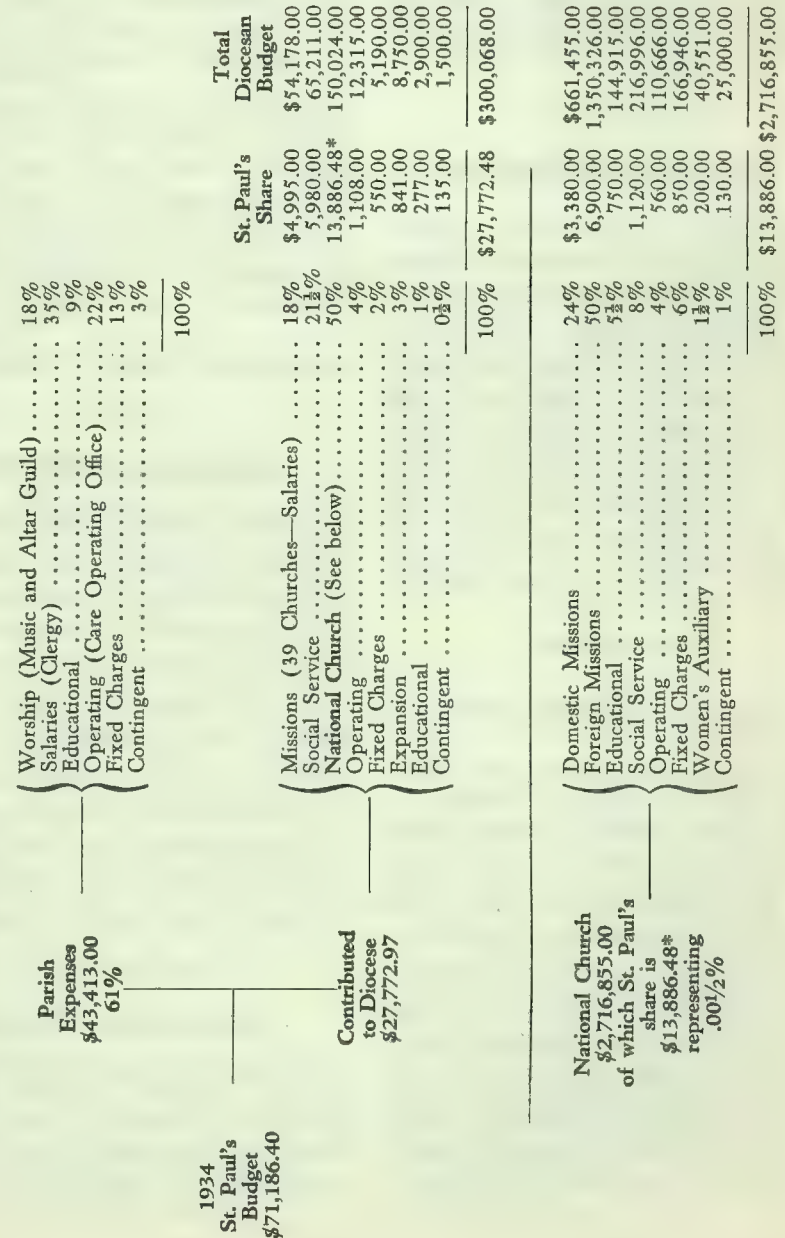
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The offices of Presiding Bishop and President of the National Council, hitherto one have been separated. Bishop Cook, of Delaware, has now been elected president of the Council. The House of Deputies by a vote of 234 to 207 decided not to change the Church's legal name, "Protestant Episcopal."

Cincinnati for General Convention in 1937.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

"We are the second grade children of St. Paul's Church School. We went to the Baptist Church in Chestnut Hill on November 18th, because it was their 100th anniversary. We went to see the second grade children and they were studying about Japan. We went into a children's service in their church. We liked the brightness of their church, their pretty flowers, and their 'good-bye' song. We gave them a bag of money because it was the church's birthday. We will ask them to come to see us. We want to finish a model of their church, and other churches, too, before they come."—Second Grade Children.

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

The Christmas pageant service will be held on Monday, December 24th, at 3:30 o'clock. Group two of the Young People's Church School and the Church School Choir will have charge of planning and producing this pageant.

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WORSHIPFUL SINGING

Each year the singing of the congregation on Sunday morning improves. During the past year several strangers have remarked upon the splendid cooperation that everybody shows in this important feature of the Church's worship. The policy of the Music Committee is evidently a good one, "all familiar hymns except six new ones each year." Those that we shall try to learn for 1935 are: 74¹, 191, 282, 338², 484, 555. (The tunes we shall use for 191 and 484, are not in the Hutchins, but in the Pension Fund Hymnal.)

YOUNG PEOPLE'S GROUPS

The Young People's Groups will hold a Corporate Communion every first Sunday, at the 8 o'clock service. It is hoped that all Young People in the Parish will want to avail themselves of this opportunity. Breakfast will be served after the Communion Service at a cost of 10 cents. The Discussion Groups will meet after breakfast. The remaining Sundays of the month the Young People's Groups will meet at 5:30, as has been their practice for over a year. The average attendance at these Young People's Groups has been about 35 since the first of October. All Young People in the Parish from 14 years to 25 are most welcome.

ORGANIZATION NOTES

The Woman's Auxiliary.—The recent series of discussions on the "Religious Movements of the Day" and "The Religious Development of Children and Young People," were completed on Friday, November 16th, having provoked a great deal of interest. The Oxford Group Movement, the Anglo-Catholic, and Liberal Evangelical movements were reviewed, and the purposes of such organizations as the Church League of Industrial Democracy and the Methodist League for Social Service studied. The Reverend W. Brooke Stabler conducted two lectures on the development of young people, which were followed by a panel discussion led by Miss Elizabeth Frazier which brought forth many new and helpful ideas.

The findings of both these courses will be presented at the meeting the first Friday in December.

The Girl's Friendly Society is to be congratulated upon their splendid work in serving the Parish Supper, Wednesday evening, November 7th. It was one of the most successful events of the year and represents the excellent spirit of co-operation which exists between this organization and the work of the Church.

During December, the society will devote its meetings to the planning of the Christmas party at the Chapel of The Transfiguration, in which eighty children and their parents will be entertained by movies, refreshments, and presents for all.

The Woman's Friendly Society will hold its Annual Bazaar on Wednesday, December 12th, from three until eight o'clock. Many useful and fancy articles, toys, candy, and cake will be on sale. Tea will be served from four to five.

The society is to be commended upon the excellent supper served to the Canvassers on Wednesday, November 21st.

WORK WANTED

Excellent floor finisher will recondition floors of any kinds at reasonable prices. Work guaranteed. Phone C. H. 0359.

MOUNTAIN MISSION PICTURES

Motion pictures of the mountain children and our Missions in S. W. Virginia, Saturday, December 8th, 3 P. M. Monday, December 10th, at 8 P. M. at Mrs. Schuyler Volkmar's, 8869 Germantown Ave. Tea and cake. Admission 50 cents. Proceeds for our Missions in S. W. Virginia.

WANTED

A second-hand typewriter in good condition for use in one of our missions in Philadelphia. Phone C. H. 0359.

DECEMBER KALENDAR

- 2 First Sunday in Advent.
- 9 Second Sunday in Advent.
- 16 Third Sunday in Advent.
- 21 St. Thomas.
- 23 Fourth Sunday in Advent.
- 25 Christmas Day.
- 26 St. Stephen.
- 27 St. John Evangelist.
- 28 Holy Innocents.
- 31 New Year's Eve.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

George Mifflin Dallas.
Edward Benjamin Clark Lukens.

Marriage

Frank Howley
and
Edith Cadwallader

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IF you were asked to state your greatest need for the coming year, what would it be? An addition to the house? A lessening of the burden of worry? Or maybe a growth of the capacity to fling worry out-of-doors?

Everyone had abundant causes for worry during 1934. Shall we write it down a total loss? If it taught us the pathway to Wisdom it will surely not have been wasted. If, for instance, it brought home the need for looking about pretty searchingly before we leap, of praying before we plan, and of bathing our soul in quiet before barging out into the aimlessness of an ill-adjusted world, then whatever else it brought, the year will have been a profitable one.

But to learn the value of such a pathway is not necessarily to walk in it. For many people learning how to do this may constitute a very considerable need for the oncoming year. Wisdom, as Solomon sagaciously pointed out, may be the ripe fruitage of a well spent life, but it may also be acquired before we grow old, if its ingredients are all present. 1934 led us to discover every one of them. What do we mean by "looking before we leap?" It is only a poetic phrase for "getting more information." "Praying before you plan" simply says "be reasonably religious," "realize that God really is your Father." While "bathing our soul in quiet" is a plea for contemplative thought as the proper preparation for action.

Wisdom is, of course, the unmistakable mark of greatness. But the followers of Jesus may learn to walk the road that leads towards it. The means are simple and at hand. And here stands the brave New Year!

**BIBLE LECTURES AT
ST. CLEMENT'S**

The Rev. Frank Gavin of the General Theological Seminary will come to St. Clement's Church in town to give a series of lectures on the Bible on Mondays during January at 8.15 P. M. The subjects are:

"The Books of History."

"The Books of Prophecy."

"The Books of the Gospel."

"The Books of the Church."

As Dr. Gavin is a fascinating lecturer, it will be well worth the effort to go in to hear him. Members of St. Paul's will be made most welcome.

DR. DRURY'S VISIT

The service of the parents and graduates of St. Paul's School of Concord, N. H., usually held in Philadelphia at this season, will this year take place at St. Paul's Church at 11 o'clock on Sunday, January 20th. Dr. Drury, headmaster of the school, will preach. It will be a pleasure for the Parish to welcome on that day all whose loyalty to St. Paul's School leads them to join with us in this special service of worship.

**BISHOP STRIDER COMING
AGAIN**

Everyone will remember the splendid Preaching Mission conducted by Bishop Strider in 1929, just before we moved into the new church. He has promised to come again this year to conduct a similar Preaching Mission between February 24th and March 3rd. He will address us on both Sundays and hold a meeting each evening of the week. He will also be available at other times for conferences with individuals. This advance notice is given in order to enable everyone to make their plans for that season with reference to this important date.

CHRISTMAS BASKETS

The opportunity to give Christmas dinners this year was accepted with quite as great enthusiasm as usual. It has become a considerable undertaking now to purchase and deliver on Christmas Eve 114 baskets. But the work has become so well organized that in spite of the awkwardness of the date this year all baskets were properly delivered at their destinations. Ninety-seven went to St. Barnabas, Kensington, for distribution; the other seventeen were given locally. The benefits of the plan are not limited to the receivers. They cluster right here around St. Paul's after the baskets have gone away. A giving Christmas helps us all to say our prayers better on Christmas Day.

ORGANIZATION NOTES

Young People's Group—The annual Epiphany Candle-Light Service will be held Sunday evening, January 6th, at the 5.30 service. The Candle-Light Service is the same used in St. Paul's last year, sponsored by the Young People's Groups in an effort to portray the Epiphany theme in a more effective way. This service is always of interest to small children as well as to adults.

Girls' Friendly Society—The Christmas party which the G. F. S. has given for several years now to the Church School children of the Chapel of the Transfiguration in South Philadelphia was great fun for us, as well as, we hope, for them. Over 30 of us went down on the evening of December 17th and enjoyed with them carol singing, some "talkies" (a most popular innovation), watching Santa Claus distribute presents to the 70 children, and refreshments.

The plans for January include a tap dancing class, and our Annual Card Party on January 18th. The basketball games with other branches are scheduled on various evenings from now until March.

On Sunday, January 13th, at 9.50, the **Student Council** will conduct a Parish meeting for Grades Four through Eight, to explain the proposed Church School budget for the missionary work

of the Church. At the close of this meeting the members of the School will have an opportunity to pledge for regular Sunday giving through the envelope system for the period from January 6th through June 2nd. This is NOT a pledge in addition to what they are giving each week, but merely an attempt to impress the children with the need for regular giving each Sunday, and with a feeling of responsibility for Sundays when they are absent. The budget for these Sundays, as planned by the Council, includes \$65.00 for the Bishop of Haiti, \$50.00 for the White River Valley Mission, Kent, Wash., \$50.00 for the Seamen's Church Institute, and \$35.00 for the assistant church organist.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

During the Epiphany season many classes in the Church School will study the work of the Church among the Negroes in preparation for the annual missionary offering boxes. The 9.30 services on Sunday will be conducted with this work in mind. On January 20th the choir from St. Barnabas, Germantown, will sing, and some of the classes will pay visits to Negro institutions in our city. An attempt will be made to help the boys and girls grow in an appreciation of the contributions of the Negro race, to make them aware of the problems which Negroes face, and to give them accurate information regarding the work which the Church is doing in this field.

St. Paul's Leaflet

1934 FINANCES

During the past year St. Paul's has passed through a difficult period financially, but has come out, on the whole, remarkably well. We have met our interest charges, have paid \$6,000 off on the church debt, have kept the work of the Parish up to standard, and have again paid our pledge to the Diocese of \$26,000. That is to say, we have done all these things *except* for a \$500 deficit which still remains to be met, as the Leaflet goes to print. We still hope to close the year with all bills paid. To have raised \$80,000, however, in such a year shows what a lot of staunch and generous supporters composes the congregation of this Parish.

PROGRESS OF THE PARISH CANVASS

It is with great thankfulness that we are able to report that the Canvass for 1935 is running just a little ahead of the corresponding figures a year ago. This has been made possible in part by the excellent work of the canvassers who came to a meeting of preparation in order to be thoroughly equipped for their task. We record with special appreciation the grand response of large numbers of the congregation who, at a time when things are still uncertain, have declared their confidence in the work that the Parish is doing. The complete returns show that we have secured 74 new pledges and a total of 781, which already exceeds last year's figures. The total amount pledged is \$45,940.85, about \$400 more than was pledged at this time in 1934.

A CORRECTION

In the Operative Budget for 1935 as distributed to the Parish, the salary of the Sexton was put down as \$967.72. This does not include \$25.00 additional per month which is received from another source. The total figure should have been \$1,267.72.

CONFIRMATION

The Class, consisting of some forty members, is to be presented to Bishop Taitt on Sunday, January 6th. There were three divisions of the class this year. The younger group taught by the Rector, those instructed by Mr. Warren, and the older group which met at a different hour from either of the others. The next class will probably not be presented for another year. If any would like to consider Confirmation, however, before that time the clergy would be very glad to hear from them.

JANUARY KALENDAR

- 1 Circumcision (New Year's Day).
- 6 Epiphany.
- 13 1st Sunday after Epiphany.
- 20 2nd Sunday after Epiphany.
- 25 Conversion of St. Paul.
- 27 3rd Sunday after Epiphany.

PARISH REGISTER

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George Ronald Hacking

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"Christian Life in Daily Living"

JESUS CHRIST must somehow find reflection in the personal lives of men and women. Christianity is not a cult, nor a philosophy, nor as some believe an iridescent dream, but a life. It is not enough that modern men, women, and young people be baptized, confirmed, admitted to the Holy Communion, and enrolled as members of the Church. They must also go forth into the busy, hectic ways of modern life, so to think, to serve, to live, that men will know they have been near to Jesus."

It is good news to hear that the man who recently said these words will come to St. Paul's to conduct a Preaching Mission from February 24th to March 3rd. He will preach on both Sunday mornings and on five week-day evenings.

We greet the opportunity that this intensive period will afford to hear more of this matter and to consider the demands of our religion as well as its aids to daily living. Incidentally "the man" is none other than our old friend, the Rt. Rev. R. E. L. Strider, D.D., Bishop Coadjutor of West Virginia.

1934 FINANCIAL REPORT

The report of the Accounting Warden is included on a special page in this issue of the Leaflet. It shows that we were able to finish the year with a small balance as a result of collections which were unexpectedly good at the last moment. We have much to be thankful for in the carrying forward of our work to higher levels in 1934 and the fine spirit that has maintained our pledge to the General Church at the 1929 level. We hope that this report may receive the attention it deserves.

FURTHER REPORT ON CANVASS

During 1935 there will be a larger number of people contributing regularly to the work at St. Paul's than ever before in its history. On January 30th, as the Leaflet goes to print, we have received pledges from 804 for \$47,062.25. A number of people who have told us that they are ready to do their part are still to be heard from.

LEGACIES RECEIVED

During the past month the Parish has been fortunate enough to receive two legacies. Mrs. William Goodrich has left us her property at 139 W. Highland Avenue, which the Vestry has decided to rent. It is at present vacant. Miss Mary Hebard left \$5,000 to be applied to the Church debt. For both generous bequests from these devoted members of St. Paul's we are most heartily thankful.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Young People's Mission—During the week of the Preaching Mission, beginning February 24th, Bishop Strider will also conduct a Mission for the boys and girls of our parish. On Sunday and

Monday he will meet with those from fourteen to twenty years of age; on Tuesday and Wednesday with those five through eight; on Thursday and Friday with boys and girls from nine through thirteen. The week-day meetings will be held in the church from 4:30 to 5 o'clock, preceded by a cup of cocoa in the parish house. The theme of this Mission will be that of the adult Mission, "Christian Life in Daily Living."

Parent Teas—Church School teachers are planning to have parent teas for the parents of the pupils in their classes. The parents of Grade one and two met at the home of Mrs. Edwin Benson on Tuesday, January 22nd. A tea is planned at the parish house for the parents of Grade two (New School) children at 4:30 on Sunday, February 3rd, and one for the parents of pupils in Grades ten through twelve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crosby, 7301 Huron Lane, at 4 o'clock on Saturday, February 9th.

Teachers' Meeting—A supper meeting for the teachers and officers of the Church School will be held on Wednesday, February 13th, at 7 o'clock. The value of the unit on the Negro race will be considered, and reports will be made of the status of the Negro in our city.

Miss Jackson to Speak—Miss Juanita Jackson, colored graduate student at the University of Pennsylvania and formerly with the Methodist Episcopal Board of Missions, will address the Church School on Negro problems in the United States at the 9:30 service on February 10th. Parents are especially invited to be present, and to talk further with Miss Jackson in the parish house at 10:15, if they wish. Miss Jackson is famous for her work on this subject in Baltimore schools.

Missionary offering boxes will be given to the children on this date, and may be kept in the homes until Palm Sunday, April 14th. The offering this year will be designated especially for the work of the Church among the Negroes.

Through Accounting Warden		Quota		Not Counting on Quota	
For Nation-Wide Campaign	\$22,836.43				
For St. Luke's Hospital, Tokyo	74.14				
For Gaudet School	19.69				
Thanksgiving Offering for Episcopal Hospital	454.95				
Whitsunday Offering					
For General Church	40				
For Diocesan Deficit					
Total Through Accounting Warden	\$23,385.61			\$ 161.55	\$ 161.55
From Other Sources					
From Woman's Auxiliary:					
Diocesan Committee	\$ 242.00			95.00	
Domestic Committee	202.50				
Com. on Colored Missions	179.00				
Foreign Committee	326.80			27.00	
Indian Hope Assn.	167.00				
Sunday School Lenten Offering	379.59				
From Individuals for Diocesan Contributors' Fund	300.00			30.00	
Total from Other Sources	\$ 1,796.89			\$ 152.00	
Remitted Direct					
Church Extension Fund	\$ 817.50				
To Welfare Federation				\$2,204.00	
Through the G. F. S.				3.59	
From Woman's Auxiliary:					
Diocesan Committee				147.25	
Domestic Committee				10.00	
Total Remitted Direct	\$ 817.50			\$2,364.84	
TOTALS	\$26,000.00			\$2,678.39	
GRAND TOTAL	\$28,678.39				

REPORT OF THE ACCOUNTING WARDEN OF ST. PAUL'S CHURCH CHESTNUT HILL

For Year Ending December 31, 1934

INCOME ACCOUNT

Balance from 1933	\$ 57.61
From Pledges, Etc., for Church Budget	28,239.30
From Pledges, Etc., for Missions	\$20,697.22
Special Contributions for Missions:	
Church School	\$ 592.21
Thanksgiving Day Collection for Episcopal Hospital	461.65
Miscellaneous	1,579.13
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	2,632.99
Birckhead Fund	23,330.21
Endowment Income	3,112.50
Rector's Discretionary Fund	2,334.87
Christmas 1933 and 1934 Envelopes	601.51
Easter	319.43
Whitsunday Offering for Diocesan Deficit	5,888.97
April Appeal	161.95
June Appeal	8,243.32
For 1935 Budget	4,789.70
Miscellaneous	3,975.70
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	\$83,204.34

DISBURSEMENTS

Roberts' Mortgage Interest and Other Expenses	\$ 3,925.29
Rector's Discretionary Fund	601.51
Missions	23,330.21
Diocesan Assessments	1,772.99
Clergy Salaries and Pension Premium	11,925.00
Mr. Birckhead's Salary and Pension Premium	3,112.50
Church School	3,708.20
Music	7,360.54
Parish Office	2,905.84
Care of Property	2,975.46
Operating Expenses	3,254.39
Accounting Warden	5,912.62
Altar Guild	536.00
Contingent Expenses	641.73
Payments Account New Church Loan	6,000.00
Whitsunday Offering for Diocesan Deficit	161.95
Balance—1935 subscriptions from 1934	3,975.70
Miscellaneous	70.10
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	\$83,204.34

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Grade Four—The pupils of one of the fourth grade classes were recently asked to write out a few sentences about Jesus, in connection with a study of the life of our Lord. Here are a few of their statements:

"Jesus is holy and kind-hearted to His people."

"He is honest and fair."

"He obeyed His mother."

"He taught His people to trust in God."

"He taught people to help other people."

"He was the King of Heaven."

"He was a great missionary."

"He was a teacher."

"He loved children."

"He helped the sick."

"He helped fishermen."

"He loved His enemies."

"He was a great lover."

ORGANIZATION NOTES

The Young People's Division was host on Friday, January the 25th, to the Convocation of Germantown Fellowship. This is the first opportunity they have had to participate in a diocesan activity and it is felt that such an activity is of great value.

A Corporate Communion the first Sunday of every month has met with a very good attendance and will be continued throughout the year. Breakfast is served in the Parish House, after which discussion groups will meet. All young people of the Parish are invited to attend.

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The Woman's Friendly Society reports for 1934 total receipts \$549.64, of which \$363.40 was donated to charity. The society has just purchased \$20.00 worth of Diocesan Supply Work to be completed during the next month.

On Thursday, February 7th, a card party will be held at the home of Mrs.

Robert Williams, 239 E. Highland Avenue. Tickets, 35 cents. The proceeds will go to the Society.

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The Woman's Auxiliary meetings will hereafter take place on Tuesdays instead of Fridays, though the hour, 10:30, will be the same. February 5th will be the first meeting under the new arrangement and will open in the Chapel with a brief service of meditation and prayer.

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A Missionary Day in the Diocese will come February 6th at Holy Trinity Church. 10:30 A. M., Holy Communion. Sermon, the Rev. Spence Burton, S.S.J.E. Spirituals sung by members of the American Church Institute for Negroes. 2 P. M., addresses by the Hon. G. W. Pepper and Francis Wei, President of Central China College. This is a fine program. It is hoped that many members of St. Paul's may be present.

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G. F. S. The February Girls' Friendly Record has been planned to show the varied activities of the Society and is being sent to all honorary associates, to all the rectors of churches where there are branches, and to all contributors. It demonstrates the different parts of the program—worship, recreation, classes, service to others, and makes one realize more clearly that it is not just a number of loosely organized local groups, but bound together in a loyal nation-wide fellowship. This is expressed also through diocesan activities such as the hobby show and vocational conference which took place in January at Christ Church Parish House, or the Missionary Supper and Annual Service which are coming.

The Program For February

Feb. 4—Supper and speaker.

Feb. 11—Valentine Dance. Admission, 25c a couple. 15c a person.

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Feb. 18—Basketball game and radio.
Feb. 25—Meeting given up so all the girls may attend the Mission.

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PREPARATION FOR COMMUNION

On February 1st preparation for Communion on the first Sunday of the month was held in the Church at five P. M. This brief service is designed not only for the members of the Confirmation Class during their first year as Communicants, but also for the members of the Parish at large. This is an old custom which of recent years has fallen into disuse. The Rector hopes that it may meet a wide-spread need.

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A LONG HIT

Writing of Japan and the uproarious welcome and enthusiasm displayed for visiting baseball stars from the United States, an American long-resident in Japan says, "This nation cannot withstand friendliness. I suppose that is why the warm-hearted baseball players who visit here make such a hit. This emotional side of the Japanese in their friendship is so rarely mentioned."

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FEBRUARY KALENDAR

- 2—The Presentation.
- 3—Fourth Sunday after Epiphany.
- 10—Fifth Sunday after Epiphany.
- 17—Septuagesima.
- 24—Sexagesima.
- 25—St. Matthias.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Christian Henry Roth, II
Avery Dennison Graham

Burials

Helen G. Goodrich
Mary Euphemia Hebard

Marriages

Perry Franklin Hunter Moss and
Dora Lewis
William Barry Leavens, Jr., and
Emeline Currier Putnam

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CONFIRMATIONS

Lee Talbot Adamson, William Adamson, Jr., Mary Virginia Blair, Eleanor McCullough Boyd, Elizabeth Bustard, Robert Murray Cheston, Virginia Louise Cooke, Merritt Todd Cooke, Jefferson Craig, Lucy Fleming Disston, Mary Ellison, Barbara Kipp Garrett, R. Duncan Hay, Peter Marsland Hay, Ruth E. Henderson, Alice Pardee Holland, Keturah Gorgas Irwin, Robert Forsythe Irwin, 3rd, Edward Jefferson, 2nd, Winifred M. Leapson, Gladys LeBrun, Elinor Lidiz Leopold, Elizabeth Anne Oppenlander, Patricia Breckinridge Pray, Annie Haldeman Putnam, Nancy Haldeman Putnam, Ralph Currier Putnam, Alexander Randall, Josephine Ullom, Eugenia Pierce Coleman, Florence Isabel Griffith Conarro, Elizabeth Drum, Thomas Burns Drum, Selena Ullom, Walter Jenks, Eleanor Woodroffe, Lilian Schwartz, Mary Pearson.

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CHESTNUT HILL, PHILADELPHIA, MARCH 3, 1935

No. 6

SERVICES

Sundays—Holy Communion	8 A.M.	Evening Prayer	5:30 P.M.
1st, 3rd—Holy Communion	11 A.M.	Thursdays—Holy Communion	7:30 and 10 A.M.
2nd, 4th, 5th—Morning Prayer, Sermon.....	11 A.M.	Fridays—Morning Prayer, Litany.....	10 A.M.
Church School	9:30 A.M.	Saints' Days—Holy Communion.....	7:30 A.M.

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A Forty Day Respite

THERE are two ways of approaching the Season of Lent. We can look on it as an "Extra" upon an already over-loaded schedule or we can welcome it as a long sought Friend. We can fit extra services into days that are filled too full with special responsibilities or we can look upon these short six weeks as a haven of Refuge in the hurrying year.

There is an economy about the life of the spirit which is hard to realize until it is put to the proof. The fact is, when we think first about spiritual things, that all the "other" things, jobs, responsibilities and duties naturally fit into a new-discovered rhythm. They get done, we can't say how, and their doing no longer frets us. That is what Jesus was talking about when He said "Seek first the Kingdom and all the other things of life will be added unto you."

This issue of the "Leaflet" brings with it suggestions for various Lenten activities. If we think of them as "Extras" they will burden us and we shall arrive at Easter exhausted. But if, with a sense of well-earned relief, we greet the season as a time in which the full load of encumbrances are removed, then everything we take up, reading, study, and quiet contemplation will become the purest joy and Lent will become that Respite from the world that it originally was designed to be.

LENT 1935

Plans for Lent this year include a series of talks on Wednesday evenings at 8.15 on "How Life in the Church helps the Christian to Grow" by three clergymen of the Diocese, Rev. Thomas L. Harris, Rev. John W. Walker, and Rev. William T. Metz. The subject of Worship is dominant, as Mr. Walker expresses it "Worship all through our life, instead of pigeon-holed into one hour on Sunday." But the action growing out of worship will be equally considered. The series promises to be helpful as representing the personal testimony of three different clergymen.

Friday mornings at ten the Rector will lead a group in "The Study and Practise of Prayer." This will be followed by informal discussions in the Parish House on various kinds of Prayer. The members will then be asked to help in making plans for the meetings which follow. On Thursday afternoons the Church School will have its Lenten service at five preceded by training classes for servers and the Junior Altar Guild at 4.20.

Holy Communion on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the usual hours and Daily Evening Prayer complete a program which promises more than the usual store of interest.

CHURCH SCHOOL LENTEN
PLANS

On Ash-Wednesday (March 6th) a preparatory service for Lent will be held at five o'clock for all children and young people in the Church School.

On Thursdays during Lent special Church School services will take place at 5 o'clock. Boys and girls in the Upper School are invited to join training classes at 4.20 on these Thursdays, the class for boys who wish to become servers meeting with Mr. Isaac Starr,

and the class for girls who wish to become Junior Altar Guild members meeting with Miss Margaret Earle.

Plans are being considered for running an extended session for all classes in the Primary and Upper School departments for the three Sundays preceding Easter (March 31, April 7, 14) as a means of intensive preparation for Easter Day. A parents' meeting will be held on Sunday, March 17th, to advise the teaching staff on this move and to discuss plans for celebrating Holy Week with children, both in church and at home.

The Lenten plans for the Young People's Division are in progress. One group expects to present a one act religious drama on Easter Even in which other young people in the Parish will be asked to participate. Religious drama is becoming a customary form of teaching and activity throughout the Church and those members of the Parish who saw last year's Easter Eve production will realize its religious significance and effectiveness.

THE RECTOR'S DISCRETIONARY
FUND

In this Parish the Rector has committed to his care funds that are used for all kinds of personal services and to take up the slack in a hundred different ways during the course of the year. Owing to the thoughtfulness of Mr. Charles W. Dunn, the income from his generous bequest for this purpose is available though its figure has been recently reduced. In addition the Fund receives the loose offering at the eight o'clock service each Sunday and the Pink Envelopes in the weekly envelope boxes. From time to time, too, members of the Parish most thoughtfully send in contributions.

The demands upon this fund are naturally greater these days than ever. The fixed charges alone amount to

CHANNELS FOR CHRISTIAN SOCIAL SERVICE

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I. Action in Our Neighborhood:

Volunteers are needed for office work, motor service, visiting, teaching dancing, and craft work, sewing and knitting, making surgical dressings and layettes, leading current events groups, story-telling, music, and other forms of service by The Sheltering Arms, The House of the Holy Child, The Bethesda, The Leamy Home, and the Chestnut Hill Community Center.

Volunteers wishing to be placed in Chestnut Hill or in town should consult the Volunteer Service Bureau, Miss Florence Newbold, Executive Secretary, Room 200, 311 South Juniper Street, Philadelphia. Telephone, Kingsley 1658. The Parish Office can give further information.

II. Study and Better Understanding:

"Interpretation of Present Day Case Work" is the title of four lectures to be given for board members and other volunteers by Miss Elizabeth McCord of the Pennsylvania School of Social Work. Monday mornings, March 4, 11, 18, and 25 from 11 to 12.30 o'clock. Room 1009, 311 South Juniper Street. Fee, \$3.00. Registration may be made in the Parish House.

III. Thinking in Parish Groups:

Informal meetings with competent leaders are being planned for members of the parish who desire to meet and discuss together such vital questions as:

What is the Church's responsibility for creating a better social order?

- (a) What part should the Church play in modern social work?
- (b) How can the Church help the reconstruction of economic and industrial life?
- (c) How can the Church promote the peace movement?

IV. Parish Organizations:

For further information apply to the Parish Office.

 Please check any of the above "channels" in which you wish to participate and return this sheet to the Parish Office.

Name.....

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forty-five dollars a month. So if at any time any one would like to make an offering to be used for personal needs or unusual occasions, the Rector would like the Parish to know that the opportunity to contribute to this fund is at all times open.

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THANKS TO BISHOP STRIDER

The splendid service which Bishop Strider has rendered to this Parish deserves something more important than a formal vote of thanks. At a busy time of year he has come from his Diocese for two whole Sundays and the intervening week. One way of showing our appreciation for his very considerable contribution to us will be by giving him a lift with some special need at home. He tells us that he has a special concern for the Mission at Fairmont where the government's new subsistence farm is situated and for St. George's in the Smoke Hole where our Church Army representative is carrying on in a typical Appalachian Mountain surrounding.

Anyone who wishes to thank Bishop Strider and who has not already done so, may send a check to the Rector who will see that it is promptly forwarded.

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THE FORWARD MOVEMENT

On March 10th, the first Sunday in Lent, the whole Church is being asked to make a corporate Communion as the "Forward Movement" opens.

The Movement is another effort by which the Church is trying to help people to make religion mean more in life. An interesting set of meditations for each day in Lent with an appropriate Bible reading has been issued under the title "Discipleship."

The leader of the Movement is Bishop Hobson, of Southern Ohio. We shall want to support him and his splendid committee in this undertaking by making the Communion on March 10th a very hearty service and by using the little pamphlet during each day of Lent.

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MARCH 21, 1685—MARCH 21, 1935

On Thursday evening, March 21st, we commemorate the Two Hundred and Fiftieth Anniversary of the birth of Johann Sebastian Bach with a special choral service. All the music sung and played at this service will be the work of this great master, "to whom," in the words of Robert Schumann, "music owes almost as great a debt as a religion owes to its founder."

It is particularly Bach's religious music in which we find the most thrilling beauty and noblest inspiration. The selections that the choir will sing on this occasion include the two cantatas, "Deck Thyself, My Soul, With Gladness" (No. 180), and "Hold In Remembrance" (No. 67); and two motets for Double Chorus, "I Wrestle and Pray," and "Blessing, Glory and Wisdom and Thanks."

Remember the date — Thursday, March 21st, at 8.15 P. M.

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ORGANIZATION NOTES

The Woman's Auxiliary will meet on Tuesday, March 5th, at 10.30. There will be a brief service of meditation and prayer in the Chapel followed by the meeting in the Parish House.

G. F. S. Program for March

March 4th—Supper — current events talk—Mrs. Harris.

March 11th—Panel Discussion—Chairman, Rev. M. M. Warren.

Questions to be discussed:

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- (1) What comes first into a person's mind when one hears the word "Missions?"
- (2) Where did you get these ideas from? Are the sources reliable?
- (3) Should foreign missions be discontinued until we are more Christian here at home?
- (4) What contributions can missions make to the world today?

March 18th — Discussion on Orientals in America.

March 25th—Knitting.

The Basketball team will play:

March 4th—Gladwyn at Springside.

March 13th—Trinity Oxford (away).

March 18th—Playground at Springside.

March 25th—St. Barnabas', W. Philadelphia (away).

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The Woman's Friendly Society held their annual dinner on Wednesday, February 20th, with full attendance. Games were enjoyed during the evening.

The card party held at the home of Mrs. R. Williams, on February 7th, was a very successful undertaking and netted \$30.00 to be used in the purchase of Diocesan supply work.

The society is co-operating with the choir-mothers in mending the cottas.

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MARCH KALENDAR

- 3—Quinquagesima.
- 6—Ash Wednesday.
- 10—First Sunday in Lent.
- 17—Second Sunday in Lent.
- 24—Third Sunday in Lent.
- 25—Annunciation.
- 31—Fourth Sunday in Lent.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Frederick Wistar Morris

Burials

Francis S. Jackson

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French Lessons by modern native teacher — conversation rapidly taught. Also Spanish instruction. Moderate terms. Kindly call the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

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IN BRIEF

The books on Missions in our Lenten book list this year are particularly valuable. The committee has selected them after a careful canvass of the field.

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For all who are studying or interested in the subject of "Orientals in American Life" (see Lenten book list), the January, 1935, issue of "The Girls' Friendly Record" is invaluable. (386 Fourth Avenue, 20 cents a copy.) It bristles from cover to cover with facts and ideas, and contains half a dozen articles written first-hand by Americans of Oriental parentage.

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Dr. Patton says: "Of the eighty-five young colored men and women who graduated from the normal department of St. Paul's School, Lawrenceville, Va., last year, all are now teaching in Virginia rural schools. One county alone called on the school for forty-five teachers."

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CHESTNUT HILL, PHILADELPHIA, APRIL 1, 1935

No. 7

SERVICES

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2nd, 4th, 5th—Morning Prayer, Sermon,			7.30 and 10 A. M.
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The Cross and All of Us

"**H**E that spared not His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not also with Him freely give us all things." *Who spared not His own Son? God Himself. For whom did He deliver Him up? All of us. What things did He thereby undertake to give us? All things.*

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I understand a part of that. It means that God gave Jesus into the hands of men to do with as they would and that somehow that gift was for all of us. But what I fail to see is how by that means He undertakes to "give us all things." Probably what I really want to know is more about the meaning of the Cross? Can I get that?

Yes, of course I can, for there is an answer. But it is not one that can be fully explained even by the wisest Christian on earth. It has got to be found out bit by bit. Doubtless this is the reason that the Church provides me in Passion-tide every year with a fresh chance to consider the supreme event in the life of Jesus, asks me to read the Bible story over again, to come to Church that I may think upon it, and thus by following the events that lead up to Good Friday and Easter prepare myself to get a firmer grasp upon the things that to "outsiders" * will remain always a mystery.

M. E. P.

(*In the thought of Jesus the "outsider" was simply the one who *will* not come in.)

ORGANIZATION NOTES

A GREETING TO THE GIRLS'

FRIENDLY SOCIETY

With over fifty years of inherited traditions to cherish, the Girls' Friendly Society is to be congratulated on the vigor and enthusiasm with which it faces the problems of each new day. A keen appreciation of the needs of your individual members has never blinded you to the world-wide vision of service to our Lord. The personal questions of young people today and their growing interest in social justice, world peace, and international brotherhood are of equal concern to you.

The Girls' Friendly Society is an inherent part of the work and program of the Church. Your splendid record of gifts to the mission field—gifts both of money and of understanding—and your never-failing support of your own parishes give practical evidence of this.

Yet with all this, you have a "good time"; you know the importance of play. The spirit of all your work is indeed that of joyous followers of Christ. I give you greeting and God speed.

JAMES DE WOLF PERRY,
Presiding Bishop of the Church.

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Our G. F. S. branch at St. Paul's is one of 917 scattered over the United States and in Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, Panama Canal Zone, the Philippines and Japan. The National Society, which keeps us all together, is supported by the dues of its members, part of the dues of the honorary associates, and some invested funds. There still remains a gap between the receipts and budget needs which must be bridged by an appeal to the church people interested in girls. It is in connection with this annual appeal that the Presiding Bishop has given us the above greeting of which we are very proud.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Woman's Auxiliary will meet on Tuesday mornings, April 2nd, 9th, 16th and May 7th — four meetings before it closes for the summer months. Every woman of St. Paul's Parish is cordially urged to attend—it is "Every-woman's Auxiliary"—Your Auxiliary! Your presence, your ideas, your interest are needed. Through your Auxiliary "hear, mark, learn and inwardly digest" the latest *current events* of your Church's work at home and abroad. Join now!

On April 2nd Mrs. Robert Frazier, of St. Anne's, Willow Grove, will give an address on the Hare Industrial School at Mission, South Dakota. This Indian work comes under the jurisdiction of Bishop Roberts. It was in this district that Bishop Hare spent thirty-six years in effective missionary work among the Dakota Indians. Of the 25,000 Dakotas one-half are baptized members of the Episcopal Church and 4,500 are Communicants. Nowhere in the civilized world is the percentage of Communicants so high in proportion to the population! Mrs. Frazier will tell what is 'being done to hold and to deepen this Church membership and to relate the Indian religiously to the white population.

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THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Woman's Friendly Society have planned a card party for May 15th. We are also going to have a supper at some future date. Each one of our members is responsible for making \$2.00, in some way, before June 1st. The proceeds of these affairs will go to such charitable organizations as The Evergreens Hospital and The House of St. Michael and All Angels. We will also give a contribution to Mr. Peabody's Discretionary Fund.

Miss Yocom has organized a Home Department for members who are unable to attend our meetings, and who are willing to work at home. Orders for making kitchen towels would be appreciated.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

As this issue of the LEAFLET goes to press, the Bible Class is in the midst of a hard-fought competition for membership with four other classes; three from Germantown and one from Flourtown. As it now stands, the class of Cliveden Presbyterian Church is leading by a small margin, with St. Paul's a good second.

Attendance last Sunday was 106 men. Our motto has always been "Quality before Quantity"; but we find these competitions stir up much interest, and, although we never hold the top figure after the contest, we are stronger for having worked together, and have more regular names on our rolls. It is an interesting fact that our members go personally to their friends and ask them to come, just the kind of Evangelism that Bishop Strider urged. It is also interesting to note that the man most successful in reaching others holds a night job! One wonders!

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EMPLOYMENT

There are 291 applicants registered in the Parish Office for work, 170 women, 121 men. Since September, 1934, 107 jobs have been given out, 60 of which are permanent. During the four years that this service has been carried on, over 350 situations were filled and a definite need in the community has been met. Because of the extensive interviewing and telephoning which this work involves, it has been definitely decided to extend help only to members of the Parish. The names of all others are being transferred to the Community Center, which is fully equipped to handle this service. The Parish Office will continue to answer calls and interview those members of the Parish who are in need. Applications may be made between ten and twelve any week day except Saturday. The Community Center is open every day.

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The Parish Employment List contains some excellent landscape gardeners, companions, tutors who will take jobs for the summer, and secretaries. An expert floor finisher desires work. Phone, C. H. 0359.

CHURCH SCHOOL

Extended Session for the Church School from 9.30 to 12 for three Sundays: March 31st, April 7th, April 14th.

Schedule — 9.30-10.45 — Service and Class period.

10.45-11.15—Milk and out-of-doors.

11.15-11.45—Moving pictures of Palestine; Slides on the life of our Lord; Presentation of the Holy Communion in miniature, with carved figures. (Mr. Torchy Cole.)

11.45-12.00—Class conferences.

Service on Thursdays—April 4th and April 11th—(Special service for Day Schools is being arranged.)

Missionary "Jamboree"—On Saturday afternoon, April 13th, at 4.30 P. M. (Silver offering for missionary boxes.)

Maundy Thursday—Upper School to come to the service of the Holy Communion at 7.30 A. M. (Breakfast and transportation to school for those who request it.)

Primary School Members—To pray for ten minutes in the church with their parents. (Children may sign up for this Day of Prayer for ten-minute intervals in the church from 3 to 5 in the afternoon.)

Good Friday—9.30 A. M.

Easter Festival — 3.30 P. M. — Easter Day. No morning session.

A prayer book for pupils is being given to boys and girls March 31st. It is hoped that it will be used by them for at least five minutes a day during the remainder of Lent.

The Student Council has gone forward in their work. Three committees have been formed—one for the Missionary "Jamboree" on April 13th, one for Palm Sunday, and one for the Easter service folder. The Council is made up of one representative from each class of the Upper School, and meets after Church School at 10.45. We solve important matters of the Church School.

(Signed) HESTER CALDWELL,
Student Council Reporter.

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Wanted

A suit, size 40, for a man about five feet eight inches tall has been asked for by one of the church workers of the diocese.

CHANNELS FOR CHRISTIAN SOCIAL SERVICE

Several members of the Parish have already responded to the opportunity for service offered at the Preaching Mission by volunteering for work through the green slips at the Bethesda School, the Leamy Home, and the Community Center. There are still many openings for volunteers and Miss Newbold, of the Volunteer Service Bureau, is particularly anxious to find *men* who will act as advisers for boys groups in settlements, *women* to help in recreational skills in settlements, *young men and women* for statistical studies, and volunteers for the always much needed motor service. The Episcopal Hospital wants clinic aids; the Hope Day Nursery, a teacher for folk dancing.

Those who wish to volunteer for any of these jobs should call Miss Florence Newbold, the Volunteer Service Bureau, 311 South Juniper Street, Kingsley 1658.

THE APRIL APPEAL

As a supplement to the Every-Member Canvass of the Parish, the Vestry has conducted for the past five years a special appeal to raise the Parish Budget in full. It is still necessary to secure some \$10,000 if we are to carry out our program for 1935, meet our interest charges, and pay off even a small sum on the Church debt. Letters describing our situation in full will soon be mailed to all our members.

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IN BRIEF

Homer, it seems, when he was working on the Iliad, said something about recovery from a difficult period, and the words have been quoted relative to the present time of encouragement and perseverance among the Church's missions:

Let us be going, for truly the night is waning, and near is the dawn, and the stars have gone onward, and the night has advanced more than two watches, but the third watch is yet left.

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The Parish Every-Member Canvass records 829 pledges for \$47,949.85. This represents an increase of 51 pledges over last year, although the total is still somewhat less. However, the record is not yet complete, as pledges are still coming in.

APRIL KALENDAR

- 7—Passion Sunday.
- 14—Palm Sunday.
- 15—Monday before Easter.
- 16—Tuesday before Easter.
- 17—Wednesday before Easter.
- 18—Maundy Thursday.
- 19—Good Friday.
- 20—Easter Even.
- 21—Easter Day.
- 22—Easter Monday.
- 23—Easter Tuesday.
- 28—First Sunday after Easter.
- 29—St. Mark.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Daniel Alexander Wieland
Sponsors: Alice Thornton Dashiell
Philip Newbold Whittaker

Marriages

Robert Fulton Bole and Phoebe Dunn
David Newhall, Jr., and
Jane Martyn Dunn

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HOLY WEEK AND EASTER DAY

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APRIL 14th—PALM SUNDAY

Regular services at 8, 9.30, 10.20, 11.00,
2.15, 5.30.

DAILY (Except Friday)

7.30—Holy Communion.
5.00—Evening Prayer.

WEDNESDAY

8.15—Evensong with full choir. Special
Holy Week music.

MAUNDY THURSDAY

10.00—Holy Communion.
8.15—Holy Communion in commemora-
tion of the First Lord's Supper.

GOOD FRIDAY

9.30—Church School Service.
12.00-3.00—Service of the Passion, led by
the Rector.
5.00—Evening Prayer.

EASTER EVEN

4.00—Holy Baptism.

EASTER DAY

7.00, 8.00, 9.30—Holy Communion.
11.00—Morning Prayer, Holy Communion
and Sermon.
3.30—Easter Carol Service and Proces-
sion.

EASTER MONDAY and TUESDAY

7.30—Holy Communion.

OFFERINGS

Good Friday for The Jerusalem and the East
Mission.
Easter Day for the new Church debt.

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AFTER TEN YEARS



THEY say that the proper time to write a book about Japan is either after a ten weeks' visit or at the end of ten years' life in the Flowery Kingdom. The same may be said of Chestnut Hill. The fact is that you can't know much about any place until you have become a part of its life. During ten years St. Paul's has not only made me and my family most heartily welcome, it has allowed us to become a part of the life of the place. We are not yet preparing to write a book about it, but we have learnt to feel very much at home here. This is a good abiding place.

It is especially a good abiding place for a parson because for several generations the Church has been held in high honor. Religion is not an extra in Philadelphia. It is part of a life which may properly claim people's thoughts and services in a very exacting way. When, therefore, by the united effort of many workers a parish program has been thought out which meets our needs and is geared to our predilections, to have it meet with some measure of success should not be so surprising. At any rate this sounds like a fair explanation of the progress we have been permitted to make together through these none-too-easy times. May the future help us to grow continually in our knowledge of God and our understanding of the part He wants us to play in making America like His Kingdom. If we continue to depend on Him and upon each other the future should rehearse a still more effective record for St. Paul's Parish and its people.

ORGANIZATION NOTES



THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

On Tuesday, May 7th, at 10.30, the Woman's Auxiliary will hold its last meeting until next fall. A resume of the past winter's work will be given by the various committee chairmen. Please make a special effort to be present.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese will be held on May 8th at the Penn Athletic Club. Luncheon will be served at 12.30 at which there will be a "St. Paul's, Chestnut Hill, Table." At the meeting following the luncheon the speakers will be Bishop Taitt and Bishop Bartlett, of North Dakota. Kindly apply to Mrs. Shipley Thomas, at the Church House, for luncheon tickets, \$1.00 each.



YOUNG PEOPLE'S GROUPS

Early in May the groups will divide into small sections for concentrated studies, as a preparation for a three-day conference in the autumn, on such topics as Personal Religion, Inter-racial Problems, and War. The problems which arise in these different fields will be considered by the small groups. The purpose of the conference will be to find the solution, through the application of Christian principles, for these problems and, arriving at conclusions, not just to talk about them but to practice them, and to take definite steps to put them into action.

As a final meeting, on the last Sunday of May, the group plans to go out into the country somewhere, early in the afternoon, to take supper with us and to hold Evening Prayer and discussion.



THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The calendar for May is full as usual: May 6th—Business meeting.

May 11th—Dance in St. Paul's Parish Admission, 20c. Couples, 35c.

May 13th—(1) Annual Service to be held this year at St. Luke's, Gt'n.

May 25th—Annual Garden Party to be held at Mrs. Neilson's in Gladwyn.

CHURCH SCHOOL ITEMS

Thirty persons took part in the two hours of prayer for Peace (in ten-minute intervals), a project of the Primary School for Maundy Thursday. Some thirty-five boys and girls of the Upper School attended the 7:30 service of the Holy Communion on the same day.

At the Missionary Jamboree of last month \$43.05 was collected for the Children's Missionary Offering. The amount received on Palm Sunday from the offering boxes was \$148.00 (Grades 9-12 not yet in).

Dramatic presentations lately given include: Grade one—"Life in the Town of Nazareth"; Grade two—"Jacob and Rebekah"; Grade three—"The Origin of the Ivy and the Oak Tree in St. Paul's Churchyard."

The Eastertide Student Council of pupils will face some of the following problems: "How can we help our classmates to be more prompt at Church School?"; "What shall we do about the people who haven't paid their Church School pledges?"; "Who should assume responsibility for keeping our classrooms orderly?"; "How could we have made the Lenten, Holy Week, and Easter services better?"; "Shall we have an exhibit of Church School work in June, and if so, what are the important things to show?"



THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

In an effort to raise funds for our customary summer donations the Society will give a card party in the Parish House on May 15th, when we trust that interested friends of the congregation will support us in their usual generous way.

A few warm garments are needed to finish filling a barrel for Labrador. It is to be shipped before our summer closing meeting of May 29th.

VESTRY ELECTION

The following Vestrymen were re-elected at the annual election of the parish on Monday, April 29th: H. Frazier Harris, Philip Thornton Dashiell, Albert A. Jackson, Joseph W. Wagner, P. Blair Lee. Together with these we are happy to announce the election of George M. Dallas as a regular Vestryman. He certainly deserves such recognition after many years of service in the Church School and in various other capacities throughout the parish.

VISITING PREACHERS

May 12th — The Rev. Alexander Zabriskie, of the Alexandria Theological Seminary will preach at the eleven o'clock service.

May 26th—The Rev. Albert Eastburn, Priest in charge of St. Barnabas', Kensington, will report on his work. The Parish has made a voluntary offering of \$100 a month for Mr. Eastburn's salary for nearly three years.



AN APPRECIATION.—During the ten years of the rectorship of Rev. Malcolm E. Peabody there has been a steady growth in the life of St. Paul's built upon the firm foundation laid by the former rectors, Dr. J. Andrews Harris and Mr. John H. Chapman.

A few of the outstanding evidences of such growth form the subject matter of this appreciation, but numberless others will certainly come to the minds of individual members of St. Paul's which are too personal to be expressed in print.

To begin with the material side of the life of the Parish, gratitude is due to our present Rector for bringing into reality a thirty years' dream—the beautiful new church building and the added wing for the Church School. Mention of the latter naturally leads to our realization of its fine organization under expert management which is contributing more than can be measured to the religious development of the boys and girls and young people of the Parish.

Out of the Rector's earnest desire that each one of us shall bring Christian living into all our relationships there have come into our Parish activities: (1) informal discussion groups on religious subjects; (2) instruction in the technique of prayer and meditation which emphasizes worship as the keystone of the whole religious fabric.

As a result of these opportunities there are felt to be in the Parish an increased earnestness of purpose, greater personal responsibility in social matters and deeper interest in things of the spirit.

The response of the congregation in these matters is due to their confidence in their leader whose simplicity, sincerity and consecration claim their loyalty.



THE APRIL APPEAL

At its last meeting the Vestry authorized the Accounting Warden to make an appeal for \$10,000 to fulfil our current budget needs for 1935. These include items for interest on the new church debt, a small allowance for carrying the Roberts' property and sums for the fulfilment of our program both in Chestnut Hill, in the Diocese and the General Church. This is a smaller sum than was needed at this time last year. There is every hope of our raising it if each one is willing to do his part. A circular letter will soon be sent out designating May 19th as the day of the general offering.

SERVERS GUILD

There are twenty young men and boys, members of the Servers Guild, ranging in age from twelve to twenty-two. Of these, sixteen are servers and four are candidates. A boy to qualify as a server must be confirmed and serve as candidate for one year before receiving his medal. The duties are arranged three months ahead at a meeting when all the servers are present.

The work done by the boys has been most faithfully carried out and has added no end to the reverence and order of the services.

ON THE HOLY COMMUNION

In what way is Christ present? He is at the Head of the Feast. To the devout worshipper in the Holy Communion the ministrant fades; all that is visible melts into invisible glory. It is Christ who is again breaking the bread and pouring the wine, and through these sacramental elements is bestowing upon His last disciples the same inner essence of His life and character which He gave to His first disciples in the Jerusalem upper room. He is giving the quality of Himself which we may call the will to be broken, to be poured out, that God's utter love may be known in the lives of men. It is not outward form, it is not dramatic action, it is not parable; it is contact, presence, the personal communication of divine life to human life. They will remember that the Church is called the Body of Christ; and through the Holy Communion they will enter into a new experience of brotherhood. They will count that reception of the Sacrament most sacred when they have knelt with all sorts and conditions of men, and have felt the glow of a relationship which includes all humanity, because for all humanity Christ broke His body, that He might be found in His new body the Church.

Bishop Charles Lewis Slattery,



THE WOMEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Women's Bible Class of St. Paul's Church was organized three years ago. We meet in the Chapel every Sunday at 10 A. M. except one Sunday a month, when we have Corporate Communion at the eight o'clock service, followed by breakfast.

We have studied the Prayer Book, the Christian Year and at present are reading and discussing St. Mark's Gospel in order to see how we may apply our Lord's teaching to every-day living.

At Christmas time we have given money for baskets for the needy, and at the close of our season for the past two years have had as our guests at supper the Women's Bible Class of St. Ambrose Church, Kensington.

MAY KALENDAR

- 1 S. Philip and S. James
- 5 2nd Sunday after Easter
- 12 3rd Sunday after Easter
- 19 4th Sunday after Easter
- 26 5th Sunday after Easter (Rogation)
- 30 Ascension Day



PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

William Ezra Lingelbach, III
Barbara Ann Higgins
Jean Pearson Horrocks
John Andrews Harris Shober
Peter Borie Howell

Burials

William H. Coward
Sarah Iowa Abercrombie Goodman

Marriages

Robert Wheelwright and
Louise Nell Goodin
John Cadwalader and
Beatrice D'Este Penrose, Jr.



THE BIBLE CLASS

The class held its first meeting in December, 1921, so that when we close early in the coming June we shall have completed our 14th year and all the time we have had but one Secretary, David Lawson.

If any one would like to picture what the Secretary of St. Paul's Bible Class has to do, let him see himself composing, typing and addressing a weekly letter to over 100 men; let him imagine arriving at the Church at 2.15 every Sunday from October to June, keeping careful records of attendance, and doing the whole job with the greatest cheerfulness and good will for 14 years! It is no wonder that the Class, when regretfully accepting his resignation, said, "Well done!"

We now have a new Secretary, Joseph E. Birtch, who has taken hold like a steam engine and is setting us all an example for energy and good ideas.

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"FOLLOW ON."

WITH this final copy of the "Leaflet" let me wish every member of the Parish a summer-full of recreation. Some of us will leave Chestnut Hill for extended holidays of travel, or out-of-door relaxation. Some of us will do our relaxing at home. All will be stepping down the pressure of the "winter eight" during the "summer four." It is a good division of the year. For two-thirds of it we put work first, for one-third of it recreation.

That word "recreation," by the way, is coming back into its own. Time was when young people spent their resting-up time getting all tired out. The vogue is changing. Now most boys consider a vacation wasted that has to its credit neither work done nor new places seen. They have rediscovered the mind and its need for recreation. When people have really rediscovered the soul we shall begin to build a new world.

May we who have already done that continue to recreate our summer spirits. The Church services will continue each Sunday morning as usual here at home. They will also be found wherever we wander. Getting to service each Sunday recreates the soul with special efficiency in holiday time and helps the brethren too. I hope that the Forward Movement pamphlet "Follow On" which accompanies this "Leaflet" will prove another source of recreation during summer days. It is worthy of daily consultation in Chestnut Hill, and may not be out of place in foreign parts.

ORGANIZATION NOTES



THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Woman's Auxiliary held its final meeting of the season on Tuesday, May 7th. Interesting reports were given of the year's work in the five committees: Domestic, Foreign, Colored, Indian, Diocesan. The various Committees are in need of some extra financial help to fill their "Quotas" and to assist with some much needed "Specials."

A motion was made and carried to change back to Friday mornings for future Auxiliary meetings. It is hoped that former and new members will keep Friday mornings free to attend these meetings; the next one, and first of next season, will be in October.

From Alaska comes word that Bishop Rowe and Dr. Burke are looking to friends for financial assistance, owing to "cuts" in the appropriation for Alaskan Missions.

Dr. Grafton Burke writes: "Are we to abandon at one fell swoop 68,000 square miles. Can it be possible that we must abandon the church's only hospital for Indians? An institution equipped and modern throughout, endorsed by the profession. . . . Our present worry and one we must lift from the Bishop's shoulders is the immediate carrying on."

This letter carries no real complaint but seeks for a way to "carry on," by turning to friends in the Church for assistance. Courage and hope for the future is always the predominating spirit among the missionaries.



SUMMER READING

Many excellent books, biographical, devotional, missionary, are available in the library in the Parish Office. They may be taken out for the summer any time during office hours.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The card party held on May 15th proved to be one of the most successful events of the year and has enabled the society to make contributions upwards of seventy dollars to the Salvation Army, Consumptive Home, the Rector's Discretionary Fund and other general and personal gifts.

In addition to sewing for the Diocesan Bureau and for the crippled children of St. Michael's Home, several hundred articles for the Episcopal Hospital have been made. The society is scheduled to sew for the Chestnut Hill Hospital in the fall and look forward to another eventful year.



CHURCH SCHOOL Commencement Sunday

The Church School Commencement took place on Whitsunday, June 9th at the eleven o'clock service.

An exhibition of class work is now on exhibit in the Choir room, and is well worth seeing.

The Student Council distributed their paper entitled "St. Paul's Ledger," if additional copies are required they may be obtained at the parish office.

The 9.30 service will continue through the summer, and the Church School Classes will begin again on October 6th.



SUMMER UNION SERVICES

These services will be held as usual on Sunday evenings during July and August at eight P. M. The first will take place at St. Paul's on July 7th. The schedule will be posted in the Church vestibule.

PARISH FAIR

We are going to have a Fair on November 7th. A number of men and women in the Parish, struck by the need of united action to reduce further our debt on the New Church have decided to invite all and sundry to join in this important undertaking. Mrs. Pilemon Dickinson has consented to act as director. Mrs. Frazer Harris is Treasurer. At a meeting of representatives of all the organizations the project was launched. Preparations will go forward during the entire summer.

Don't forget the date. It is going to be a big occasion. Here is a chance for literally every one to do their bit in helping the Church at a point of real need.



MEMORIAL PANEL

Through the kindness of Miss Carroll Young a memorial tablet of carved and decorated oak has been installed in the Church by the north ambulatory in memory of Louise Weill Allen. Mrs. Allen was for years one of our most effective Church School teachers. The inscription exalts that service in the words of Daniel "They that be teachers shall shine as the brightness of the firmament."



BOY SCOUT TROOP 197

Our Scout troop has continued its increase in membership and now has about 32 boys.

During the winter and spring great interest was shown in camping, hiking and nature study.

If any one in the Parish could attend a Friday evening meeting and give a talk or demonstration or show pictures on interesting subjects, they will be most welcome.

Cooking equipment for camping is badly needed.

THE APRIL APPEAL

The funds so far received from our April Appeal amount to \$6,198.78 in cash and pledges. Reports are still being received by the Accounting Warden. The Fund will be kept open until the objective of \$10,000 has been reached.



THE FLOWER MISSION

The Flower Mission will carry on its work as usual during the summer months. Members of St. Paul's are invited to send flowers to the Parish House on Wednesday mornings before ten o'clock. Mrs. Robert Glendinning has again undertaken to manage the work. Flowers are sent to certain hospitals, missions and settlement houses where they give greatest pleasure and are eagerly looked forward to.

If contributions of vegetables can be made the Mission will be most usefully extended. Green vegetables cost little in the market and are a tremendous boon to sick folk.



SUMMER PLANS

One of the clergy will be in residence in Chestnut Hill at all times. Mr. Warren now on his vacation will return on July 15th when Mr. Peabody will leave. He will return as usual shortly after Labor Day. Any one wishing the services of the clergy should call the parish office (C. H. 0359) during office hours up until July 15th, and after that Mr. Warren's house (C. H. 1031).



A DRAWING OF THE CHANCEL

An excellent etching of the altar and reredos has recently been made by a Chestnut Hill artist, Mr. David A. Bell. We are very grateful to him for this service. The framed picture now hangs in the Parish Office. Miss Kennell has been authorized to take orders for prompt delivery.

A PRAYER FOR VACATIONS

Loving Father, who didst make this earth so fair. Open our eyes to see its wonders and our hearts to feel its beauty. In our days of refreshment and recreation draw us nearer to Thee through the things which Thou hast made. May the joy of Thy sunshine, the quiet of Thy forests, the murmur of Thy streams and the steadfast strength of Thine everlasting hills, teach us the deep secret of Thy Peace. Calm our fretful spirits. Deepen the current of our shallow lives. Renew in us faith and courage, physical strength and spiritual vision, that we may know ourselves to be safely held in Thy strong hands, and may joyfully conform our lives to Thy great purposes.

From this life, so near to Nature's heart, may we drink in new strength to help us reach the restless hearts of men. Give us Thy secret, and the power to share it with our fellows; that we may go back to the world and its duties, stronger, simpler, sweeter; and may thus become more worthy messengers of Him who saw His Father's goodness in the sparrow's flight, and His Father's love in the beauty which clothes the lilies of the field. We ask it for His dear sake. Amen.



EMPLOYMENT

A number of well-trained attractive young people desire summer work taking care of children, tutoring, or going away with families as companions to children.

The employment service will be continued throughout the summer under Mr. Warren. Many chauffeurs, carpenters and odd job people remain on the list. Kindly call C. H. 0359.

For Rent

A furnished room in a desirable home for a business man. No board. Apply Parish Office C. H. 0359.

JUNE KALENDAR

- 2 Sunday after Ascension
- 9 Whitsunday
- 10 Monday in Whitsun Week
- 11 Tuesday in Whitsun Week
- 16 Trinity Sunday
- 17 St. Barnabas
- 23 1st Sunday after Trinity
- 24 St. John Baptist
- 29 St. Peter
- 30 2nd Sunday after Trinity



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Queries

"And Abraham planted a grove in Beer-sheba."—Gen. 21:33.

We understand that the oak near the old rectory was grown from an acorn brought here from what is still called "Abraham oak" in Beer-sheba. Can any member of the Parish verify this report?

Has the ivy growing on the north side of the Church, any history?

The Children of the Church School are most interested in these questions. We would be grateful to hear from any one who could answer them. Address Leaflet, Parish Office.

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The Church's Mission.

“OUT in front of the Church, a Person is leading on. History has had to deal with Him for the last nineteen centuries. (He has a Purpose which He has handed on to His followers): ‘I am come that men might have life.’ ‘He who would save his life shall lose it.’ Here we have—His essential principle, not a theory for Him, but a working practice.—He demands that we accept this principle today, not as a theory held by a few but as the essential spirit of our lives.

“In certain ages this plain command of our Master has been obscured.—The Forward Movement must sound the call of this essential principle and purpose.—This is the Mission of the Church—not only (to) make it clear but (to) get it gladly accepted and put into action.”

(Quoted from the Introduction to the Fall edition of the Forward Movement Bible Readings pamphlet.)

ORGANIZATION NOTES

CHURCH SCHOOL

The Church School opens today. Boys and girls in the parish from Kindergarten through the Eighth grade meet at 9.30. The young people's groups from the Ninth through the Twelfth grades meet at 5.30. New pupils will be welcomed at both of these times.

Activity for the entire morning has been planned for the Kindergarten and grades 1, 2, and 3. They will meet from 9.30 until 12.15 under skilled leadership. We have been fortunate in securing the services of three children's specialists for work with this group:—Miss Mary McKee Simmons, of Springside Junior School; Miss Eva May, of the Stevens' School at Shady Hill; and Mr. Frederick Robinson, of Chestnut Hill Academy. Full information concerning the morning's program may be obtained in the church school office.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY NEWS

An important three-day Conference will be held by the Diocesan Auxiliary October 28 to 30 opening with dinner at the Penn Athletic Club at which the Rev. A. L. Kinsolving will be the speaker and the Hon. G. W. Pepper will preside. The program has been carefully thought out and promises to be of unusual interest. For further information apply to the Church House or the Parish Office, C. H. 0359.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The first fall meeting will be held on Wednesday evening, October 2nd. The Society is planning to join with the other organizations of the Parish in helping to make the Fair a real success on November 7th.



THE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

For fourteen years the Bible Class has been carrying on a useful if inconspicuous existence. Its membership consists each Sunday of about fifty men who come in season and out of season. It is one of the most dependable groups in the Parish, both in faithfulness of attendance and desire to be of service. Its fifteenth year will open on October 6th in the church at 2.15. Any man who cares to join the class will be made most welcome at that time.



CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Will all who are interested in joining the Confirmation classes this year meet with the Rector in the Auxiliary Room of the Parish House on Sunday, October 6th, after the 9.30 service, to hear our new plan described? It would be helpful if boys and girls could bring their parents with them to this meeting.



THE GIRL'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The first meeting will be a covered dish supper, Monday, October 7th at 7 P. M. The new officers will assume their duties.

Member Chairman—Mildred Grove.
Secretary—Aline Liberg.
Correspond'g Sec'y—Edith Henderson.
Treasurer—Mrs. Florence Pattison.

The Committee Chairmen are as follows: Worship, Helen Shuman; Recreation, Mrs. D. Tutein and Mrs. E. McNamee; Finance, Mrs. R. Nalle; Service, Mrs. M. Schaefer; Classes, Mrs. E. Shepard and Mrs. J. Dubois; Hospitality, Mrs. M. Roth and Mrs. M. Johnson.

PARISH FAIR

On Thursday, November 7th, a Fair will be held in the Parish House the proceeds of which will be devoted to further defraying the debt on the Church, which now stands at \$58,000.

Mrs. Philemon Dickinson has kindly consented to be Chairman of the Committee in Charge upon which are represented various parish organizations as well as many other interested people. The Fair will provide an opportunity such as we have not had in years of combining the whole membership of the Parish in a common effort. Judging from the plans already in hand it promises to be great fun and a real financial help.

The Committee on Arrangements is as follows:

Program—Mr. Joseph Birtch, Mr. Frank Henry.

Radio and Games—Men's Bible Class.

Household and Cake Tables—Woman's Friendly Society.

Plants—Mrs. Frazer Harris—Woman's Auxiliary.

Books—Mrs. Charles Brinley—Woman's Auxiliary.

Supper—Girl's Friendly Society.

Candy—Church School—Mrs. Arthur Crosby.

Opportunity Table—Mrs. Thomas Reath, Jr., Mrs. Joseph Wagner, Mrs. Joseph Sims.

Fancy Table—Mrs. Sydney Keith.

Chamber of Horrors—Mrs. Willing Pepper, Mrs. Frederick Morris.

Grabs—Mrs. Philemon Dickinson, Mrs. Frederick Jordan.

Lemonade—Mrs. Edwin N. Benson, Jr.

White Mice and Goldfish—Miss Ethel Benson.

Church Mission Handcrafts—Mrs. E. S. W. Farnum.

Tableaux—Mrs. Howard Liggett, Mrs. Franklin Pepper.

THE PARISH BOOK SHELF

Every parent who is concerned with Religious Education will want to read "What You Owe Your Child," by Dean Sperry of Cambridge, Mass. This book originated as the result of a lecture given by the author to the New York Junior League to which there was a most enthusiastic response. Convinced of the perplexities and problems involved in home life and parenthood, Dean Sperry has explored the avenues of approach to these problems and has given leading thoughts to their constructive solution. No small part of the parent's obligation to the child is the necessity of studying that debt.

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"Creative Prayer"—E. Hermann.

"The Secret of Victorious Living"—Harry E. Fosdick.

"Christ and Japan"—Kagawa.

"The Flame"—St. Catherine of Siena—J. Eaton.

"A Saint in the Making"—John Oxenham.



A COURSE FOR VOLUNTEER WORKERS

The Volunteer Service Bureau is offering a course for all who wish to qualify themselves for volunteer work, entitled "What a Philadelphia Volunteer Ought to Know About Social Work." Registration may be made at the Volunteer Service Bureau, 311 South Juniper Street. Kin. 1658. Further inquiries may be made through Miss Lily Cheston or Miss Katharine King, members of this Parish, who are also on the committee arranging for the course.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 197

The Scouts have commenced their regular Friday evening meetings in the Parish House at 7.30. Eighteen members of the troop spent a week at Camp Hart, while most of the troop enjoyed the summer activities of week-end campings and hikes.

All boys of the Parish over twelve are cordially invited to attend the meetings.



FORWARD INTO ANOTHER YEAR

God, our Shepherd, give to the Church a new vision and a new charity, new wisdom and fresh understanding, the revival of her brightness and the renewal of her unity; that the eternal message of thy Son, undefiled by the traditions of men, may be hailed as the good news of the new age; through him who maketh all things new, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



RADIO BROADCAST

On Sunday, October 20, from 10-10.30 Bishop Hobson will talk on "The Forward Movement" in the Church over a nation-wide hook-up (station WKRC, Cincinnati). This movement represents a sound plan for religious leadership in the Church. Bishop Hobson's address will well justify the effort of remembering to tune in at this hour.



POSITIONS WANTED

An experienced nursery governess and tutor for full or part time. Capable of taking entire charge of children.

A needy man who must have permanent light occupation. Can serve as mechanic's helper or automobile-washer or elevator operator.

An expert floorman will recondition your floors at reasonable rates.

Kindly apply to the Parish Office, Che. 0359.

OCTOBER KALENDAR

- 6 16th Sunday after Trinity
- 13 17th Sunday after Trinity
- 18 St. Luke
- 20 18th Sunday after Trinity
- 27 19th Sunday after Trinity
- 28 St. Simon and St. Jude

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

William Perot Latimer

Burials

Samuel Hope Carpenter
Emma Claudine Schleicher
Stevenson Crothers
Mary T. W. Murphy

Marriages

Henry Lea Hudson and Mary Kathleen Mason.

William C. Forseman and Eleanor M. Smith.

Charles S. Buchenhorst and Gladys G. Ott.

Frank Dow Tarra and Florence Marie Seka.

Warren Boyd Van Hook, Jr., and Beatrice Elizabeth Kirkland.

John Breckinridge Ramsay, Jr., and Caroline Voorhees Remak.

Richard Pinkerton and Susan Gene Loane.



IMPORTANT

If you have moved, won't you inform the Parish Office, Che. 0359, so that the records may be kept as accurate as possible?

As the Clergy wish to be of the greatest possible service, they would appreciate being informed of cases of illness or any other need requiring a visitation in the Parish.

RECTOR'S OFFICE HOURS

Beginning in October of each year the Rector holds office hours in the Parish House every Tuesday between 5 and 7. Special appointments to meet the clergy at other times may be made by calling up their houses or through the Parish Office (C. H. 0359).

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AN IRRESISTIBLE ATTRACTION

THE Forward Movement is doing one great thing. It has already begun to describe the Church's whole work in terms that appeal to the whole Church's membership. With such a lot of good people around just waiting to be used it has described that work in words that clothe it for many of them with deeper meaning.

For instance, it is not news that the Church's work is "*Christian*," but it is news to get the fresh connotation that it offers an alternative to Communism and to Fascism and is a warm friend of the democratic approach and of democratic processes of thought. It is no news to hear that the Church's work is "*Comprehensive*," but it is good news to hear that it is extending further every year into the unchurched areas of America, that it has a real concern for lonely rural dwellers, for Indians, for our foreign-born friends, for the negroes, and that its over-sea policy is directed by the thought that Japan, China, and India must follow Christ, instead of simply admiring Him, before there is the slightest chance of world brotherhood. It is no news to hear that our religion requires us to be "*Courageous*," but it gives us a new respect for the Church's program to find that it asks us now to be unsatisfied with a purely personal application of the Gospel and to make use of God's Power in the community, in politics, in business, and in every one of our expanding social relationships.

When the Church speaks in these terms she will once more provide an irresistible attraction for many who today see too little in her program to compel them to offer active service, adequate giving, and regular worship.

M. E. P.

ORGANIZATION NOTES



THE YOUNG PEOPLE

On Saturday, October 26th, a group of fourteen young people, including their adult leaders, went to Westtown Farm-house for a Conference which lasted until Sunday noon. After an afternoon of athletic events and various other activities, they were led in discussion by the Rev. W. Brook Stabler, Chaplain of the University of Pennsylvania, on the problems of "Ethical Relationships in School and in Business." Before retiring a meditation of preparation for Holy Communion was made. On Sunday morning Communion was celebrated at 7.45 and the group attended the Friends' Meeting at Westtown Farm School, a completely new experience for all. They were fortunate at that time in hearing Dr. Hornell Hart, formerly of Bryn Mawr, who spoke at the meeting with regard to the world crisis. On Sunday evening at the regular meeting of the young people a general summary was made and the whole experience seems to have been of great value to the group. The wish has been expressed that a similar opportunity might be theirs annually.



THE PARISH MEETING

On November 18th, we shall hold our annual Parish Meeting, preceded by supper in the Parish House at 6.30 P. M. The Committee of which P. Blair Lee is Chairman has planned to present to us certain sides of the Church's Program under the title "The Church and Social Need?" The meeting will probably wish to discuss what St. Paul's can do about it. Certain proposals will be made looking forward to more effective promotion of our work here and in all the wider fields of the Church's work.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Sunday—Nov. 3rd—Corporate Communion. No supper.
Monday—Nov. 4th—Preparation for Fair—Basketball.
—Nov. 7th—Parish Fair.
Monday—Nov. 11th—Discussion—"Peace"—Basketball.
Monday—Nov. 18th—Parish Meeting.
Tuesday—Nov. 19th—District Conference—St. Mark's.
Monday—Nov. 25th—The Committee for the month entertains.

The G. F. S. will serve afternoon tea and supper at the Fair in the front room and solicits the patronage of all visitors.



THE CHURCH SCHOOL

The Church School has charge of the candy table for the Fair under the chairmanship of Mrs. Harry Butterworth, Jr., assisted by the Student Council. The Primary children are making bags for the Fair on next Sunday and the upper school is making candy and filling boxes on Wednesday afternoon after school. The young people are helping to serve the supper and run a moving-picture for children in the afternoon.

There has been an increase in the Church School attendance over the same month last year of 11%. 90% of the children in the Kindergarten and the Primary School are remaining on Sundays from 9.30 to 12.05 with a varied program of Religious Education. 355 pupils are enrolled in the Church School with a staff of 52.

The next teachers' meeting will be held from six to seven o'clock on November 18th, preceding the Parish supper and Parish Meeting.

THE FAIR

We are going to hold a Parish Fair for the first time in many moons. Tickets have been distributed through the Parish, together with a poem fully describing its attractions. The date is Thursday, November 7th, from 3 to 11 P. M. Admission 10c. There will be things to buy, things to eat, and things to see. The Tableaux in the evening should not be missed. The proceeds of the Fair will be devoted to the New Church Debt which now stands at \$55,850.00.



MR. ZABRISKIE TO PREACH

We are to have the benefit of a sermon on Sunday, November 17th, from the Rev. Alexander C. Zabriskie, S.T.D., of the Alexandria Seminary, who has long been a good friend of St. Paul's and is coming this time to tell us about his trip to Southern Brazil last summer where he did some teaching in the Theological School at Porto Alegre.



THE ALTAR GUILD

The Altar Guild has many devoted workers, but is always ready for new ones, who would carry along the work of those who have been on the Guild for twenty or more years. A kind friend last week offered to give a Fair Linen cloth for the Chapel, as there was only one for that Altar.



ANOTHER PEACE DISCUSSION

Those who promoted the U-Table discussion were so encouraged by the favorable comments that they are planning another such discussion on Tuesday, November 26th. The subject will be "Can Peace be promoted by other means than Force?" We hope to secure as able a group of leaders as we had with us last April.

THANKSGIVING DAY

The address at the ten o'clock service on Thanksgiving Day will be made by Mr. Coleman Jennings, a layman of the Diocese of Washington, who for years has been a leader in the Church's work, especially among college men. He was prevented from speaking to us last year through illness. We shall welcome him most gladly on November 28th.



THE EVERY MEMBER CANVASS

The budget for 1936 will be adopted by the Vestry following the Parish Meeting on November 18th. As a result of the care that is being spent upon it they hope to show that the Budget this year may be a peculiarly appealing one. How grand it would be if we could raise our full Budget before the beginning of 1936. This would enable us to devote all special efforts during that year to the reduction of the Church's debt.

November 24th this year will be "Offering Sunday" when we are asked to lay our pledges on the plate. The canvass of those who wish to be visited will begin Sunday, December 1st.



UNITED THANK OFFERING

The Diocesan Presentation meeting for the Fall In-Gathering is to be Thursday, November 7th, and contributions may be sent to Lola D. Peck, Treasurer, Montgomery Avenue and Birch Lane any time before that date. It would be so encouraging to increase our number of women giving to this splendid work during the present Triennium, 1935-6-7. St. Paul's Church was second in our Diocese in the amount of money given during the last Triennium, but the number of givers was comparatively small. Can we not increase our list of contributors? Interest means even more than money.

THE PARISH BOOK SHELF

In "The Story of The Bible" Walter R. Bowie, through his brilliant interpretation, has given us a rare opportunity of seeing and comprehending the significance of the Bible in its entirety.

The book is written from an intelligent modern viewpoint with a real knowledge of background—so necessary to complete understanding.

Young people, as well as those more mature, will enjoy and appreciate the beauty of Dr. Bowie's latest contribution.

OTHER suggested reading for this month is as follows:

"The Power of Non-Violence"

—Richard B. Gregg.

"Those Disturbing Miracles"

—Lloyd Douglas.

"The Cross of Peace"—Philip Gibbs.

"Christ and Human Suffering"

—E. Stanley Jones.



THE NEW WINDOW

As the Leaflet goes to print a new memorial window is being placed in the nave of the Church, the gift of Mrs. Biddle R. Marsden in memory of her sister, Miss Mary E. Hebard. It is especially fitting that the memorial to one who cared so much for the work of the whole Church should portray the missionary contributions of the Episcopal Church both of England and of America. A detailed description of the window may be seen in the Notice Sheet of November 3rd and the identity of the various figures found on a card near the window itself. We are all deeply grateful for this important contribution to the beauty and teaching power of the New Church.



FOR RENT

The Parish Secretary has a list of attractive rooms in good homes, convenient to the business district of Chestnut Hill, for rent at reasonable prices. Kindly call C.H. 0359.

BEST MOVIE FILMS

For Family

Annapolis Farewell	Bright Lights
Top Hat	Bonnie Scotland
The Gay Deception	Broadway Melody
	of 1936

Of Special Interest to Adults

Harmony Lane	Diamond Jim
Dark Angel	Jalna
Anna Karenina	Don Quixote
(From "The Christian Century")	



NOVEMBER KALENDAR

- 1 All Saints' Day
- 3 Twentieth Sunday after Trinity
- 10 Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity
- 17 Twenty-second Sunday after Trinity
- 24 Sunday before Advent
- 28 Thanksgiving Day
- 30 St. Andrew



PARISH REGISTER

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Josephine Wayne Pepper
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Betty Louise Pfautz

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Charles Roebling Tyson and Barbara Kurtz.

William Lang Day and Marcella Louise Morgan.



ADULT CONFIRMATION GROUP

The Rector would like to hear personally from any members of the Parish, above the Church School age who are interested in Confirmation. A number have already announced their intention of joining an instruction group for older people which will hold its first meeting on Sunday afternoon, November 17th, at 5.30, in the Parish House.

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Can we make Christmas more Christian?

LOOKING forward to the commercial value of the approaching season a certain advertiser has naively spoken of the "coming campaign." Doesn't that fairly express the way many of us feel each year as we gather ourselves up for "a greater and yet grander" celebration? Yet fighting somehow does not suggest the best kind of a Christmas.

Would it help to start now by going way back to the beginning at Bethlehem to think out our plans? We might discover a whole new set of ideas awaiting us beside the manger.—"Christmas is Christ's birthday. If I prepare Him a gift He can pass it on to others." "There are victims of this 'hard-boiled' world whose Christmas can be made happy only if I seek them out." "The gifts that children enjoy most are those that they make themselves to give away."

The people who made up the new Forward Movement Bible Readings for Advent and Christmas must have watched and waited long before they sat down to write. Their little booklet* contains helps for all who wish truly to prepare for the Holy Time. What a Forward step it would be if we all could temper the "Christmas Campaign" this year with a plan for keeping the season wholly worthy of Him whose blessed name it bears.

M. E. P.

* "Forward Day by Day"—a booklet of Bible Readings and Prayers. It may be found in the Church Vestibule after any service.

ORGANIZATION NOTES

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

During November several committees have been formed to help with the work of the School. A Parent Committee has been organized to plan for the next Parent Meeting in December; a group of teachers are making plans for the next Teachers' meeting to be held in January; the Primary teachers are conferencing about the Primary service; the Student Council are examining the needs of our parish in preparation for voting Sunday in the Church School (i. e., from the class treasuries); a committee of the Council is preparing illustrated material for this appeal; a committee on Confirmation is working out with Mr. Peabody suggestions for the Confirmation classes; a group of the Executive Committee is studying the subject of supervision in preparation for acting as visiting teachers in the School.

The move toward organizing such groups seems in line with the general idea that parishioners are interested in assuming responsibility for the life of this parish.



PARENTS' MEETING

The Parent Committee of the Church School invites all interested parents and friends to a Round Table Discussion in the Parish House, Wednesday, December 11th, at 8.15, on "How Make Christmas More Christian?" This discussion will raise such questions as "What about Santa Claus?" "How interpret the Christmas story for boys and girls?" "How combat the secularization of Christmas?" Parish and community people will take special part in this discussion. Religious books for children's Christmas gifts may be purchased at this time. A service for home use on Christmas eve, prepared in committee, will be distributed.



WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The proceeds from the card party which the Society held on December 4th will be distributed to the Consumptive Home in Chestnut Hill, Salvation Army, Christmas baskets, and the Rector's Discretionary Fund. This organization is to be congratulated upon its generous contributions to work of the church.



GIRL'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

"Peace" is the subject to which the G. F. S. "Record" for November is dedicated and so it was a fitting subject for the annual conference of the branches in this district. The speaker was Dr. Jesse Holmes, Professor of Philosophy at Swarthmore, and after showing the futile waste of lives and money by war he called on this generation to stop it. In our branch further discussions on the subject are being held, some of the members volunteering to do article reading.

Plans for our annual Christmas party at the Chapel of the Transfiguration are under way, which will include entertainment, presents, ice cream, and cake. We like to take with us any clothes in good condition which might be used for the very poor families in that district. Anyone who would like to add to those we are collecting, may leave them in the Parish Office, marked "G. F. S."

The G. F. S. Basketball team will hold a dance in the Parish House on Friday evening, December 13th, at eight o'clock for the benefit of their expenses. Tickets 50c a couple or 35c single. The orchestra will be Bill Smith's Blue Aces.

FOR A CHRISTIAN CHRISTMAS

On Sunday, December 15th and December 22nd, the services at 5.30 P. M. will have as their themes "Making Christmas Christian." This advent theme comes out of the suggestion made by the Forward Movement Bible Readings. At these services the aim will be to see if we can discover for ourselves the real meaning of Christmas and to prepare ourselves more adequately for the anniversary of the birth of the Christ Child. The Sunday evening services at St. Paul's are formed around the nucleus of about forty-five young people so that those who desire to attend will be part of a real fellowship rather than a few scattered members.



THE FAIR

All who came to the Fair agreed that this was one of the best things that had happened to us in a decade. Every article was sold. Every seat was taken for the Tableaux in the evening. It seemed as if every member of the Parish had done something by way of preparation and the supplying of personal services in carrying the undertaking through. By rights all should be thanked individually but that would bring up the problem of where to begin and where to end. The Rector, therefore, takes this occasion for general congratulations and satisfaction for as the Queen said after the Caucus race "Everybody has won and everybody shall receive prizes." The undivided booty adds up to \$2,308.43.



IN BRIEF

The Ladies' Committee for the Consumptive Home in Chestnut Hill is trying to provide \$500.00 for a teacher for the children there. Mrs. Charles Platt of Prospect Avenue would be glad to hear from members of the Parish who are interested.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Our plans for Christmas services are similar to those in other years. We will start off with a Carol Service and a pageant, specially worked out for this occasion on Tuesday afternoon, December 24th, at 3.30. The Midnight Service will take place as usual, preceded by a half hour of singing in the Church. On Christmas Day, Holy Communion will be celebrated at eight and again at ten.



CHRISTMAS OFFERING

In making our Christmas Offering for the general work of the Church, let us remember Mr. Zabriskie's vivid description of the work in Brazil. We shall designate for this field the money received in order to show how keen we are about it.



CHRISTMAS DINNERS

There are definite signs of an upturn—let us be thankful—but there is still plenty of unemployment in Kensington and there are families and families where the Christmas dinners are still tremendously needed. Mr. Eastburn puts on his list those who are on relief and those who are trying to keep off relief but all are having a difficult time of it and all the names he gives us are registered. About 20 of the baskets go to families in Chestnut Hill.

Dinners cost from three to five dollars. Those wishing to give one may secure tags indicating the number to be served in each family, after service on Sunday, December 15th, or send their checks to Mrs. B. Franklin Pepper, Crefeldt St. Suggestive orders may be found at the American Store, the Piggly-Wiggly, and the A. & P. Donors are asked to have their baskets at the Parish House by ten o'clock on Tuesday, December 24th. All names will have been cleared through the Christmas Exchange.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Classes for younger members have been preparing themselves for the past two months to become participating members of the Church and have made a study of the Holy Communion and have attended services of Holy Communion as a corporate group. These groups preparing for Confirmation meet one year for preparation and study.



THE PARISH BOOK SHELF

Henry James Forman — "Our Movie Made Children."

Are your children allowed as a special privilege to attend the movies? Have you any idea what results it produces on their emotions, their mental and physical health?

Other suggested reading for this month is as follows:

"Saga of the Saints"—Undset.

"The Christ of Every Road"—Jones.

"The Christian Message For the World Today"—(Collected.)

"Beyond Damascus"—Spencer.



CHRISTMAS

The Graduate class of the Church School will present an out-of-door Christmas scene on Christmas eve just before the midnight celebration of the Holy Communion. The Confirmation classes and the Young People's Class will have charge of the Christmas pageant service to be held as usual at 3.30 P. M., on December 24th.

In planning for Christmas shopping all children of the parish are asked to include on their shopping lists a present of not more than 25 cents for a boy or girl of their own age. These new gifts are to be brought to the pageant service and presented at the Manger. They will be sent to St. Elizabeth's Mission for the Children Christmas party.

The Church School will be in session on December 29th.

DECEMBER KALENDAR

- 1 1st Sunday in Advent
- 8 2nd Sunday in Advent
- 15 3rd Sunday in Advent
- 21 St. Thomas
- 22 4th Sunday in Advent
- 25 Christmas Day
- 26 St. Stephen
- 27 St. John Evangelist
- 28 Holy Innocents
- 29 1st Sunday after Christmas
- 31 New Year's Eve

PARISH REGISTER

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James Felix Talbutt, Jr.
Juliana Randolph Wood
Theodore Voorhees Wood, Jr.
Louise Purves

Burials

Joseph Seka



A THREATENED DEFICIT

In spite of consistent efforts to economize expenses and to enlist the interest of new givers St. Paul's faces a possible deficit of \$3500.00 for the current year. The Vestry is making every effort to prevent our incurring a debt which would inevitably handicap our work and our giving for 1936. Two or three people have already volunteered to close the gap by sending checks to the Rector or the Accounting Warden. They would gladly hear from others who are like-minded.



EMPLOYMENT

A chauffeur of many years' experience with excellent references desires a permanent or temporary position. He is a mechanic and gardener and is willing to do any odd jobs as well. Phone the Parish Office, Che. 0359.

ST. PAUL'S Personnel Bureau continues its service to members of the Parish who are in need of work. Interviews with the secretary may be made any morning except Saturday from ten to twelve. Phone Che. 0359.

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The New Year - What of it ?

A REPORT of the accomplishments of St. Paul's during the past year would make in some ways a most satisfying picture. There is room for self-congratulation on financial lines. The number of those taking part in the parish life is increasing. Activities already in hand or planned constitute a significant and well-rounded program. That is all to the good.

Yet such a report would not reveal the real work of the Church at all. For the Church is not a business venture. It is the society of believers in God as He is known in Christ. Its business is to help people grow to know God more intimately and to love Him better. Its program must give Him a chance to work through us His way on the earth.

To this central aim of religion the "Forward Movement" recalls us. For this it has issued the Daily Bible Readings. With this aim in mind its future plans are being built. Already it has begun to help us think more earnestly about God. Surely in a chaotic world a Church that sees its duty in these terms offers the only hope.

M. E. P.

ORGANIZATION NOTES



CHURCH SCHOOL ITEMS

Many expressions of gratitude for the out-of-door Manger tableau on Christmas eve have come to the Church School office. Thanks are due to the Church School Graduates who, under the direction of Miss Ruth Kennell, made this scene possible.

Over two hundred Christmas gifts were received at the Manger service for distribution to the boys and girls of St. Elizabeth's Mission.

One of the Choir classes is now publishing a weekly news sheet for the school.

A moving picture of the General Convention of 1934 is being shown to all grades studying Church organization on January 12th.

During the Epiphany season the thought of the services and much of the classes work will be centered on missionary work around the world. Missionary offering boxes for use during Lent will be given out to the boys and girls on February 23rd.

A second parent-teacher meeting is scheduled for early February. The subject will be one of Lenten preparation for parish children.

The annual Candle-Light Service will be held this afternoon at 5.30, sponsored by the Young People's group of the Church School.



THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Society will have another card party on Wednesday, January 15th, at the home of Mrs. Robert Williams, 239 E. Highland Avenue. The group looks forward to a very full program for the New Year, and is most grateful to the members of the parish for their support and encouragement during 1935.

THE WOMAN'S BIBLE CLASS

Under the leadership of Miss Helen Zebley, the Woman's Bible Class which meets Sunday mornings at ten o'clock in the Chapel, has been studying the history of the parish and the organization of the General Church, and has prepared an interesting outline of the history of St. Paul's Parish.

Corporate Communion is held on the second Sunday in the month followed by breakfast. The group is planning to hold a monthly meeting. During the Christmas season, the class filled two pairs of stockings for patients at the Home for Consumptives and gave money for several Christmas dinners.

Visitors and new members to the class will be most cordially welcome.



THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The holidays over and the Christmas party at the Chapel of the Transfiguration successfully accomplished with such fun for ourselves as well as, we hope, the children of the Chapel—we turn our attention to plans for the New Year which include on February 7th another dance, and on February 21st, a card party.



The basketball team will play the following games:

Jan. 13—Old Christ Church, at home.
Jan. 27—St. Michael's, at home.
Feb. 11—Trinity, Oxford, at St. Peter's.
Feb. 17—St. Barnabas', at home.
March 5—Christ Church and St. Michael's, at St. Michael's.
March 9—Trinity, Oxford, at home.
March 16—St. Barnabas', at St. Barnabas'.
March 24—Old Christ Church, at Old Christ Church.

"FORWARD—DAY BY DAY"

The Forward Movement Bible Readings (with a blue cover) for Epiphany-Pre-Lent have arrived. They trace the growth of the boy Jesus and the preparation for His ministry. The comments, quotations, and prayers are admirably chosen. We want everyone who will use one to have a copy. If people would pay 12 cents apiece for the booklets, it would help us to finance the series of six for 1936 and give us a line on the numbers needed. They may be found in the Church vestibule after all services.



A WORD FROM ST. BARNABAS'

Mr. Eastburn writes with great enthusiasm of the help given by St. Paul's at Christmas time. We gave eighty baskets of food and \$165.00 for coal. He says, "To me it seems futile to preach to a lot of desperately poor people who are hungry and cold and without clothes. The best way that I know to express the character and love of Jesus is by going into the homes and supplying people in their time of extremity. Your splendid work in making it possible for us at St. Barnabas' to reach out into the homes of these unemployed people has gone forth to make the Gospel of Jesus known and felt in many lives whose hearts we have touched."

In addition to this, St. Paul's people gave me last year \$1200.00 to pay that part of Mr. Eastburn's own salary that due to poverty could not come from the mission itself. The Dean of the Convocation has written to say that they will need only \$1000 this year. I now have but \$40 toward the installment due St. Barnabas' February 1st and would therefore appreciate contributions for this purpose.—M. E. P.

FINANCIALLY SPEAKING

Q. How much is still owed on the New Church?

A. \$53,549.73.

Q. How much have we paid off recently?

A. In 1935 we paid \$8,450.27. But during the "Depression Years" (1930-1935) our payments have totaled \$46,000.

Q. What do we plan to do this year?

A. We hope to hold another fair. Perhaps we may receive legacies too like the one left us by Miss Hebard of \$5,000 "for the parish debts, if any, or for the Endowment Fund."

Q. Has the Church any other debts?

A. On the Roberts Property, to the east of the Church, we have during these same years reduced the obligations from \$125,000 to \$65,000. This property is now nearly self-supporting.

Q. Has the annual canvass equalled the yield of other years?

A. In number of actual pledges we are already ahead of any previous year. In the amount pledged we had on January 1st \$44,875.40 as compared to a final total of \$48,009.85 in 1935. But eighty-four pledgers to last year's budget still remain to be heard from.

Q. Is the Vestry pleased with this record?

A. The Vestry is thoroughly gratified by the interest, loyalty and generosity of large numbers of St. Paul's people. They foresee, however, the necessity of increasing each year the numbers of those pledging regularly to the budget if our present program of work is going to be kept up and vigorously pushed ahead.

NATIVE MINISTRIES GROWING

Foreign delegates have almost disappeared from the Triennial Convention of the Church in Japan. In 1935 there were but three known Japanese clergymen, all of the lay delegates were Japanese. It is not quite fifty years since our Church was organized in Japan.

Elsewhere among recent Anglican Bishops are two Chinese, an Indian and a Japanese. When announcement was made of the election of Bishop Sasaki "such a storm of applause burst forth as perhaps has never been known in the Japanese Church."



A PRAYER FOR A NEW WORLD

By JAMES HILTON

O God, we pray Thee to rebuild the world for more splendid lives than ours; add wisdom to the ardor of the young, and loving kindness to the musings of the old; make our eyes aware of things that are too gentle to proclaim themselves; give us emotion far beyond the fret of nerves; free us from fear of our own brothers, and from the triple curse of greed, intolerance and vainglory.

Lift the dark cloud of war from our future, and grant comfort to all quiet, kindly folk who carry peace in their hearts amidst the stress of conflict; strengthen them also to endure what may befall.

Bring down the tyrant; befriend the victims of injustice and equate the rewards of labor nearer to the needs of men; and accustom us to work, not for the snatched profit, but for the common good and for the planned destiny of mankind.

Give patience to those who wait restlessly for this, and hope to those who have ceased to believe that it will come; and fill our hearts with faith in a Kingdom of Heaven which our children's children may some day find on earth.

JANUARY KALENDAR

- 1 Circumcision
- 5 Second Sunday after Christmas
- 6 Epiphany
- 12 First Sunday after Epiphany
- 19 Second Sunday after Epiphany
- 25 St. Paul
- 26 Third Sunday after Epiphany



PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Joan Adele Martha Carnevali
Jane Vanuxem Potter Carnevali
George Gordon Atkeson

Burials

Albert W. Butterworth
Dorothy I. J. Seka

Marriages

George Arthur McFarland, Jr., and
Mary Phillips Appleton.
James Drummond Brown and Adelaide Lobs Ward.



THE PARISH BOOK SHELF

LLOYD C. DOUGLAS,

"Those Disturbing Miracles"

A logical interpretation of Christ's miracles which will be absorbingly interesting to anyone who has found it hard to reconcile them as told in the Gospels with the character of His other teachings.

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So we go 'Forward - Day by Day'.

EVERYONE who has used the Forward Movement Bible reading booklets has been conscious of the increasing claims that our religion lays upon us. Christ claims our family for the Kingdom but He goes on beyond that. He claims our school life, our business life, our political life, and our international relationships too. There is no field in which people meet that escapes His interest or lies outside His concern.

The grand thing about meditating over such ideas is that sooner or later they really begin to get into our consciousness. We can't read what Dr. Jacks reports about religion* in everyday teaching without feeling how God is giving us an opportunity in everyday ways to show Him to others and to reveal His Power in our own lives. We can't read Gandhi's celebrated challenge to Christians** "Put your emphasis upon love, for love is the central thing about Christianity," without bridling a bit as we realize how far from true loyalty to Christ we all still are.

Of course the first effect of these exercises is to humble us almost to despair. That hurts. But the second effect is better, for the conviction soon begins to grow that Christ who has set these goals for us will enable us to attain them. Though His religion is primarily a matter of love, it is also a matter of power.

*"Forward Day by Day," pg. 31, **pg. 43.

ORGANIZATION NOTES



A CHURCH SCHOOL PARISH MEETING

The Student Council of the Church School is conducting a Church School parish meeting at 10:10 on February 9th, to explain a change in the system of making offerings through the Church School. Grades 4 through 8 are now being asked to contribute to the regular work of Saint Paul's Church instead of contributing to class treasuries and voting for special causes. The Executive Committee feels that in this way the boys and girls will feel themselves more fully regular members of the Church. Members of the Student Council who have had a share in making plans for this meeting are James Butterworth, Katharine Crosby, Betty Hutchinson, Betty Ketcham, Maris Madeira, David Nalle, Evelyn Nimon, and Samuel Peabody.



PARENT-TEACHER MEETING

An important meeting for all parents and teachers of Church School pupils is being held on Wednesday, February 12th, at 8:15, in the parish house. The subject will be CHILDREN AND LENT, and the discussion will center around such questions as:

How can we develop the devotional life of the children in the home?

Do we wish to have special week-day service for children at the church?

Are there values in asking children to practice self-denial during Lent?

How shall we present the meaning of Lent to children and young people?

Three well-qualified directors of religious education will help us in our thinking by conducting a round-table discussion at this time: Miss Alice

Crothers of Christ Church and St. Michael's, Miss Gwendolyn Miles of the Pro-Cathedral in Baltimore, and Miss Frances Young of the Church of the Redeemer in Baltimore. After the discussion specific plans will be formed for the religious life of the children in this parish during Lent. Religious books of devotion for boys and girls will be on sale at the meeting.



THE G. F. S.

In the Girls' Friendly Record for February appears the following: "The motto of the Girls' Friendly Society is 'Bear Ye One Another's Burdens and So Fulfill the Law of Christ.' Why are burdens so unequal in the world today? In fulfilling the law of Christ should we not try to discover how we may share the world's burdens more equally—the burdens of poverty, unemployment, ill health, racial discrimination, industrial strife? What is your community doing to help the burden bearers? What is your Girls' Friendly branch doing? How can we all help to plan and work for a world that will better fulfill the law of Christ?"

To find out more about the situation in our own community we have asked Mrs. Landstreet to be with us two evenings in February, the 10th and 24th. On the 17th our basketball team plays St. Barnabas'. On the 21st comes our annual card party.

Our particular interest this Lent is Mexico and on the first Monday in March, Mrs. Thomas L. Harris is going to speak to us on that subject.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Woman's Friendly Society plans to have a number of activities during the coming months including supper and rummage sale. One of the most interesting activities of the society has been the home work of some members who, unable to attend the meetings, are making aprons and selling them to help the treasury. During the illness of Miss Yocom, Miss Zelbey will be in charge of the meetings.



The Woman's Auxiliary will meet weekly in the Parish House on Fridays at 10:30 during Lent. There will be a service in the church at ten o'clock before the meeting.



HYMNS FOR 1936

Three years ago we adopted a new policy regarding hymns. We decided to sing only familiar hymns with the exception of six new ones that we should try to learn each year. It has worked very well. The singing at services is much more hearty than it used to be. We mean to continue the plan this year and have chosen the following new hymns for 1936: 51, 62, 191², 196², 255, 296. It would be a fine thing if people should try these hymns on the piano and get to know them at home. An opportunity will also be given on February 9th and 23rd to practice them together in Church after morning service.



"AS WE GO TO PRESS"

The Parish Canvass on February 4th stood at 731 pledges for \$46,590.40. We are still \$1,419.45 short of our 1935 total.

1936 PARISH PLEDGE

As a result of the January meeting of the Vestry it was decided to pledge \$20,000 to the Diocese and General Church. This will probably not produce a smaller total gift from St. Paul's than in 1935, which was \$22,000.00. The change in figure was made necessary after we found that subscriptions to the Diocesan Contributor's Fund might no longer be credited to our pledge. This was allowed in 1935.



LENT

Ash Wednesday falls on February 26th this year. In advance of the date we shall issue our service card and book list as usual enclosing with it to every member of the parish a copy of the Forward Day by Day Bible Readings for Lent. What a lot it would mean to the parish if every member of it could follow through the season with such a devotional plan as the booklet suggests.



"MORE THAN THEY ALL"

"You could weep to see the people putting their gifts into the offering plate here," writes a recently appointed worker in the Philippines mountain province. "Money is terribly scarce. An egg is a rare and choice possession to most of the people, and eggs are their favorite form of offering. Sometimes there is a piece of rope put on the plate, signifying that there is a fowl or animal of some kind waiting outside the church door as an offering."

DEVOTIONALLY SPEAKING

Q. Are there other ways of saying your prayers than repeating over and over certain well-worn formulas?

A. Yes, surely. For unless we address God in our own words and bring to Him our own thoughts, praying will be formal if it exists at all.

Q. What are some of the best ways of approaching God?

A. Many people spend their time asking for things, but those who have made progress in the life of the spirit tell us we should bear down much harder on thanking God and praising Him.

Q. What good would come from that?

A. Why, chiefly that we should be led to think more of God's glory and His goodness to us, rather than of what we want of Him.

Q. Doesn't God want His children to ask for things?

A. Yes. Jesus asked for things, but He laid much more emphasis upon the value of developing one's friendship with God and trying to find out what He wants for us.

Q. How can I make my praying more religious?

A. It is often helpful to read at prayer time from some of the great masters of devotion, like Thomas à Kempis, Francis de Sales, Brother Lawrence, or even a modern like Evelyn Underhill. But it helps most to read the Gospels and to meditate upon them.

Q. What do you mean by "meditate"?

A. The word has a general and, also a technical connotation. In general by "meditation" we mean thinking over carefully and in a devotional mood the inwardness of what we have read. Pencil and paper will be found a most useful help in this connection. Write down freely what comes to you at such times. A discussion of "meditation" as a developed practice we shall need to think about at greater length later on.

FEBRUARY KALENDAR

2 Presentation — Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

9 Septuagesima

16 Sexagesima

23 Quinquagesima

24 St. Matthias

26 Ash Wednesday



PARISH REGISTER



Baptisms

Richard Stewart
Sarah Murray Cowperthwaite

Burials

Nahum I. Leach
Percy Gilbert Currier
Lydia Jane Clark

Marriages

Floyd Tallmadge Starr and May Bell Krumbhaar.
William Coulter Elliott and Anita Downing Kurtz.



FORWARD MOVEMENT PREACHER

The Rev. Arthur S. Sherman, D.D., will preach for us on February 23rd. He is the field worker for the Forward Movement and will bring us up to date with its plans.

Accounting Warden's Report for 1935.

INCOME

Balance from 1934.....	\$ 50.93
By Pledges	48,316.69
By Envelopes (Unpledged) ..	1,124.34
Special Contributions for Diocese and General Church ..	2,632.88
Rector's Fund	648.33
Sunday 9:30 and 5:30 and Week Days	255.67
Birckhead Fund	1,500.00
Special Gifts	744.08
April Appeal	6,971.38
Loan Germantown Trust Co.	15,000.00
Endowment Fund Income....	2,126.82

For New Church Debt

Easter Collection. \$1,091.84	
Miss Hebard's Legacy	5,000.00
W. T. Murphy... ..	50.00
Parish Fair	2,308.43
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	8,450.27

For 1936 Budget	4,443.95
Miscellaneous	960.36

\$93,225.70

EXPENSES

Clergy Salaries and Pension Premiums	\$12,615.00
Mr. Birckhead	1,500.00
Church School	3,850.02
Music	7,176.62
Parish Office	2,800.00
Care of Property.....	2,783.22
Operating Expenses	3,013.44
Accounting Warden	2,301.86
Interest on New Church Loan	3,186.06
Altar Guild	550.00
Contingent Expenses	578.54
On Pledge to Diocese.....	17,701.04
Episcopal Fund, etc.....	1,564.22
Roberts Property	2,326.47
Payment on New Church Loan	8,459.00
Payment on Roberts Mortgage	15,000.00
Payment on Germantown Trust Loan	1,085.76
Miscellaneous	2,176.33
Cash Balance	4,558.12

\$93,225.70

DETAIL OF PAYMENT TO DIOCESE AND GENERAL CHURCH

	Quota	Special
Diocesan Contributor's Fund.....	\$1,895.00	
S. S. Lenten Offering.....	274.36	
Church Extension Fund.....	723.50	
Through Accounting Warden		
For Nation-Wide Campaign.....	16,183.62	
For Bishop of Haiti.....	65.00	
For White Valley Mission, Kent, Washington... ..	50.00	
For Seamen's Institute.....	50.00	
Thanksgiving Offering for Episcopal Hospital... ..	531.64	
Through the Woman's Auxiliary		
Committee on Colored Women.....	186.00	
Diocesan Committee	246.30	\$3.00
Domestic Committee	276.40	
Foreign Committee	337.80	
Indian Hope Association.....	231.00	
Remitted Direct to Church House		
To Welfare Federation.....		1,590.00
To City Mission.....		25.00
By Girls Friendly Society.....		14.00
Christmas Offering Society.....	832.28	
Bishop's Bricks	127.10	

\$22,010.00

\$1,632.00

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SOUR FACES or GOOD NEWS.

JONATHAN SWIFT evidently had trouble with Lent. Said the Dean, "I hate Lent. I hate the different diets and furmity (whole wheat mush) and herb porridge, and the sour devout faces of people who only put on religion for seven weeks." Naturally! who wouldn't? Who doesn't now run round the corner to escape a "sour, devout face." Furmity sounds awful too, as if it would stick in the crop.

But how Swift would have enjoyed the high realities of the Forward Movement. It talks of the "Good News of Lent," as if we might find joy, and hope in it. It suggests giving up something in order to make ourselves more fit, a bad habit, for instance, or a softening one, or maybe taking some activity deliberately out of the crowded schedule. It also suggests doing something, listening to some news that is really Good News. Mercy! we hear so little of that these days that such a result from prayer-time or reading-time would carry its own reward.

Do any among us lack assurance? Do we have a worse self to get rid of? A guilty conscience? A pack of troubles? Christ has Good News to bring for the cure of these disorders. But He does ask that we come to Him to gain the mastery. He wants to help, but He has lacked the opportunity. I wonder if Dean Swift ever thought that what makes "sour devout faces" is to go through religious motions without any intention whatever of letting the Good News of Christ interfere with our most cherished sins.

ORGANIZATION NOTES



THE CHURCH SCHOOL LENTEN SERVICE

A special Lenten Service for Parents and Children is being held every Thursday at five o'clock during Lent. Unfinished bean bags, scrapbooks, prayer booklets, etc., will be distributed each week to those who wish to work for community institutions during Lent. Also at four P. M. cocoa is served in the Parish House followed from 4.15 to 5 P. M. by two dramatic groups working on Lenten and Easter plays. Boys and girls of all ages are invited to these groups.



DR. CASE TO SPEAK

Dr. Case of Teachers' College, Columbia University, will speak to parents and interested members of the parish on "The Meaning of Holy Week" on Wednesday, April first, at 8.15 in the Parish House.



DAY SCHOOL—CHURCH SCHOOL SUPPER

The teachers of the day schools in Chestnut Hill and the Church School teachers will have supper together in the Parish House before the panel discussion on Tuesday, March 24th.



G. F. S.

Our special subject for Lenten study this year is Mexico. Every member should try to read *The Record* for January which carries fascinating articles about the life of the people—their art, hand craft and religion. Especially interesting is the article by Bishop Creighton who was Bishop of Mexico until the government passed a law against foreign clergy. He now superintends the work which Bishop Salinas carries on. He shows us what our contribution has been and what it may be in the future to thousands of these people who

are unchurched and who may turn to Communism if the Christian Church cannot bring them Christ's answer to their problems of living. If our study does not bring to us an appreciation of the Mexican character with its love of beauty—the Mexican heritage from the Aztecs, who were a great people in the time of Cortez and behind them the Mayans, a sympathy with the national movement which is trying to make the people conscious of that heritage, and a desire to share the best we have with these, our brothers, it will have failed in its purpose.

MARCH CALENDAR

- 9th—Basket ball game with Trinity-Oxford
- 16th—Mildred Mathers—Mexican exhibit and discussion about Mexico
- 23rd—Moving Pictures
- 30th—Mrs. Eugene Allen—Lenten talk



THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The society is being led by Miss Zebley in the absence of Miss Yocom and are enjoying her stimulating leadership. Its members are engaged in sewing for the Diocesan Supply work and are taking orders for kitchen and tea towels.

On April 17th the society will join with the Men's Bible Class in holding a card party in the Parish House.



THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Auxiliary meets weekly during Lent at 10.30 on Fridays in the Parish House. The books which have been recommended for Lenten study are as follows: "That Other America" by Mackay, "Mexico" by Stuart Chase, and "Latin American Background" by Hurlbut. A special offering will be given to the work of the Church in Haiti.

THE STATE AND THE INDIVIDUAL

A third panel discussion will be held on Tuesday evening, March 24th at 8.15 in the Parish House, on the subject, "Should the steady encroachment of the State on the Liberty of the Individual be encouraged or opposed?" The Rev. H. P. Van Dusen, D.D., Dean of Union Theological School and a member of this parish will be the Chairman. Others who have promised to take part are: Herbert Goodrich, Dean of the Law School, University of Pennsylvania, Henry Parkman, Jr., State Senator of Massachusetts, W. H. Shepardson of New York, author of a recent book on foreign affairs and an expert in international relations, Douglas Steere, Dean of Haverford College. Other members will probably be added. All members of the parish are cordially invited.



ISAAC STARR

Isaac Starr was an outstanding member of St. Paul's. He represented this Church in the community as perhaps no other individual has done for more than a decade. He gave of himself, his means and his time without stint that the Church might advance and prosper. A member of the Vestry since 1895 and Accounting Warden for twenty-nine years, President of the Bible Class for fifteen years, teacher in the Church School, Warden of the Servers' Guild, member of innumerable diocesan committees and boards, he lived every day by the creed which he professed.

Of course we shall miss him in all his manifold activities. Such men are irreplaceable. But he has made for us a contribution that will live always. It is by men of such consecration that the Church is built, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven.

THE MISSIONARY CRISIS

Q. What is the National Council?
A. It is a group of bishops, clergy and laymen elected by the General Convention and the eight provinces who carry on the church's work between sessions of General Convention.

Q. How has it carried on during the depression?

A. During the last five years it has carefully house-cleaned, economized and evaluated our missionary work in order to carry on most efficiently with constantly decreasing funds.

Q. How does our Church compare in giving with others?

A. In 1935 we raised \$30,000,000 for all purposes only \$2,000,000 of which went to the National Council. This represents a falling off of nearly 50% from the giving of the peak year.

Q. Is St. Paul's record better than the average?

A. Yes, it is, though in 1935 and 1936 for the first time we have cut \$4,000 from our usual \$26,000.00 gift at a time of the greatest need.

Q. What is the outlook for 1936 in the National Council?

A. Necessary expenses promise to exceed expected income by \$127,000. If this is not found by March 31st there must be further cuts in the general work of our church which has already suffered seriously from progressive annual slashes.

Q. What is our answer?

A. Shall we force the National Council to recall missionaries, close hospitals, reduce already pitifully small salaries and withdraw entirely from certain fields or shall we if necessary take a tuck in our own parish budget in order to throw in re-enforcements at a point of critical need?



CONFIRMATION

The Bishop will visit St. Paul's on March 22nd to confirm the Class at the 9.30 service.

MARCH KALENDAR

- 1 1st Sunday in Lent
- 8 2nd Sunday in Lent
- 15 3rd Sunday in Lent
- 22 4th Sunday in Lent
- 25 Annunciation
- 29 5th Sunday in Lent—Passion Sunday



PARISH REGISTER

Burials

Claire Louise Jackson Binford
Isaac Starr



MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

St. Paul's Class is leading in the annual membership contest of the Combination Men's Classes for the Isaac Starr Trophy by 37 points. It is hoped that all the men will continue to come out at 2.15 on Sundays in order to win this trophy for the second time in the six years that it has been offered.



MR. EASTBURN SAYS!

Two weeks ago, one of our boys, sixteen years of age, from Junior High School, came to me early on Saturday morning and said that his father was very ill, that they had had three doctors, but none seemed to know what was the matter with him and he felt that his father ought to be in the hospital and asked what he should do.

I called Doctor ——— on the phone and asked him to make a call on the man at his home, knowing that he being on the staff at the Episcopal Hospital, could have him sent to the Hospital if necessary, and I went over myself to see the situation.

The man is a member of our church, an Italian by birth, living alone in one room with his son and has been unable to work for some weeks, during his

sickness and had spent all the money that he had, trying to maintain himself and his son in one little room. Their sole possessions were the bed which they shared, a bureau, kitchen table, two chairs, and a two-burner gas stove. They lived, for the most part, on macaroni, which was cheap and about the only thing they knew how to cook.

The doctor made three visits, supplied him with medicine and finally diagnosed his case as lack of nourishment. At his suggestion, I arranged with Miss Watts, social worker at the hospital, to have the father sent out to Dunwoody Convalescent Home, for two weeks.

Not desiring to ask help, the father sold their few possessions to try and pay for the boy's room and board while he was away. The proceeds of the sale were barely enough to pay the boy's room rent. I placed him in the "Y" and arranged with a neighboring restaurant to care for his meals for a matter of fifteen days, at a dollar a day.

The check from Mrs. ——— which you so kindly forwarded to me, will pay for this boy's food.

If the father is well when he comes back, he has a job to go to which will take care of him and his son.

We began our Lenten services yesterday with forty people at the ten o'clock service, making their Communion. Last night, we had seventy-three at our evening service.

We have gotten every home in our Parish to take a copy of "Forward" under promise to use it together every day, thus we hope to start family prayers.

We are getting around fifty people at our early celebration of Sunday mornings.

Thank you for sending Mr. Wilkinson a check for my salary and for the enclosed check from Mrs. ——— which made possible our helping this very worthy family in their distress.

With best of good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Albert W. Eastburn.

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The Full Perfect and Sufficient Sacrifice.

"MY SOUL, it is well for thee to gaze on the Cross of thy Redeemer. The activity of meditating on his passion is good for thee; for when thou dost see thy Savior offering himself, mayhap thou wilt be constrained to go and do likewise. Nay, go not and offer; stay and offer. Thou canst be full of doing while kneeling and regarding; for wondering and believing and resolving are thy natural actions, O my soul.

Upon that Cross, thy Christ has offered himself once for all souls, and once for all time. His act of love transcends all countries and all climes; all calendars, all times. It was once upon a time; it is now in all time. It was once on earth; it is now in heaven; so let it be on earth again.

My Savior, at thy Holy Communion we are on Mount Calvary and in the upper room. We are at once partakers of food and partners in thy sacrifice. Let us accept the total power of the Cross, the lift of thy sacrifice, the nourishment of thy food."

from "Draw Near with Faith".

by S. S. DRURY.

ORGANIZATION NOTES



THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Maundy Thursday

As a way of commemorating this great day of the Church, grades four through eight are asked to attend the 7.30 A. M. service of Holy Communion with their parents or teachers. Breakfast will be served in the parish house following the service. Transportation to school will be provided.

There will be no special afternoon service for the Church School on this day.

Good Friday

A half-hour service will be held at 9.30 A. M. The Church School Choir will sing.

Easter Day

The Easter Carol Service will be held at 3.30 P. M. Both children and adults are asked to come to the parish house at 3.15 to take part in this ancient Church custom.

Lenten Offering Boxes

The Lenten offering boxes, designated for the work of our church in Mexico, are to be brought to the Church School on Sunday, April 19th. At this time there will be a special presentation service.

The exhibit of pictures drawn by Mexican boys and girls at the Open Air School, Taxco, Mexico, will be on display in the Parish House until this date.



MR. CHAPMAN ON APRIL 19TH

The Rev. John W. Chapman will preach for us on Sunday, April 19th. It will be a great joy to see our rector again and to have him bring us a message on Low Sunday.

G. F. S.

The Girl's Friendly Society in the Diocese is celebrating its 50th anniversary this year. An interesting program of special events has been arranged. Our own branch will take part in these on April 18 and 19 and has arranged its own program for Monday evening April 27 in the Parish House. All friends of the branch are cordially invited to attend on all three dates.

APRIL PROGRAM

April 6—Supper — address by Mrs. Willits, Branch president — Christ Church and St. Michael's.

April 13—Candlelight Service 8.15. Rehearsal for anniversary play.

April 20—Exhibition by Bond Bread Company.

April 27—Anniversary celebration.



"THE MISSIONARY CRISIS"

As a result of an informal meeting held after Church on March 8, in which the nature of the missionary crisis of the National Council was described, various members of the parish gave a total of \$1500. No contributions were asked for. This was free-will gift on the part of those who were interested. The response from all over the Church has been so immediate and generous that the full sum of \$127,000.00 asked for has been fully subscribed.

SERVICES FOR HOLY WEEK AND EASTER DAY

Daily

7.30—Holy Communion
5.00—Evening Prayer

Wednesday

8.15—Evensong, Choir service with Holy Week anthems and hymns with organ music by Theodore H. Keller, organist of Lawrenceville School

Maundy Thursday

8.15—Holy Communion—a memorial of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday

9.30—Church School Service
12.00—3.00—Service of the Passion led by the Rector

Easter Even

4.00—Holy Baptism

Easter Day

7.00, 8.00, 9.30—Holy Communion
11.00—Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon
3.30—Easter Carol Service and Procession

EASTER OFFERING

The offerings on Easter Day will be devoted to the work of the Diocese and the General Church. As we commemorate the Resurrection let us give our alms for the work of the risen Christ which is the making of Disciples in His name.

EASTER FLOWERS

Each year a number of people like to give memorial flowers for the Easter altar. Will those who wish to do so this year, kindly communicate with Mrs. H. P. Glendinning, 529 E. Gravers Lane, Che. 4806?

THE CROSS

Q. What does the cross symbolize?

A. Victory. It was once a gibbet on which criminals were executed. Christ converted it into a sign of complete triumph.

Q. How can we believe this?

A. From the words He spoke on the cross. He had beaten evil and death. They had no dominion over Him.

Q. Could Jesus have avoided the cross?

A. Yes, quite easily. He forced them to crucify Him by coming to Jerusalem.

Q. Why did He choose the cross?

A. Because by refusing Him people had turned down God. When God is turned down He does not retaliate, He suffers. Jesus knew that the suffering God men could not refuse. They would love Him.

Q. Why did the Centurion at the foot of the cross say this was "the Son of God?"

A. Modern scholars believe that he said "this was a son of God" or "a godly man." The point is that Jesus' conduct on the cross made the Roman officer think of Him not as a hero but as God.

Q. Is it wrong to use the cross as a charm?

A. Yes. There is nothing magic about it but we certainly can use it reverently as a reminder of what Jesus did in showing us what God is like. Thus the cross continually reminds us of the suffering love which is always in God's heart.

APRIL KALENDAR

- 5 Palm Sunday
- 6 Monday before Easter
- 7 Tuesday before Easter
- 8 Wednesday before Easter
- 9 Maundy Thursday
- 10 Good Friday
- 11 Easter Even
- 12 Easter Day
- 13 Easter Monday
- 14 Easter Tuesday
- 19 1st Sunday after Easter
- 25 St. Mark
- 26 2nd Sunday after Easter



PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Daniel Longstreth Pearson
Francis Ivan Stewart

Burials

Edward Burton Robinette
John R. Boyd

Confirmations

Betty Brunt, Lucinda Margaret Brunt, Thomas Andrew Brunt, Lucile Caldwell, Benjamin Cyrus Carmine, Sarah Myers Disston, Benjamin Rush Drayton, Forrest L. Gager, Jr., Virginia Glendinning, Joan Goodin, William Henry Hammett, Jr., Robert Frank Kane, Doris Leapson, Louise Lewis, Robert Clark Little, Marcia Ludlum, Emily Lorraine Matlack, Juliana Meryweather, Edward Moffly, Horace Disston Nalle, Richard Oller, Marguerite Page, Daniel Longstreth Pearson, Louise Pettit, Dorothy Newbold Ritchie, Nancy Robinson, Sanders Scott Sims, Richard Stewart, Sally Hall Strong, Virginia Newbold Strong, Rudolph H. Weber, Jr., Anne Farnum Wood, George B. Wood, Jr., May Allis Keefer, Sarah Craig Ferree, Morgan Knight, Eva May.

FORWARD MOVEMENT

The next edition of Forward Day by Day will be issued on Easter Day and may be taken from the Church by those who want it. These Bible Reading booklets are being printed in ever greater numbers as a result of the demand from more and more people who find through them a way of promoting regular habits of private worship.



WEDNESDAY IN HOLY WEEK

At a special choral service at 8.15 the Choir will sing Hosanna to the Son of David, Gibbons; O Blessed Jesus, Bach; Tenebrae Factae Sunt, Ingegneri; Adoramus Te, Anerio; O Vos Omnes, Vittoria; Surely He Hath Borne Our Grief, Lotti; If ye Love Me, Tallis; and Lord for Thy Tender Mercies Sake.

Organ music appropriate to the occasion will be played by Mr. Theodore H. Keller, organist of Lawrenceville School, Lawrenceville, N. J.



NEW VESTRYMEN

At the March meeting of the Vestry, Messrs. Arthur U. Crosby, William F. Kurtz and W. Chattin Wetherill were elected Vestrymen. As they have all agreed to serve, the parish may now properly congratulate itself on having acquired three such excellent people for its official board.



CARD PARTY

The Woman's Friendly and Men's Bible Class will give a joint card party on Friday, April 17, at 8.30 in the Parish House. Refreshments will be served. Admission 35c. The proceeds will be devoted to promoting the work of these two organizations.

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A FRESH MISSIONARY MOTIVE.

IN March of this year the National Council appealed for \$127,000 to carry out the bare necessities of the Church's General Program. It is heartening to know that this sum was promptly raised, even if it had to come chiefly from those who had already contributed. But the success brings certain questions in its train. Why is the General Church reduced to "bare necessities"? And why has missionary interest been so depressed?

One cause for lowered missionary vitality is to be found in the bewildering international situation. When questions concerning our national safety assail us, we are less likely to show interest in the welfare of others, even in connection with spreading the message of Jesus Christ. Yet if confidence between peoples is to be built up and concern for the common lot is to displace counsels of selfishness and suspicion it must be through the power of His Gospel. He can effect the miracle, and He alone can. Other means have been tried and have failed. The real leaders of the earth know this. Hardly a day goes by without a warning from one of them to the effect that we must learn how to live together as brethren if we would escape another Dark Age.

Does not a great new missionary motive lie just here? Supposing the Christian Church throughout the world were now to sound the note of brotherhood in Christ and citizenship in His Kingdom? That Kingdom does exist. It always has within the hearts of believers. But here is the golden opportunity to assert it as an external reality also. If the Christian Church could put in the forefront of their missionary program "The Kingdom of God and Human Brotherhood" they might save the world. At the very least it would give fresh and vital significance to the missionary movement.

ORGANIZATION NOTES



CHURCH SCHOOL NOTES

The final teachers' and officers' meeting of the Church School will be a supper meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur U. Crosby, 7301 Huron Lane, on May 19th. At this meeting the subject of worship, both formal and informal, will be under discussion.

The annual all-day session of the Executive Committee will be held on May 20th to discuss the fall curriculum of the Church School. New members recently elected to the committee include Mrs. Lucile Caldwell, Miss Mathilda Fassitt, and Mrs. Ralph Herrick. Miss Margaret Earle is the new chairman of the committee. The members whose terms expire in June are Mrs. Harry Butterworth, Mrs. Arthur U. Crosby, Mrs. William Monroe, and Mrs. Min-turn Wright, Jr.

The Church School will close on June 14th with a Commencement service at 11 o'clock. The last class session will be held on June 7th.



MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

This spring has been a banner time for the membership of the Bible Class. Just before he went away Isaac Starr offered a trophy for which five classes in the neighborhood would compete in a membership competition. This was won by our class with a wide margin. The service at which the presentation will take place will be held at 2.15 on Sunday, May 17th. All the other classes have been invited to attend.

The card party held in conjunction with the Woman's Friendly was a great achievement. Five hundred people entertained in the parish house on the evening of April 17th. A large number of prizes were given away.

G. F. S.

The various functions in which we participated during April to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the Girls Friendly Society in this Diocese made us realize our oneness with the Society and define more clearly what we are and where we are going. It was particularly pleasant to have some of our old members and associates return to us on April 27th, when past events of the G. F. S. in this parish were reviewed.

MAY PROGRAM

- May 4—Mothers and Daughters Banquet.
- May 11—Talk on "The Religious Life" by the Sisters of St. Clement.
- May 18—Business meeting with election of officers.
- May 25—To be announced.



THE SCOUT TROOP

The Scout Troop of St. Paul's Church under the leadership of Clyde B. Pyle, Scoutmaster, and Samuel Wilmot, Assistant, is prepared at all times to receive boys of 12 years of age and over who are interested in scouting. Though the troop is not exclusively for boys of St. Paul's Church, more and more boys of the parish have become affiliated with it. The Executive Committee of the Scout Troop is composed of the Curate, Mr. J. E. Butterworth, and Mr. Arthur H. Napier. Those interested in becoming members of the troop may apply for membership on Friday evenings at 7.30 in the Parish House.

THOUGHTS ON LENT

In common with other churches we have had an unusually good Lent. In spite of horrendous weather, Sunday morning congregations held up to normal. The eight o'clock services were especially well attended. The Children's services, too, on Thursdays showed a big increase of numbers and interest. The various study classes were both numerous and active. The Good Friday service ran ahead of all previous records. But the fact of real significance was the growth in devotional depth. There was far more participation in the singing, while the "helpfulness" of the services was consistently remarked upon throughout the season. One factor of unusual moment was the "fitness" of the staff as Lent drew to its climax. We don't mention this to attract credit to ourselves but rather to give vivid testimony to the spirit of "Lift" in which all shared both as givers and receivers.



WHY NOT A SUMMER CONFERENCE?

Each year a fine representation from this parish goes off to the Blue Mountain Conference. It will be held this year June 22nd to July 3rd at Chambersburg. In ten days devoted to the study of religion and the work of the church a grand opportunity awaits any one who would like to prepare to make himself more useful in the church's service. Already a number have indicated their desire to go. The Rector would be glad to hear from anyone who wants a program. As Chairman of the Program Committee he naturally feels that the conference is worth advertising!

VESTRY ELECTION

At a formal parish meeting held on Monday, April 13th, Messrs. William Lord Sexton, Elijah Dallett, Marshall S. Morgan and Arthur U. Crosby were elected to the Vestry for a three-year term. Changes by the addition of three new names were announced last month. We regret this month to have to tell of the resignation of Philip T. Dashiell, who having served the parish faithfully since 1902, has been forced to retire as a result of his removal to town. The Dashiell family has meant much to St. Paul's. We hope to keep a continuing relationship with them always.



APRIL APPEAL

The usual needs of the parish at this season have again materialized. We need, as last year, \$10,000 to help discharge our debt on the church, to pay interest, and to fulfill our pledge to the General Church. The generosity of the parish which has asserted itself whenever we ask a definite proportion from all our regular contributors is again being appealed to. Those who have already given are being invited to add 20 per cent more to their gifts for 1936. But in addition we are asking everyone who has not yet pledged anything to bear their part. How grand it would be to have 1000 contributors. We have to date 873.

MAY KALENDAR

- 1 St. Philip and St. James
- 3 3rd Sunday after Easter
- 10 4th Sunday after Easter
- 17 5th Sunday after Easter
- 21 Ascension Day
- 24 Sunday after Ascension
- 31 Whitsunday



PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Phoebe Martyn Bole
Sally Mason Howel
Francis Thomas Farish
Elizabeth Ayres Phelps
Margaret Shippen Groome
Louisa Maris Steele

Confirmations

Robert M. Lavelle, William H. Steele, Francis J. Rue and William L. Day.

Marriages

Allston Jenkins and Mary Powers Harris.



Sale for Porto Rico Mission

Germantown Friends School Craft Shop, West Coulter Street, will have a sale on May 16th, 2 to 6 P. M. of Baskets, Lingerie and Linens of all sorts, 25 cents and up. Proceeds for St. Andrew's Mission, Mayheuez, Porto Rico. Tea will be served.

U. T. O.

United Thank Offering week this year will end with the spring in-gathering service on May 7th in Calvary Church, Germantown, 10.30 A. M. Many members of this parish have taken the blue boxes which promote this most helpful share that women of the whole Church have voluntarily taken in the missionary cause. I hope that a lot of our people may go down to this service in order to hear from the eloquent rector of Wayne of the great factor that this "U. T. O." is in the church's life.

M. E. P.



FOR THEOLOGICAL BOOKS

Our old friend Dr. Yerkes has gone to teach Theology at the University of the South, Sewanee, Tennessee. He finds that the theological books available for their students are almost nil and has written to ask if any of his friends here would like to help him build up such a library. He has done so much for us at St. Paul's that there must be some interested enough in him and in the education of seminary students to want to help out. He would be glad to hear from us.

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SUMMER OPPORTUNITIES.

IN his book "In the Steps of the Master," H. V. Morton tells of a personal experience in Palestine. He came across two shepherds who having folded their sheep for the night in the same cave, called them out in the morning with the surprising result that the flocks separated themselves and obediently followed each after his own master. It is a wonderful commentary on the tenth chapter of St. John. Jesus did not in this figure make fully clear why men should follow Him. He merely invited them to do so and promised to endow all who did fullness of life. "I am the good shepherd. By me if any man enter in He shall be saved."

We used to think of religion as a matter that would take care of itself if we said our prayers and believed the creed. Nowadays we are beginning to think that such practises are valuable if they make us think more highly and more often of Christ. He is the crux of the matter. It is a matter of friendship. The real difference between one who works at religion and one who does not is not so much that one "does more good" than the other, but that one cares more about Jesus Christ. And we sense that difference. It does become an evident thing in life. The way to get it? There is only one way—to deepen our friendship. Worship of God helps, at least those who do it regularly say so. For those who don't it is not too late to begin. And summer services offer special opportunities.

ORGANIZATION NOTES



THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Commencement for the Church School will take place next Sunday, June 14th, at the eleven o'clock service. The Kindergarten and Primary boys and girls will leave before the sermon unless they are with their parents. An exhibit of work by the Primary and Middle School will be on display in the vestibule of the Church after service. There will be no 9.30 session.

An article, "The Bible for Children," by Adelaide T. Case is being sent into the homes of Church School children this week. A number of suggested books will be on display on June 14th, and may be borrowed then or later from the Church School office.



G. F. S.

June brings our year to a close and sends our thoughts back over the months to see wherewith we have busied ourselves. The outstanding event was the 50th anniversary of the Diocesan G. F. S. which we joined the other branches in celebrating. Our own particular celebration brought out some old friends that some of us had not seen for years.

Our programs were concerned with Christian citizenship, Peace, Mexico; we had talks on China, current events—the religious life; we had parties of various kinds. Altogether we have had a pleasant and profitable year and we look forward to our annual garden party on the 13th of June, to put a little money in our treasury to start things off in the fall. Our new officers are:

Branch President....Mary E. Roth
Secretary.....Alice Liberg
Corresponding Sec'y...Betty Derr
Treasurer.....Florence Pattison

BLUE MOUNTAIN CONFERENCE

Six members of the parish and possibly as many more will attend the summer school conference at Chambersburg on June 22nd. One member upon returning last summer declared that her family had never known her to be so agreeable! The conference has hardly dared to hope for such commendation as it has usually tried to fit people for their church jobs and to give them a happy fortnight into the bargain. How could anyone stay away when it is known that the conference possibly changes one's disposition? The Rector will be glad to have the names of further applicants.

PROGRAM FOR WOMEN'S WORK

At the last meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary a Program Committee was authorized for appointment by the Rector to consider the whole field of women's work in the parish and to draw up a program for activities in the fall. Mrs. William H. Steeble will act as chairman and is calling a meeting of the group on June 9th to which Miss Grace Lindley, National Chairman of the Auxiliary, will come over from New York.

THE APRIL APPEAL

Results from the Vestry's invitation to the parish to contribute an additional twenty per cent to their already generous pledges has resulted in the securing to date of \$7165.63. While this sum will probably enable us to carry on our present program, it will not free us entirely from anxiety. If there are still others who wish to make their contributions, the Accounting Warden will be pleased to hear from them. The thanks of the Vestry goes very feelingly to those who have already given.

FORWARD DAY BY DAY

The new Bible readings pamphlet of the Forward Movement will cover the whole summer until October 2nd. It prints in small bits the whole of St. Mark's Gospel together with helps. Here is an opportunity to study the contents of our Lord's Life Story in a form both reasonable and attractive. At the back of the booklet besides prayers are printed check tests and suggestions for summer activities. Copies may be secured at any time in the Church vestibule at five cents apiece to all who have not already paid for the full set.

FLOWER MISSION

Appreciation for what the people of St. Paul's have done summer after summer by sending flowers and vegetables to the needy folk of the city, reflects the deep gratitude felt wherever these gifts go. Mrs. Robert Glendinning will again direct the mission. She asks that those who wish to contribute will send their flowers to the parish house on Wednesday mornings before ten o'clock. She hopes for a group of new givers in addition to those who have for so long promoted the work. For people who have no gardens and wish to buy a bag of beans when they are doing their own marketing on Wednesdays, these and any other green vegetables would enormously add to the service of the mission.

EMPLOYMENT

Young man, church member, experienced driver, would like work of any description. Cars driven anywhere. Phone the Parish Office, Che. 0359.

A number of well-trained attractive young people desire summer work taking care of children, tutoring, or going away with families as companions to children. Phone: Che. 0359.

Floor finisher will recondition floors of any kind at reasonable prices. Work guaranteed. Phone: Che. 0359.

VESTRY NOTES

After having held down the job of Chairman of the Church Property Committee for many years Mr. Harris has resigned. He has done an excellent piece of work and deserves a furlough. Mr. Wetherill, eminently qualified for the position by his experience, will take his place. We welcome to this big responsibility one of our new Vestrymen.

The Every Member Canvass next autumn will be directed by Mr. Crosby who has assisted Mr. Lee for the past two years. With his unusual ability as an organizer, Mr. Crosby is admirably qualified for this work. He plans to get his committee together before the summer. Mr. Lee has generously offered to contribute his services in any way that they may be found useful.

STAFF VACATIONS

The Rector will be in charge of the parish until he goes on his holiday July 13th. He will also be in residence except as duties at the Blue Mountain Conference call for his presence there. The Parish Secretary will be available during office hours at all times until the middle of July, when she leaves for her holiday.

Mr. Warren left for his vacation on June 1st. He will return to take charge on the 13th of July.

Miss Shaul will be away during July and August. Mr. Howes will have the month of August and the first week of September.

MR. EASTBURN TO PREACH

On Sunday, June 21st, the parish will have the pleasure of hearing the Rev. Albert Eastburn of St. Barnabas' Church, Kensington. He will preach at eleven o'clock and tell of his work. St. Paul's people have generously paid upwards of \$1,000 on his salary a year for nearly four years. The Diocese is gradually absorbing this sum and after two years will need no further help for Mr. Eastburn. In the meantime, however, they are looking to us to share in his support.

JUNE KALENDAR

- 1 Monday in Whitsun Week
- 2 Tuesday in Whitsun Week
- 7 Trinity Sunday
- 11 St. Barnabas
- 14 1st Sunday after Trinity
- 21 2nd Sunday after Trinity
- 24 St. John Baptist
- 28 3rd Sunday after Trinity
- 29 St. Peter

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Patricia Hamilton Lawson
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Margaret Ann Corn
Carol Ann Brubaker
Samuel Welsh, Jr.

Burials

William Turner Van Pelt, M. D.
Marc A. Schottle
Allen Potter Crolius

Marriages

William Newton Ryerson, Jr. and
Jean Hamilton
Lloyd Harris Michener and
Genevieve Ella Shuman

Confirmation

Charles C. Perrin

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Sundays, June Through September

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9.30 A. M.—Morning Prayer and
Address

11.00 A. M.—Holy Communion or
Morning Prayer and
Sermon

Weekdays

Thursdays

7.30 and 10 A. M.—Holy Communion

Holy Days

7.30 A. M.—Holy Communion

SUMMER READINGS

These are some suggestions which may help you to choose pleasant and enlightening books for summer reading. The selection covers a wide field with an eye to the heat. We therefore hope everyone will discover something to satisfy and interest them. The books are available either at the Parish Book Table in the Church vestibule on Sundays, or from the library itself in the Parish House on weekdays.

Bowie—The Master.
Bowie—The Story of the Bible.
Dimnet—What We Live By.
Douglas—Those Disturbing Miracles
Eaton—The Flame.
Eddington—Science and the Unseen World.

Feuchtwanger—Josephus.
Gibbs—Blood Relations.
Inge—Vale.

Kennedy—The Warrior, The Woman and The Christ.

Mackay—The Adventures of Paul of Tarsus.

Mackay—The Message of St. Francis of Assisi.

Mead—The March of Eleven Men.

Morrow—The Splendour of God.

Morton—In the Steps of the Master.

Oliver—Victim and Victor.

Oxenham—A Saint in the Making.

Oxenham—God and Lady Margaret.

Padwick—Temple Gairdner of Cairo.

Sabatier—St. Francis of Assisi.

Sandburg—Abraham Lincoln.

Sheppard—The Impatience of a Parson.

Sperry—What You Owe Your Child.

Stowe—Saints, Sinners and Beechers.

Underhill—Concerning the Inner Life.

Yutang—My Country and My People.

DRAW NEAR WITH FAITH BY S. S. DRURY

This book is written for those who want help on the Holy Communion. There are twelve meditations, each consisting of three parts—a statement of doctrine, a discussion of its meaning, and "a Reverie," as Dr. Drury terms it. A beautifully written book for daily meditation, and a guide for thoughts before and after Communion.

SAINT PAUL'S CHURCH SCHOOL

Curriculum for 1936 - 1937

	UNIT I Trinitytide. Missionary Education	UNIT II Advent-Epiphany Bible	UNIT III Pre-Lent, Lent Church	UNIT IV Easter-tide, Whitsuntide Social Living
Kindergarten Friends	Acquaintance with each other	Jesus and His Friends	Friends in our Church	Friends in our neighborhood
I School Life	The Church and the American Indian	Jesus as a Boy Children in the Bible	Learning about our Church School.	Helping life in our Day Schools.
II Neighborhood Life	The Church and the American Indian	Early Hebrew Life, etc.	Other Churches in our neighborhood	Helping life in our neighborhood.
III Church Life at Home	The Church and the American Indian	How the early Church began, St. Paul.	Learning about our Church Learning about our services	Helping life in our Parish.
IV Church Life Abroad	The Church and the American Indian	How our Bible came to be.	What our Diocese is and how it works.	The Church and Peace.
V Bible	The Church and the American Indian	Life in the days of the Kingdom, foreign domination, etc.	Looking forward to General Convention. (Church organization)	Use of property, time and possessions.
VI Worship	The Church and the American Indian	Relation of Christian Seasons to the Life of our Lord.	Use of the Prayer Book.	Working for our Parish Church.
VII Life of Our Lord	The Church and the American Indian	Life of Our Lord.	Followers of our Lord in the Church.	Jesus' teachings for today.
VIII Confirmation Group				
Choir Class	The work of the Church and our place in it.			
	Subjects to be announced later.			

Confirmation Group
Young People and Graduates
Bible Class

UPPER
SCHOOL

The work of the Church and our place in it.
ELECTIVES: Missions, Bible, Social Action, Young People's Relationships.
Subject to be announced later.

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RENEWAL OF LIFE.

A PARISH is an integral part of the whole Church, working under the direction of, and in harmony with the whole Church, to discharge the responsibilities Christ has laid upon the whole Church. This has always been so. The early Church grew through the founding of parish groups. It was the consecrated group that made the Communion a valid and effective experience. Through the believing group the Gospel was pushed to the confines of the known world.

Individual Christians seem to be recovering something of this original exclusiveness. A sense of difference is growing up between those who think God matters and those who do not care for Him. But is the group also becoming more conscious of its peculiar character and task? The parish as well as the individual requires renewal of life. For if brotherhood and fellowship are to prosper in the world it will be because groups of Christians believe that this is God's commission. If the Gospel is to be spoken widely and convincingly it can be done only by the group who believes that these are "the responsibilities that Christ has laid upon the whole Church."

What the world seems to be getting is fewer Christians. But that will not matter if we are becoming better ones, more devoted in our hearts to Christ and more aware of the need for renewal of life in the Christian group—which we call "The Parish."

ORGANIZATION NOTES



CHURCH SCHOOL

The school year has already started off with a teachers' conference at the Holmquist School in New Hope, September 25-26, attended by the clergy and twenty of the teachers to work on our current problems. On Sunday, the 27th, the faculty attended the Communion together at eight o'clock and had its first meeting after breakfast in the Parish House. The first session took place on Sunday, October 4th. As a result of the grand spirit on every hand, we believe we are going forward this year to do a better job than ever before.

The whole parish will regret our loss of Miss Shaul to the Diocese of Southern Ohio. In five years she has helped us to build up the Church School to a point where in spirit and efficiency it ranks with the best. We shall therefore greatly miss our friend and adviser, but we shall be eager to try out the quality of the leadership she has developed.

Until we can find a worthy successor, the Executive Committee will carry on the work (1) by having a member in the school office every day from 10 to 12 to meet with parents and others who come; (2) by appointing advisers for the three departments of the school to direct and assist the teachers; (3) by engaging an office secretary for two hours' work each day.

Together with this issue of the *Leaflet* will be found a separate sheet describing the curriculum for the coming winter. We should be glad if parents and others would examine it with care and ask any questions to which their interest leads them.

THE CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Our plan to hold classes for the Confirmation Class throughout the year from October to June worked so admirably last year in instructing the members and received such good support from them that we plan to do the same thing again this winter. The Eighth Grade with other interested members of the parish of this same age met with the Rector on Sunday, October 4th. This group will meet regularly on Sunday morning after the 9.30 service. Candidates from the Ninth Grade and above will meet with Mr. Warren on Sunday afternoons after the 5.30 service. Will adults who are interested in Confirmation kindly inform the Rector as soon as possible?



THE WOMAN'S BIBLE CLASS

The class will open the year with Corporate Communion Sunday, October 4th, at the eight o'clock service. The regular sessions of the class will begin October 11th at ten o'clock in the Chapel. All who have been connected with the Bible Class in previous years are invited to attend. New members of the class will also be cordially welcomed.



OLDER YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONFERENCE

The older young people of the parish will have their annual fall conference October 10th and 11th at the Dallas Farm on Jerico Mountain with the Rev. Raymond Maxwell, Curate of St. Mary's Church, Ardmore, as their leader. Mr. Warren will be the Chaplain.

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY

PROGRAM

The Bishop has just announced a Diocesan Missionary Mass Meeting to be held at the Academy of Music October 22nd at 8.15, at which Bishop Rowe and Manning will make addresses. The subject is "Christ for the World."

Missionary speakers will be in the diocese this month speaking at many of the churches on Sundays. Conferences will be held in each convocation. The members of St. Paul's have been invited to attend those to be held at Grace Church, Mt. Airy, on October 12th and 28th.



THE FAIR

It is not too early to begin preparation for the Parish Fair that we intend to hold on Thursday, November 12th. Last year's Fair was such a great success both from the financial standpoint and from that of genial fellowship that we are planning to repeat the performance and for the same objective, the reduction of the debt on the Church, which stands at \$53,000.00. Mrs. Philemon Dickinson, who will head the Committee, is most anxious that volunteers shall report to her (telephone, Che. 0531) in order that all interested workers may be enlisted and the enterprise set nicely going without delay.

OUR NEW ORGANIST

After diligent search and the interviewing of many candidates, Mr. Myron D. Casner, formerly Assistant in Music at Wesleyan University, has been appointed to the vacancy created by our organist, Mr. Arthur W. Howes, Jr. He takes charge October 1st and will carry on the same fine musical tradition that Mr. Howes has so ably established. St. John's Church, Washington, will now enjoy Mr. Howes' services. While we deeply regret his loss and that of his wife, who was our admirable Parish Secretary for six years, we feel that in Mr. and Mrs. Casner we have found both helpful and satisfying successors.



WOMEN'S WORK IN THE PARISH

The growing demands of this day finally have produced a need for the rethinking of our Women's Work Program in St. Paul's. A committee to tackle this important problem has been formed consisting of Mrs. William H. Steeble, Chairman; Mrs. René Ruegg, Mrs. A. U. Crosby, Mrs. E. M. Finletter, Miss Katherine Van Dusen. This group is now meeting and will have recommendations to make from time to time. Their task comprehends the activities of all the women connected with the church and especially a revised program for missionary activities. There will be no meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary during October. They hope, however, in November to make suggestions to those particularly concerned with the missionary life of the church for a helpful program during the winter months.

OCTOBER KALENDAR

- 4 17th Sunday after Trinity
11 18th Sunday after Trinity
18 St. Luke
19th Sunday after Trinity
25 20th Sunday after Trinity
28 St. Simon and St. Jude



PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Charles Richard Roth
Vivian Clouder Hegart

Burials

Henry Rogers Cartwright
Robert Lewis
Anne Huntley Gordon Dahlgren

Marriages

Warren Ingersoll and Anna Cox
Newbold.
William Giles Guernsey and Janet
Danby Brown.
Thomas Hervey Platt and Mary Ellen
Wilcox.
Robert J. Young and Anna T. Coward.



PARISH DIRECTORY

On a separate sheet with this issue of the *Leaflet* will be found the parish directory for the coming season. We have printed it in this convenient form in order to make it a ready reference. Telephone numbers and addresses of the principal leaders of parish activities have been included.

G. F. S.

- October 5th—Covered-Dish Supper
October 12th—Making costumes and re
October 19th conditioning toys for
bazaar.
October 26th—Hallowe'en Party

This branch of the Girls' Friendly will have charge of the toy table at the Girls' Friendly Bazaar on November 11th and 12th, and donations of toys new and old are solicited. The old ones will be re-conditioned under expert supervision and sold at a special table. Toys may be left in the Parish Office.



BOOK NEWS

Do not forget that you have two up-to-date libraries in excellent condition. Both the Parish and the Church School libraries have had their catalogues revised and simplified with the express purpose of making it easier to find and get what you want.

The libraries will continue their policy of acquiring the worth-while new books upon publication. Parishioners are again invited to contribute suggestions toward the enrichment of these libraries which are their own.

THE BOOK COMMITTEE.



CONCERNING EMPLOYMENT

The employment agency which has been carried on by the Parish Secretary during the years of the social emergency has been discontinued. Members of the parish who wish to find or give employment will find such service available at the Community House, 8419 German town Ave., Che. 5911.

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PLANS FOR NOVEMBER

- 1—All Saints' Day
- 11—The Armistice Day of Prayer
- 12—The Fair
- 22—Preacher, the Rev. Edward G. Mullen of Zamboango, P. I.
- 23—The Parish Meeting—leader: Rt. Rev. T. R. Ludlow
- 26—Thanksgiving Day
- 29—Offering Sunday
- 29—Dec. 2—National Preaching Mission

LET us remember as we read this list of events that our ideal in this Parish is to enable every member to have a full part in the varied activities of the church's life. Some will want to belong to organizations but all can take part in some way and find their place in the Parish program.

Do you wish to take part in the Day of Prayer? Then see Mrs. Steeble after service on November 8th. Do you wish to help with the Fair? Let Mrs. Philemon Dickinson know (Che. 0531). Would you like to deliver baskets on Thanksgiving Day? Tell Mrs. H. P. Glendinning (Che. 4806). Will you help at the Parish Supper? Inform Mrs. John Bromley (Che. 1265). Will you take part in the Parish canvass? Telephone Mr. A. U. Crosby, Wal. 1500.

Or perhaps you want special opportunities for worship. You will notice that on Armistice Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Offering Sunday our services will have a special emphasis.

Or do you wish to learn more about religion and the church? In addition to our regular services and the sermon by Mr. Mullen there is the National Preaching Mission with its great meeting on December 2nd in Convention Hall.

This is the list of our November activities. Further details concerning them will be found on the inside pages.

ORGANIZATION NOTES

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

The Church School has started its year very encouragingly with the study of "The Church and the American Indian." This unit will end with an Indian exhibit which will be of interest to those who come to the Parish Meeting on November 23rd.



THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The G. F. S. branches in this diocese are uniting in one big effort to make the Peasants' Market at the Broadwood Hotel, Broad and Vine Streets, on November 11th and 12th, a tremendous success. It will be a sight worth seeing as the booths will represent different countries, many of the wares have been imported, and the vendors will all be in costume. St. Paul's G. F. S. will have the toy booth and a whole consignment of toys from Nuremburg will be for sale. There will prints and leather work from Italy, wrought iron and gloves from England, perfume from France and many other out of the ordinary things. Supper will be served 5.30 to 7.30 and we hope many of our friends from this parish will be there even though our own fair comes on the 12th.

Calendar

- Nov.
- 1—Corporate Communion.
 - 2—Covered dish supper. Miss Zebley will speak about her trip to Labrador.
 - 9—Final preparations for Peasants' Market and Parish Fair.
 - 11—Peasants' Market. Broadwood Hotel—3-10 P. M.
 - 12—Parish Fair—G. F. S. serves supper 5.30-7.00.
 - 16—Mrs. John Arnett—Talk on Peace.
 - 23—To be announced.
 - 30—Baby party.



THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Woman's Friendly Society opened the season October 7th. Last week they had as their speaker Sister Horner, who told of her interesting experiences in the mission field.

The society is taking an active part in the Parish Fair and is in charge of the Household and Fancy Tables, Cake and Candy Tables. Orders are being received for household articles such as dusters, kitchen towels, etc., by Miss Yocom, 8724 Germantown Avenue or telephone (Che. 2777).



THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The first meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held Friday, December 4th, in the Parish House at 10.30 A. M. All the women of the parish are invited to attend and hear plans for the winter's work. Further notice of the meeting will be found in the weekly Notice Sheets.



CONFIRMATION

The classes for the year have already started their work. It is still possible to join if new candidates will make up the work so far covered. The Rector is particularly anxious to hear from older members of the congregation who will receive their preparation in a slightly different way from members of the Church School. He would be glad to talk with any one who wishes to inquire into the matter.

THE PARISH CANVASS

We have a high ambition this year, "A PLEDGE FROM EVERY INDIVIDUAL." St. Paul's serves 2,141 people. We are all members of the parish, but only 881 have subscribed anything regularly during 1936. Twenty-five cents a Sunday from 600 of the non-givers would produce about \$7,800. The amount we realized this year from the April Appeal. This means that if all would give something we could raise our budget in full.

November 29th is Offering Sunday. Let us all come to church on that day and make our pledges together. A canvass of those not yet heard from will begin on the following Sunday, December 6th.



NATIONAL PREACHING MISSION

November 29th to December 2nd will mark the visit of the very distinguished group of preachers who have been touring the country to our own city. Further notices will come later. Reserve now the evening of December 2nd for the great meeting in Convention Hall at which Harry Emerson Fosdick and other well-known preachers will speak.



THANKSGIVING DAY

Will those who care to give Thanksgiving day dinners or contribute fruit for altar decoration kindly send their checks to the Parish Office or bring baskets there on the previous day? We should also like help in delivering these gifts.

Services will be, 7.30—Holy Communion, 10.00—Morning Prayer and Address.

THE PARISH FAIR

We had such a splendid time together at our Fair last year that those who ran it have planned to repeat the occasion on Thursday, November 12th. The need for money to pay off the church's debt is important, but even more important than that is the sense of brotherliness that we feel when a well organized team of workers gathers to put through a common objective together. May all of us attend the occasion with a view to helping the parish in its financial need, but even more to deepen the sense of team work that we wish to promote above all other places in the Christian Church.

THE FLOWER MISSION

In no previous year has the Flower Mission been so well supported or so well conducted. This has been due to the thorough work of Mrs. Robert Glendinning and her helpers. 1788 bunches of flowers were sent out during the season and a very large supply of vegetables. There are few activities that we could undertake during the summer that would bring such joy to so many people as the Flower Mission has done this year.

UNITED THANK OFFERING

Mrs. Staunton B. Peck, the Secretary for our parish, has sent out a request for the Autumn-in-gathering of U. T. O. blue boxes. Will the holders of these boxes kindly respond promptly in order that we may get a good start on the final year of the Triennium which ends with General Convention in October 1937?

ARMISTICE DAY

We shall observe the Day of Prayer for Peace by inviting the members of the parish to come to the church at any time between nine and six. Leaflets with suggestive prayers will be on hand and brief services at 10.45 and 5.30 will punctuate the period and help to make it more significant.

NOVEMBER KALENDAR

- 1 All Saints' Day
- 8 22nd Sunday after Trinity
- 15 23rd Sunday after Trinity
- 22 Sunday before Advent
- 26 Thanksgiving Day
- 29 1st Sunday in Advent
- 30 St. Andrew



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Andrew Oliver Young
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William A. Henderson
William Oglesby Griffith
Eugenia Morris Cheston
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Emma Mayburry Mellor
Mrs. Fanny M. Patterson

Marriages

Morris Lloyd and Hope Starr



PLEASE READ YOUR PARISH MAIL

Here is a little story reprinted from the *Churchman* of October 15th, 1936. A man who believed he knew all about parrots undertook to teach what he thought to be a young mute bird to say "Hello." Going up to the cage he repeated that word in a clear voice for several minutes, "Hello, Hello, Hello, Hello." The parrot paid not the slightest attention. At the final "Hello" the bird opened one eye, gazed at the man and snapped out, "Line's busy!"

Sometimes we wonder whether in some few cases our efforts at Parish publicity meet with the same kind of a response.

THE PARISH MEETING

On November 23rd we shall have an opportunity to eat supper together and to hear the Rt. Rev. T. R. Ludlow, Suffragan Bishop of Newark, suggest to us various ways in which our activities outside of the parish may be made more interesting and more helpful. The discussion at these meetings during the past two years has been most valuable. Let us get together again to think over ways in which we can more truly benefit others.



SPECIAL PREACHER

The preacher on November 22nd, at eleven o'clock comes from the Island of Mindinao, P. I., where the work of our church started by Bishop Brent has increased with extraordinary rapidity under Bishop Mosher's leadership. The Rev. Edward G. Mullen knows whereof he speaks. Let us give him a good hearing!



CHRISTMAS BOOK LIST

This year the Book Committee has been asked to prepare a list of children's books suitable for Christmas presents. This list will be issued by December 1st, and covers a variety of subjects, religious and secular.



FORWARD MOVEMENT COMMISSION

St. Paul's is to be honored by the meeting of the Forward Movement Commission, which will hold its meetings here December 2nd, 3rd and 4th, in our Parish House. Members of the group, some thirty in all, will be entertained at various houses in Chestnut Hill and Whitemarsh. The meetings will not be opened to the public but it is good to know that these leaders of the Church will be with us making further plans for the extension of the Forward Movement.

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ADVENT PREPARATION.

CHRISTMAS has a claim to being the greatest day of the year because it was at the first Christmas that history divides. We reckon time B. C. and A. D. with reference to that moment in which God took a hand in human affairs upon man's own level. B.C. He worked through the unseen. A. D. He works through a Jesus who was seen and a Christ who is known. At the first Christmas the possibilities for human life opened anew.

With this great fact at its climax the Advent Season prepares us for the Day. God in every deed is come to dwell with us. Do we care? Do we want Him? The question is not a dull one, but mightily relevant and is faced each year afresh by those who essay to follow Him. Surely we feel too, that it is answered each Christmas in the way we celebrate the great event. For some people it is just another commercial opportunity. For others it affords a joyful occasion for giving and receiving gifts. But for those who stop to think "what God hath wrought" the Day brings with it an invitation in return for what He has done to give Him all we have,—that is, in all simplicity, OURSELVES. Let us here at St. Paul's so keep the time of Advent preparation that the Christ of the Christmas tide may find in us a mansion fitted for his abode!

RECTOR'S WARDEN RESIGNS.

It is with the deepest regret that the Vestry has been forced to accept the resignation of William Lord Sexton, vestryman for twenty years, during sixteen of which he served as Rector's Warden. It is hard to estimate the services rendered by Mr. Sexton over this period in terms of thoughtful advice and careful planning. During this time both the Parish House and the Church buildings have been rebuilt and the Parish has correspondingly grown in numbers and activity.

Mr. Sexton possesses many qualities that have made his contribution to the office notable, but his outstanding capacity for observing opportunities for progress and removing obstacles before they developed into difficulties has made him a wise guide to two rectors and an exceptionally valuable servant to the parish.

We shall miss him sorely. His place will be most difficult to fill. But we wish him hearty good fortune in his new seaside parish upon Penobscot Bay. May the loss of St. Paul's, Chestnut Hill, contribute to the fortunes of St. Margaret's, Belfast, Maine.

PLANS FOR DECEMBER

- 6-13 Every Member Canvass
- 13 Preacher—Rev. William Roberts of St. John's College, Shanghai, and a Congregational Hymn Rehearsal at 12.15
- 24 Christmas Eve
- 25 Christmas Day
- 27 Preacher—Rev. Endicott Peabody, D. D., of Groton School
- Jan. 1 New Year's Day



FORWARD DAY BY DAY

The new Daily Bible Reading Booklet of the Forward Movement has arrived and may be secured in the Church vestibule. In addition to the one each takes for himself, why not buy another to give to a friend?

We shall also have available on December thirteenth, copies of "On Earth—Peace," the Children's Christmas Book, also published by the Forward Movement.



HELP TO ST. BARNABAS

Since the critical days of Emergency Relief in 1931 St. Paul's people have

been contributing \$1,200 a year to Mr. Eastburn's salary, the sum which under normal conditions, the Mission itself would be raising. In 1936 the amount was reduced to \$1,000 and in 1937 only \$600 will be required. In 1938 they expect no longer to need our help.

This is a hearty state of affairs and should encourage us to give the same sort of service in another place. At this date, however, there is no further money with which to meet the \$82.54 needed on January 1st and the \$50 a month required for 1937. The Rector will be pleased to hear from anyone who wishes to help this most satisfactory undertaking.



CONFIRMATION

The class for the younger group which has been meeting since October 1st now numbers thirty-five, all of whom will continue in the class throughout the year. The success which we had last winter with our full year of careful training has led us to continue the plan.

Only a few members have reported as yet for the older class. The Rector is most anxious to get the names of others in order that they too may be properly prepared by the time the Bishop comes.

SPECIAL PREACHER

On December 13th we shall have the opportunity to listen to the Rev. William Roberts from St. John's, Shanghai, where the church for many years has been doing a job in advanced education that has profoundly affected the whole Chinese nation.

Mr. Mullen gave such a splendid account of his work in the Philippines last month that we shall look forward with special eagerness to Mr. Roberts.



IN THE NAME OF CIVILIZATION

The older boys at All Saints Mission, Bontoc, in the Philippine Islands, have little time now to do work around the mission compound as the time they formerly used is required by the public school for military drill. As the mission needed the boys' help this presents a serious problem.

"And it seems a shame," adds the Rev. Harry Taylor Burke, "that the mission has been here for thirty years trying to subdue the instinct to kill, accumulated by ages, only to have it returned to the boys in the name of civilization."



THE BOOK COMMITTEE

The Book Committee wishes to thank the Parish as a whole for its splendid co-operation during the Children's Christmas Book Fair.

The large front room in the Parish House, which was turned into a library, was made very attractive by a fire and additional comfortable chairs and sofas.

Forty parents and about the same number of boys and girls examined and studied the books in a leisurely fashion. Those who did not buy prepared lists as a future guide.

The Fireside Bookshop, Chestnut Hill, and The Quill Book Shop, 1712 Locust Street, will be glad to continue to supply the books which were recommended, if wanted.



THE CHURCH SCHOOL

As the Leaflet goes to print, the Church School Executive Committee is holding a meeting with the heads of the day schools in the neighborhood to consult with them concerning Christmas plans,—so that we may each take our appropriate place in the keeping of Christmas.

The Sunday notice sheets will carry definite Christmas plans for the Church School.



CHRISTMAS BASKETS

Announcements will be made in the Weekly Notice Sheet with regard to Christmas Baskets to be sent to families who are in need. Those desiring to contribute before this announcement is forthcoming may do so by phoning the Parish House.



SOME NOVEMBER ACHIEVEMENTS

We accomplished a lot during November.

On Armistice Day many made special efforts to take part in the Day of Intercession, as a result of which quite a group of people were in church all through the day.

The Fair required long preparation and brought to a splendid climax the efforts of many groups. \$1517.35 is now in the hands of the treasurer to pay on

the new Church Debt. The Major Bowes vaudeville acts in the evening were a grand climax to an affair in which large numbers of people had had a part.

The Parish Meeting brought to us Bishop Ludlow for a most stimulating evening. Over 150 people partook of an excellent supper. Others came in for the meeting. The Bishop pointed out how necessary it was for any parish in these days to extend its activities into world situations. He described the church's world wide task in many places and ended by saying, "We must begin the Church's work out on the frontiers, if we are to be truly Christian at home."

Definite requests were made from the floor for further panel discussions and for classes that would give information on Christian Faith and Life.



PROGRAM OF GIRLS FRIENDLY SOCIETY

December 7—Covered Dish Supper
Speaker—Mrs. J. M.
Cutter Haines on Current Events

14—Branch Christmas Party

21—Christmas Party for Chapel of the Transfiguration,
South Philadelphia

28—No Meeting



WANTED

An old chest of drawers or bureau is greatly needed for the choir linen. Kindly phone Mrs. H. P. Rust, Chestnut Hill 2661.

WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Woman's Friendly Society has a generous supply on hand of dusters, towels and many other useful articles which may be bought by calling Chestnut Hill 2777.

This organization wishes to express its appreciation to those who so generously donated articles for their table at the Parish Fair.



DECEMBER KALENDAR

6—2nd Sunday in Advent
13—3rd Sunday in Advent
20—4th Sunday in Advent
21—St. Thomas
24—Christmas Eve
25—Christmas Day
26—St. Stephen
27—St. John Evangelist
1st Sunday after Christmas
28—Holy Innocents
31—New Year's Eve



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Derek Hamilton
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Rethinking the Missionary Motive.

TELLING out the Good News of God is an integral part of the Christian Religion. Without Missions the Church would be dead. When Jesus told His Disciples to go forth preaching they did so because they felt compelled to share the grandeur of their message with the whole world. It was too good a story to keep quiet.

For this reason the Church has always been missionary. But at any given moment her good news has taken a special form. For centuries it was thought sufficient simply to preach Jesus Christ and to baptize converts. During the past century missionaries have tried to bring with them certain other blessings of the Christian life, like medical care and "learning" as we have been able to receive it.

What should be the peculiar gift of the Christian Church to the world in our own generation? Might it help to bind the different races and nations together by pointing out the contribution that each has for all? Might it relate to Brotherhood, to Cooperation, to Mutual Service among men of one blood?

The Conference on "The Missionary Motive" that will gather together a group, representative of the whole Episcopal Church in our land, is meeting here January 18-20 to discuss this question and others that bear on the Church's mission task. Everyone of us can help during the days of this month by working on this question concerning the peculiar gift of our generation and by remembering the Conference in the days of its session at St. Paul's.

THE NEW RECTOR'S WARDEN

Every member of the parish will be pleased to hear that Mr. Albert A. Jackson has accepted the appointment as Rector's Warden to succeed Mr. William Lord Sexton. Mr. Jackson has been a member of the Vestry since 1920 and throughout the past sixteen years has shown his care for the Church by his regular attendance at service on Sunday and his helpful cooperation at all times. It is a great pleasure to welcome him to this important position in which he will have the opportunity of rendering significant service to the Church for many years to come.

THE CHURCH FABRIC

The Buildings and Grounds belonging to the Parish which have been so nicely cared for by Mr. Frazer Harris are now in charge of a committee of which Mr. Chattin Wetherill is Chairman. Other members are Mr. Charles Willing in charge of grounds, Mr. Edmund B. Gilchrist in charge of Buildings, Mr. Robert Wood in charge of Mechanical Equipment. Mr. Wetherill's choice of helpers has put some of the best talent in the city at our service. We thank him for enlisting the ability and vigilance which should always keep our property in first class condition.

EMERGENCY PEACE CAMPAIGN

On January 7th, an important Mass Meeting at the Academy of Music will be held at 8 P. M. on the subject "Can We Keep America Out of Another World War?" Speakers: Miss Maude Royden, Sherwood Eddy, Harry Emerson Fosdick. At 12:30 on the same day, a luncheon at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel will enable those who come to hear Miss Royden, Mr. Eddy and Senator Clark on the same subject. A limited number of tickets for both meetings are being distributed on January 3rd in the church vestibule. Those who have no tickets and who wish to hear the speakers may still do so by going to the Baptist Temple on January 7th at 8 P. M. where a duplicate Mass Meeting is to be held to hear the same speakers.

MR. FRAZIER'S LECTURES

Cards have been sent out inviting many people to attend a series of lectures by the Rev. Robert P. Frazier of St. Anne's, Willow Grove, on the subject "The Front Line of the Church." The dates are Tuesdays, January 5, 12, 19, 26, and February 2 and 9. The hour is 10-11 A. M.

Mr. Frazier as a former member of the National Council is well qualified to conduct a careful study of the missionary work of the Church. All members of the parish are of course most welcome. Mrs. Jacob S. Disston, Jr., Che. 5112, would be glad to hear in advance from all who plan to attend.

CHURCH WIDE CONFERENCE HERE

The Forward Movement Commission has again selected St. Paul's as the meeting place for a conference. The aim of the meetings on January 18, 19, and 20 will be to re-examine the motive and plan under which our Church is carrying on her missionary work.

About twenty representatives, bishops, clergymen, and laymen have accepted Bishop Hobson's invitation to attend. The meetings will be private but again the Rector bespeaks the prayers of the congregation in behalf of the group which is confronting one of the Church's most difficult and pressing problems.

CHRISTMAS DAY REPORT

We had a splendid Christmas at St. Paul's. The midnight service was not quite as crowded as in former years but the morning services were even better attended and the children's pageant on Christmas Eve brought many youngsters to the Church for that great and uplifting experience. Mrs. Pepper reports that all of the Christmas dinner applications were filled and clothing and coal supplied to St. Barnabas', Kensington. The offerings for the day were \$943.16.

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FINANCES

1937

As "The Leaflet" goes to print we still lack \$600.00 to fulfil our 1936 obligations. If those who receive reminders of sums still due on their pledges could send in checks promptly, it would immensely simplify life for the Accounting Warden.

The Parish Canvass for the 1937 Budget has been carried out with great promptness this year due to the good management of Mr. Crosby, the Chairman, and the willing and efficient labors of many canvassers. At the present date we can report 904 pledges for \$47,303.15. This represents already an increase in the number of pledges over 1936. We still have a long way to go, however, before the full budget is finally raised.

NEWS OF THE DIOCESE AND THE CHURCH

The Diocese of Pennsylvania has increased its expectancy for 1937 to \$175,000, an increase of \$40,000 over 1936. It can be made good, however, only if from the various parishes come proportionate increases.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the National Council is sponsoring a poster contest. Eligible to compete: Women of the Church and girls of first-year high school or over. Poster subject: "Some aspect of the United Thank Offering." Colors: Not more than three. Size: Any useful poster size. Awards given by a member of the Executive Board: \$25, \$15, \$10. Where to send poster: To Miss Edna B. Beard-sley, 281 Fourth Avenue, New York City. Contest closes: April 1, 1937.

ORGANIZATION NOTES

The Woman's Auxiliary has planned a full and interesting program for the year. Each of the five committees will conduct one meeting during the winter. This will give an opportunity to see a clear picture of the work in each field through the personal experiences of the speakers. There is much missionary activity in which we at St. Paul's can share. We can work as well as listen.

The next meeting, on January 8th at 10:30 in the Parish House, has been arranged by the Indian Committee, Mrs. Fulton Boyd, Chairman, when Dr. Grafton Burke will tell of his work in Alaska. Other meetings will be held on the first Friday in each month. During Lent there will be an additional All-Day meeting to be announced in detail later.

The Domestic Committee of the Woman's Auxiliary will give two bridge parties for the benefit of mission work. The first will be a luncheon and bridge on Wednesday, January 27th, at the home of Mrs. E. M. Finletter, Evergreen and Prospect Avenues. The second will be a bridge tea on March 3rd at the home of another member of the Committee.

The G. F. S. would like our honorary associates who stand by us so faithfully to feel they have a share in the Christmas party which we held this year at the Chapel of the Transfiguration in South Philadelphia. This little church, run by the City Mission, stands in a part of the city where the people are almost all on W. P. A. jobs or relief and our party seems to be the only one the children can look forward to. We look forward to it ourselves and from twenty to thirty of us drive down there the Monday before Christmas and crowd into the little parish house with a hundred or more children to share with them the fun of seeing Santa Claus arrive with presents and candy. Sometimes we have moving-pictures—this year the entertainment came from the children themselves who danced most delightfully. There was ice cream and cake for everyone and the evening finished with carols. It is almost the best fun we have all year. We wish we could take with us all the associates who help to make it possible.

JANUARY CALENDAR

- Jan. 4—Supper—Travel Talk—Mrs. E. S. W. Farnum
 Jan. 11—Folk dancing—Miss Kennell
 Jan. 18—What one learns at Geneva—Miss Margaret Maule
 Jan. 25—Games

ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL SERVICE

On Sunday, January 31st, the Rev. Samuel S. Drury, Lh.D., Headmaster of St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H., will preach at the eleven o'clock service. Members of St. Paul's School circle in Philadelphia will be invited to attend and will worship with us on that day. We had such a service two years ago and look forward again to welcoming old St. Paul's boys and their families to the Parish Church which shares their name.

A Candle-Light Service will be held on the first Sunday after the Epiphany, January 10th, at 5:30 P. M. The full choir will be present. The service is sponsored by the Young People's Groups.

The Seventh Day Adventists have adopted for 1937 a budget of \$3,405,431 "for missionary work abroad and among Negroes and foreign-speaking persons in North America" according to an Associated Press report. The 1926 religious census gives the Seventh Day Adventist membership as 110,998. Compare with this a 1937 budget for our own church of \$2,700,000 of which only 39% goes abroad and a total membership of 2,000,000.

JANUARY KALENDAR

- 1—Circumcision
 3—2nd Sunday after Christmas
 6—Epiphany
 10—1st Sunday after Epiphany
 17—2nd Sunday after Epiphany
 24—Septuagesima
 25—St. Paul
 31—Sexagesima

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Margaret Alexander McGuinness
 John Wister Wurts
 Edward Thomas Flood II
 Elizabeth Wilshaw Flood
 Jeanne Cassard Flood
 Joan Dukes Tabor

Burials

Frederick M. Dunn, Jr.
 Mrs. Margaret Allen Bartow

Marriages

Jay Oswald Achenbach
 and
 Nina Isbella Kellogg

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1st, 3rd—Holy Communion.....	11 A. M.	Thursdays—Holy Communion,	
2nd, 4th, 5th—Morning Prayer, Sermon,			7.30 and 10 A. M.
	11 A. M.	Fridays—Morning Prayer, Litany....	10 A. M.
Church School.....	9.30 A. M.	Saints' Days—Holy Communion..	7.30 A. M.

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A Personal Program for Lent.

I BELIEVE that God exists, but then what? Can He help set the world right? Can He help me with my own problems? Does religion still live? These are common questions today, not only outside of the Church, but among Church members too. People are wondering if religion truly does count.

Why not deliberately tackle these questions during Lent? It would obviously make Lent a positive season rather than just a period of "not doing things." It would enable us to put our self-discipline very practically to work.

So, when you are setting up your Lenten personal program, remember that here at St. Paul's are a number of activities which may help you to get a truer grasp upon living religion. Is it too much to hope that anyone who is really interested can do at least three of them:

Go to Church every Sunday.

Attend a Lenten Class regularly.

Hear three weekday Lenten sermons.

Read two Religious books.

Deposit Lenten savings in an offering box for the work of the General Church.

Use "Forward Day by Day" Bible readings throughout the season.

The Lenten program in full appears on the next page.

Organization Notes.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Opportunities for Boys and Girls in the Keeping of Lent

Ash Wednesday, Service at 5 P. M.
Thursday, starting February 18th:

4:00 P. M. Cocoa in the Parish House.

4:15 P. M. Meetings for Primary and Middle School classes to consider Diocesan Institutions, their needs, and what we can do to fill those needs. We plan to visit some of the Institutions.

5:00 P. M. Evening Prayer in the Church, with Church School Choir to lead the singing. At this service bean bags, scrap books, prayer booklets, etc., will be distributed to those who wish to work for some of the Diocesan Institutions during Lent.

This is a list made by Sixth Grade Boys of bad things the prophets would have prophesied against today. This Class has been studying the prophets.

"Wars, strikes, slums, fires, robbery, dirt, abdication for a woman, no money, dangerous homes, kidnapers, no work, too much money for amusements, bad Christians, not enough money for charity, land too expensive, bad movies, accidents, Communism, murders, suicide, bad driving, intoxication, gambling, bootlegging."

G. F. S.

The subject for mission study this year is the negro, which brings up the ever present problem of race relations. Mrs. Thomas L. Harris is going to open the subject for us at the meeting, February 15th, and we shall have some further discussions based on ideas suggested by the Record. The G. F. S. Record, by the way, is a publication used by both Religious Education Departments and Woman's Auxiliaries and should be in the hands of all our members.

G. F. S. Program

Feb. 1—Covered-dish supper
5—Dance 9-12 P. M.
8—Play rehearsals
15—Speaker—Mrs. T. L. Harris
22—No meeting.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The February meeting was allotted to the Foreign Committee, whose particular interest is in the work of the Church outside the United States. The extent of the field will be shown by charts and maps and two speakers: Captain Harry Hamilton of the Church Army in Hawaii, and Miss Christine Nuno of St. Luke's Hospital, Tokyo, will tell what is happening in those two places.

LENTEN PROGRAM

Ash Wednesday—February 10

7:30 A. M. Holy Communion
10:00 A. M. Service of Preparation for Lent—The Rector
5:00 P. M. Evening Prayer—Church School
8:15 P. M. Rev. Joseph Fort Newton, D.D.

Holy Communion

7:30 A. M. Tuesdays and Holy Days
7:30 A. M. and 10:00 A. M. Thursdays

Evening Prayer

5:00 P. M. Daily

Tuesdays

4:15 P. M. Lenten Class for Girls—Miss Anna Mulliken, leader

Wednesdays—Three Special Speakers

8:15 P. M. February 10—Rev. Joseph Fort Newton, D.D.

8:15 P. M. March 10—The Rt. Rev. Charles Fiske, D.D.

8:15 P. M. March 17—Rev. A. C. Zabriskie, S.T.D.

Thursdays

4:00 P. M. Hand work hour
5:00 P. M. Service for Children and Parents

Fridays

10:00 A. M. Lenten Class, "Christianity in Action"—Rev. W. Brooke Stabler, Leader

CAN YOU SEW? WILL YOU?

A request out of a clear sky has come from the Episcopal Hospital for a number of layettes. Here is an opportunity to render a truly helpful service to the Church. A number of women are meeting each Tuesday, beginning February 9th, at 11:00 A. M. and thereafter at 10:30, in the Parish House under the leadership of Mrs. William I. Parry and Mrs. Randall Chase. Members of the group are asked to bring their lunch. Coffee will be served at 12:30 o'clock.

NO 1936 DEFICIT

It gives the Accounting Warden great pleasure (in submitting his annual report on a separate sheet in the current Leaflet) to state that our pledge to the Diocese and General Church together with all bills have been paid. This result was made possible by the contributions of 881 people, practically all of whom paid up in full before the books were closed. It is splendid team work from pledgers large and small that has carried us through the past year with a small balance to the good.

1937 FINANCIAL PROSPECTS

The Every Member Canvass for the budget of our current year now stands slightly ahead of our final total of last year. In 1936, 881 pledges for \$47,629.80 were received. This year we have so far secured 936 pledges for \$48,310.55. A number of members pledging last year have not yet been heard from so that the canvass is not yet complete.

This is in some ways an encouraging start. The consistent increase in the number of pledges shows that the basis of our giving is continually broadening. This is to the good. We shall, however, still need to use the April Appeal to fulfil our budget. This is regrettable in view of the Church's debt which still stands at \$51,000.

LENTEN OFFERING BOXES

Lent as a period of self-denial has enabled the children of our Church Schools for many years to make a large offering for the support of the general Church's work. This year we intend to extend the privilege to the older members of the congregation. Offering boxes may be found in the Church porch, and very nice looking ones too, into which the nickels, dimes, and quarters of the older ones also will find a safe resting place.

MR. EASTBURN REPORTS PROGRESS

"The record of St. Barnabas for the last year is a good one. We have had a better attendance at our services—an average of about 40 at 8 A. M. and about 150 at 10:45, and a Sunday School of 280, and an evening service with an average of 60. At the request of some of the mothers, who find it impossible to come to the 8 o'clock service because they have to get breakfast ready for the family on Sundays, we now have a weekday service on Wednesday mornings at 10 o'clock, with a minimum attendance of 12. Last year was the first time in about sixty years' history of the Parish of St. Barnabas that we finished the Summer with a small balance in the Treasury, and this year we have accepted a request from the convocation to take over \$200 of the salary. I am sure you will agree with me that this is real progress.

FEBRUARY KALENDAR

Feb. 2—Presentation
7—Quinquagesima
10—Ash Wednesday
14—1st Sunday in Lent
21—2nd Sunday in Lent
24—St. Matthias
28—3rd Sunday in Lent

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms
Saranne Borda

Burials
Katharine Buckley Williamson
Irene H. Chance

THE CHURCH OF THE AIR

By WABC on Sunday, February 21st at 10:00 A. M. Miss Lindley of the Woman's Auxiliary will broadcast a talk describing plans of the Auxiliary for the Triennial meeting to be held in Cincinnati next October and will give other valuable news. All interested members will want to tune in.

GOOD TESTIMONY

"The hopefulness and power of the Christian Church today is amazing. It is affecting the world and winning race after race. It is true to say that the problem is not to find openings but to keep up with them."

Canon Waddy of the S. P. G.

A PERSONAL WORD FROM THE NATIONAL COUNCIL

My dear Mr. Peabody:

The report of your parish up to December 1 of last year shows that you have led your parish to attain a record in support of Missions that is most commendable.

As President of National Council I wish to send this message of deep appreciation to you and to your people for their loyal and generous help in the Church's world wide endeavor to make Christ known to all people.

If all congregations were like minded our army of missionaries would be greatly encouraged and equipped for their work. Congratulations!

Sincerely yours,

Philip Cook
President of National Council

REPORT OF ACCOUNTING WARDEN

1936.

INCOME

Pledges and Loose Offering for Budget.....	\$33,027.68
Pledges and Loose Offering for Pledge to Diocese.....	14,720.31
Special Contributions for Missions.....	3,498.06
Special Contributions for National Council Deficit.....	1,500.00
April Appeal	7,715.65
Endowment Income	2,458.98
New Church Loan.....	1,639.95
For 1937 Budget.....	5,842.91
All Other Sources.....	3,349.38
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	\$73,752.92

DISBURSEMENTS

Clergy Salaries and Pension Premiums.....	\$12,615.01
Church School Director and Supplies.....	3,143.62
Music	6,872.80
Parish Office	3,183.22
Care of Property.....	3,196.85
Operating Expenses	3,622.40
Accounting Warden's Office.....	5,848.34
On Pledge to Diocese.....	18,218.37
"Taxes" to Diocese.....	1,580.42
Roberts Property	1,015.00
Payments on New Church Loan.....	1,638.95
Payments on Roberts Property Loan.....	2,458.98
National Council Deficit.....	1,500.00
All Other Expenses.....	2,974.09
Cash Balance	5,884.87
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	\$73,752.92

DETAIL OF MISSIONS ACCOUNT

Through the Accounting Warden.....	\$17,397.65	
Episcopal Hospital	544.75	
S. S. Lenten Offering.....	284.75	
Seamen's Institute	111.22	
Church Extension Fund.....	656.50	
Domestic Committee	329.00	
Diocesan Committee	194.60	
Indian Hope Committee.....	148.00	
Foreign Committee	318.03	
Colored Committee	165.50	\$20,150.00
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Pledge of St. Paul's for 1936.....	\$20,100.00	

MISSION PAYMENTS NOT COUNTING ON ST. PAUL'S PLEDGE FOR 1936

For the National Council Deficit Through the Accounting Warden	\$ 1,000.00	
For the National Council Deficit Sent Direct to National Council	501.00	
Diocesan Contributors' Fund.....	1,926.00	
Welfare Federation	400.00	
Good Friday Offering for Jerusalem.....	133.25	
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SERVICES

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VIA SANCTA.

WE are printing in this issue a series of suggestions concerning the Holy Communion with a view to encouraging people in the highest use of this great Office. One hears an increasing demand these days for definite leading in the methods and the spirit of worship. There is a way that we long to follow, and a Presence, as the Psalmist says, that we long to "taste." The first consists of obedience to certain rules learned by the Church through many generations. The second comes through constant experience of the service, especially if we prepare ourselves beforehand and then rest expectantly in the quiet times that punctuate the service throughout its whole length.

How beautifully Dr. Drury describes that feeling of Presence which Sunday celebrations do in fact bring: "My soul, learn to love special times, set in a life of holy time. Cherish thy Sundays, agleam with rest and worship, inspiration and recreation, prayer and friendship, works of mercy, songs of praise. O day of spiritual merchandise! O day of pressing engagements in the realms of immateriality! O day whose healthy contagion blesses all the week! Let me thank Thee, O God, for this recurring taste of what Thy timeless Paradise may be."

from "Draw Near with Faith."

Organization Notes.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The annual Mission Study meeting and luncheon for all the women of the Parish will be held on Tuesday, March 16th, at 10:30 A. M. at the home of Mrs. Livingston Jones, Crefeldt and Sunset Street. Mrs. Thomas L. Harris will lead the meeting and discussion on the subject of "The Negro." Interesting books on the subject are: "The Story of the American Negro," and "Preface to Racial Understanding." Luncheon at 1 o'clock. All are cordially invited. Please telephone Mrs. Livingston Jones, Che. 1525.

It should be noted that the Sewing Circle which meets every Tuesday in the Parish House will transfer its meeting that day to Mrs. Jones' house.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

A Report to Our Generous Contributors in the Parish

The National Council of the G. F. S. which held its triennial meeting at St. Louis this fall reaffirmed that the purpose of the Society, in addition to its social features, is to give the members opportunities for knowing their own world through facing its major problems—such as war, race, industry, the Church's mission to the world, and to deepen their own personal religious life. *The Record* is published nine or ten times a year and contains suggestions for programs which are used by leaders of young people all over the country. The mission number is widely used by the Woman's Auxiliary. Our National Office includes a group of highly trained people whose help is being sought increasingly by the National Church in its young

people's work. About one-third of the *National Budget* is raised by general subscription. Those who are good enough to give should have the satisfaction of knowing that they are supporting a cause which is making a real contribution to the work of the whole church as well as to lives of many individual girls.

HELPFUL SUGGESTIONS FOR THE HOLY COMMUNION

1. Before you appear in the Presence of God at the Holy Communion prepare yourself at least by selecting an Intention. This may be a thanksgiving that you want to address to Him, or a problem, or a confession of sin, or an intercession for another. Never come to Him empty handed or empty headed.
2. The Holy Communion is a continuous service from beginning to end. One should not leave it after the Prayer for Christ's Church. We have proved how immensely more helpful the service can be if the whole congregation remains till the end.
3. Take vocal part in all the responses and "secret" part in all the prayers. The consecration of the Elements and the blessedness of the occasion are conditioned by the lifting up of many hearts. The Presence of God is found in "the company of faithful people."
4. Receive the Elements into ungloved hands. The rubric directs that they are to be received "into the hands" of the people. It is well to place the palm of one hand on top of the other in receiving the bread.
5. Be sure to assist the celebrant by guiding the Chalice to your lips. The hats of women who kneel often make it impossible for the celebrant to see their faces. Drink from the Chalice without turning it.

6. If you prefer not to partake of the common cup, you may 1—quite properly hold the bread in your hand until the Chalice is offered you, and then dip the edge of it into the wine before consuming it; or 2—receive "in one kind," taking the bread only. This practice is considered irregular but valid.
7. Pray while you are kneeling at the rail, and when you return to your seat continue your prayers and thanksgiving. You should learn to use your Prayer Book to this end.
8. Never leave the church till the Benediction has been pronounced, unless absolutely compelled to do so. You would not leave the house of a friend before the meal was finished except for serious cause. The Lord's Supper is far more important.
9. Be sure to come to Holy Communion regularly, at least once a month, and also on Christmas and Easter. These days have long been recognized in the church as days of obligation.

PARISH NOTES

During four Tuesday evenings in Lent the Rector has been holding a group in his house of "older-younger" married people, using the Forward Movement pamphlet "Why Be A Christian?" as a guide for the discussion.

The names of those to be presented to the Bishop for Confirmation on Sunday, March 7th at the 9:30 service are: Frances Herrick, Betty Kellner, Constance Dallas, Mary Cox, Thomas Ellison, Mary Disston, Barbara Dexter, Jeane Flood, Virginia Richards, Polly Scott, Isaac Starr, Vidal Starr, David Duryea, Charlotte Ullom, Nancy Grant, Julia Morris, Stanley Root, Charlotte Grass, Dorothy Nimon, James Earle, James Montgomery, Robert Elgin, Jean Mason, Thomas Irwin, Mary Irwin, Theodore Aitken, Marie Monroe.

The Good Friday Offering will be devoted to the Jerusalem Bishopric. It is the only missionary work in which the whole Anglican communion unites. Warden Tomlin of Canterbury writes, "At this meeting point of the three great religions which look to Jerusalem as the Holy City the Church has been at work solving Christian rivalries. No greater work lies upon our race than the solution of the Arab-Jew problem. It is insoluble to anyone but a Christian."

Forward Day by Day Bible Reading Pamphlets for the Post-Easter season will be ready for distribution on Easter Day. This little booklet offers a grand opportunity to fill the spring season with fruitful religious activity. A number of new features make the new issue especially interesting.

NEWS OF THE GENERAL CHURCH

At the recent meeting of the National Council on February 15th a restoration of some of the cuts made in salaries was given to members of the Church Missions House staff. The Budget for 1937 which calls for \$2,313,115.00 was reported not fully raised. \$150,000.00 still remains to be secured during the year by the Dioceses.

The Church Pension Fund has just celebrated its twentieth anniversary of successful administration. During this time \$14,000,000 has been paid out. The money is now being distributed at the rate of \$1,300,000 a year among 2,200 recipients. The average amount paid to retired clergymen is \$1,000. The fund itself stands at \$32,000,000.

THREE LENTEN WEDNESDAYS

We are finishing Lent strong at St. Paul's this year by holding special events on the final three Wednesdays. On March 10th, the Rev. A. C. Zabriskie will make an address in the Parish House on "Christianity and Our World." This will be preceded by an informal supper to which members of the parish are all asked. On Wednesday, March 17th, the Rev. Joseph Fort Newton, D.D., has kindly consented to make up for his absence on Ash Wednesday by preaching to us in the Church. On Wednesday, the 24th, there will be the usual Holy Week service of music in the Church with six anthems sung by the full choir.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES

Palm Sunday—Regular services at 8, 9:30, 10:20, 11:00, 2:15, 5:30 P. M.
Weekdays (Except Good Friday)—7:30
Holy Communion, 5:00 Evening Prayer.
Wednesday—8:15 Evensong, Holy Week anthems, and organ recital.
Maundy Thursday—8:15 P. M. Holy Communion—Memorial of the Lord's Supper.

Good Friday—9:30 Church School service 12:30 P. M. Passion Service.
Easter Even—4:00 P. M. Holy Baptism.
Easter Day—7, 8, 9:30 Holy Communion. 11:00 A. M. Morning Prayer—Holy Communion—Sermon. 3.30 P. M. Carol Service and Procession.

The Choir will sing its annual choral service on the evening of Wednesday of Holy Week. There will be a short evensong with anthem by Goss, then Latin Motets by Palestrina and Lotti and early English polyphonic anthems by Gibbons and Farrant. After the service the Passacaglia and Lenten choral preludes will be played.

EASTER OFFERING

The offerings on Easter Day will be used for the reduction of the debt on the Parish House which now stands at \$51,889.90. About this time last year we made a special free-will gift to meet the missionary crisis. This year we shall try to reduce our own debt. It will be a great gain if we can bring it below the \$50,000.00 mark.

EASTER FLOWERS

Will those who wish to give memorial flowers for the Easter Altar kindly communicate with Mrs. H. P. Glendinning, 529 E. Gravers Lane, Che. 4806? She will gladly welcome gifts of cut or potted flowers but would like to be informed if possible before the purchase is made.

MARCH KALENDAR

Mar. 7—4th Sunday in Lent
14—5th Passion Sunday
21—Palm Sunday
22—Monday before Easter
23—Tuesday before Easter
24—Wednesday before Easter
25—Maundy Thursday
26—Good Friday
27—Easter Even
28—Easter Day.
29—Monday in Easter Week
30—Tuesday in Easter Week

THE PARISH REGISTER

Baptism

David Darby Duryea

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and

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The Church Goes Forward.

ONE of the great encouragements in the Church today is the Forward Movement. It has supplied us with the "Forward Day by Day" Bible Readings and other pieces of useful literature. But the best thing about it is its spirit of critical loyalty. It insists upon appraising both loyally and critically the work that the Church has in hand in order to discover not only its values and its defects, but also better ways of carrying things on.

In the field of missionary work, for instance, the Forward Movement has recently set up conferences of church leaders at five strategic points. These should help to bring out new ideas. But it is the thinking of "the man in the pew" which will prove most useful in any constructive advance that the Church as a whole may make. Parishes, therefore, are also being asked to gather groups of members to consider such significant questions as:

Why should we care about Missions anyway?

What work does our parish do outside its own boundaries?

Who built up the missionary traditions of our parish and who will take their places?

Are you prepared to answer the person who "does not believe in foreign missions"?

Do we pray for the Church's work regularly and intelligently?

Might we not hold such a parish conference here? The Church has long depended upon St. Paul's for help of many kinds. Let us now add to our other offerings our thoughts.

Organization Notes.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

During Lent some boys and girls met each Thursday afternoon to think about some of the Church work in our Diocese. We talked about some of the Church institutions and then went to visit them. Here is the list of those visited:

Episcopal Hospital
St. Agnes' Settlement House
The House of Rest (for Aged Women)
Seamen's Church Institute
Holy Trinity Polish Mission, Conshohocken.
The Angora School (formerly the Church Home for Children)

The report which follows was written by one of our own pupils:

The Angora School for Girls was visited by some girls from the Fifth and Sixth Grades of our Church School. We arrived about 3.30 and had cocoa and cookies. We were very surprised to find it different than we expected. We thought there would be about 150 girls and there were only 25. We thought they would be in uniform, and they weren't.

At four o'clock we went to chapel. The chapel was very small but cozy and cheerful. They had no choir. Finding that they had to pump the organ, and no pulpit, we were very much interested. We felt sorry for the children that had to pump but Miss Crosby told us they had a squabble about who was going to do it. After the service we were introduced to the Rev. Mr. Garcia. Then the girls put the books away, and fixed the chapel in order.

Then our girls went to look through the school, led by Marian, one of their girls. The small girls had a pink dormitory with a doll on each bed. The larger girls had separate rooms, two girls in each room. We thought that was very nice. There were two study rooms, and a large play room. They have a pavilion

in the back yard, and have swings and boats. They have a dinner bell and maids.

We are going to send bean bags and prayer cards to the girls at Angora School. We wrote letters to Miss Crosby thanking her for a very nice time.

Lack of space prevents our publishing the rest of the accounts of these visits, but a few copies of the newspaper which was published by the Church School may be obtained in the Church porch.

Eleven years ago the general church through the National Council appropriated \$25,000 a year for the work of the Girl's Friendly Society. This appropriation in recent years has been cut to \$3,000 on a total budget of \$30,000.

A NEW DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

After several months of careful inquiry the Executive Committee of the Church School has elected Miss Dorothy May Fischer to succeed Miss Shaul as the Director of our Parish Educational Program. Miss Fischer who has been in charge of young people's work in the Department of Religious Education of the National Council has also worked with children and comes to us out of a wide experience in various parts of the country and with the enthusiastic approval of Miss Shaul who knows her well.

Miss Fischer will receive a hearty welcome especially from those who have been bearing the burden and heat of the day since Miss Shaul's departure. She plans to arrive on April 20th.

FORWARD MOVEMENT MEETING

The spring meeting of the Forward Movement Commission will take place in St. Louis, April 20th to 2nd. It will be necessary for the Rector to attend in view of the part assigned to him in promoting the conferences on the Missionary Motive. He will accordingly have to be absent from the Parish during those three days.

BOOK SALE

A number of duplicates and other valuable books are being eliminated from the Church library and may be secured at nominal prices by calling at the Parish Office any day during office hours. Naturally those who apply early will find the best books still available.

A festival of boy choirs, under the auspices of the Cultural Olympics of the University of Pennsylvania, will be held at Irvine Auditorium on the evening of May 11. Several choirs of Philadelphia, including our own, will sing, and the combined choirs will do the Franck "150th Psalm." All who are interested are invited.

REPORTS OF EASTER

We had a glorious Easter Day. The services went with tremendous spirit. In spite of one less Communion Service, 700 people made their Communions as against 643 last year. The Carol Service, which was moved from the afternoon to the regular 9.30 hour, was increased in numbers from 350 to 392. The offering was considerably larger than last year and now amounts to \$1277.35. This is all most satisfactory but is not surprising after our unusually vigorous and successful Lent.

NEW CURATE APPOINTED

It is a great pleasure to be able to announce the acceptance by Mr. Robert G. Metters of his appointment as Curate of St. Paul's. Mr. Metters is a native of Boston and a graduate of Williams College. He will receive his degree from the General Theological Seminary and be ordained Deacon in May. We are looking forward to welcoming him here about the first of June. The Parish is fortunate in securing so quickly a successor to Mr. Warren, who comes highly recommended by his teachers and has made a strong impression on all who have thus far met him at St. Paul's.

NEW VESTRYMAN

The Rector announces with deep satisfaction the acceptance by Mr. Shippen Lewis of his election to the Vestry. The election took place last year but could not be acted on, due to the state of Mr. Lewis's health, until recently. The Vestry has not included a lawyer for many years and is to be congratulated upon the acquisition of one who is qualified in so many respects to be a helpful servant to the Church.

QUIET COMMUNION

We shall again hold a Quiet Communion at 11 A. M. on Sunday, April 18th, similar to that of February 21st. The sermon will be omitted. There will be no music other than the hymns and the usual anthem and the congregation will be asked to stay throughout. The object of holding such a service is to find out how best to serve the congregation through the eleven o'clock service. After many years' experience of an unchanging schedule we may be ready for something slightly different. Any changes, however, should have the approval of the majority of our worshippers and some experience of a new way as a basis for change.

APRIL APPEAL

In accordance with our usual custom the Vestry is about to make the April Appeal for the fulfilment of our regular obligations. Last year we had great success by asking each member of the congregation to add 20% to his annual subscription. The Committee in charge, L. N. Lukens, Chairman; A. U. Crosby and J. A. Pearson, this year aims to secure \$10,000. Letters will be sent out later on in the month advising the congregation more definitely concerning our need and a suggested method of meeting it.

EMERGENCY PEACE CAMPAIGN

A Mass Meeting is to be held in the interests of the "No Foreign War Crusade," at Convention Hall, April 22nd, at 8 P. M. Reservations may be secured at 10c and 25c each through the Parish Office or on Sunday, April 18th, in the church vestibule. The principal speaker will be Admiral Richard E. Byrd.

THE CONFERENCE ON LIFE AND WORK

Representatives of the combined Christian Churches with exception of the Church of Rome are gathering in Oxford this summer to consider "The Relation of the Church to the State and to Society." In view of the fact that the Rector has been chosen as an associate delegate from the U. S. A., the Book Committee feels that the Parish would wish to know more about this conference. One of its promoters has said, "Important and interesting as this conference may prove, it will accomplish little unless it becomes the center of a world wide process of co-operative thinking and discussion."

Some of the books and pamphlets on the subject which we would bring to your attention are:

Bennett, J. C.—"Christianity and Our World"

Oldham, J. H.—"Church, Community and State: A World Issue"

Corbett, C. H.—"The Church and the World Crisis"

Leiper, H. S.—"Christ's Way and the World's"

Sample copies of these books may be found in the Church vestibule on Sundays. Orders will be taken by Miss Rowe at the book table.

MISSIONARY NOTES

If you hear anyone say that the really urgent need for foreign missionaries is about over, read Bishop Huntington's page in *The Spirit of Missions*, for March. He mentions fifteen missionaries

he needs just to carry on existing work—four clergy, two men teachers for boys' schools, four women teachers for girls' schools, four women evangelistic workers, and a nurse; and a minimum of eight, four clergy and four women evangelistic workers for new work. And this is merely one missionary district. Young, trained, competent and courageous people are needed.

I had thought I was giving about as much as I could for the missionary fund, but I got to thinking that it is ten years since Bishop McElwain touched my head and said, "Defend, O Lord, this thy child," and how little I have even tried to do for all the Defense that has been about me since.—Letter accompanying a check.

Writes a Church worker in the Northwest: "I am truly homesick for the old-fashioned Lent, the kind that used to kill off the clergy and wear out the people too, but when Easter came we really felt we had accomplished something and earned something."

Here is just one instance of what happens in a flood. One of our clergy had over seven feet of water in his study, which destroyed 1,000 books, the accumulation of thirty years. The Church periodical Club hopes to help him replace at least some of the most needed.

Memo left by a small boy for his Rector: "As I can't come next Sunday I am leaving my might box now."

APRIL KALENDAR

4 1st Sunday after Easter
5 Annunciation
11 2nd Sunday after Easter
18 3rd Sunday after Easter
25 St. Mark—4th Sunday after Easter

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Meredith Joan Parsons
Rebecca Willing Pepper
Walter McCook Stokes

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The Fruits of Worship.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S world was a good deal like our own. Within himself he had to deal with a wilful disposition. Without he had to struggle with the Romans, who in their aggressive desire to dominate were like many modern Americans. He lived in a clatter. Where could his soul find peace? Every day brought its agitations. Where could he look for poise? Here is his answer: "Thou madest us for Thyself and our hearts are restless until they find their rest in Thee."

On two recent Sundays we have held a Quiet Communion at eleven o'clock in St. Paul's. The sermon was omitted; notices were given out at the beginning; the congregation was invited to remain throughout. Many did so, with the result that we were possessed with the calm empowering which is the fruit of true worship. People spoke afterward of having felt there the Presence and Power of God and the sense of "rest" that St. Augustine describes.

Of course our aim in Worship is to achieve this very thing. We all long to come for a space near to God. He is the source of peace and of poise that we lack. We shall remember these recent experiences as we plan how to make the eleven o'clock services more helpful for another year.

Organization Notes.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The last meeting of the season will be held at 10.30 on Friday, May 7th, at the Parish House. The subject will be "Religious Education at St. Paul's" and there will be an opportunity to meet our new Director of Religious Education, Miss Dorothy May Fischer.

The plan of dividing the responsibility for the meetings among the chairmen of the different committees has worked very well but the need of one head is strongly felt. So an election for president will be held.

Plans are being made for a garden day in June similar to the one last year which proved to be such a pleasant occasion and made possible gifts for special pieces of work which fell outside the quota.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The five major events before the season closes are:
Monday, May 3rd—Mothers' Supper and entertainment.

Thursday, May 13th—Rummage Sale, 8504 Germantown Ave., for which we solicit old clothes, etc. Please leave at Parish House or notify Mrs. Peabody, Che. 0503.

Wednesday, May 19th—Annual Service at the Chapel of the Mediator 8 P. M. Rev. Allan Evans, new Dean of the Theological School, will be the preacher.

Friday, May 21st—Dance at the Parish House, 9-12 P. M. Tickets, 75c a couple. Les Hunt's Orchestra.

Saturday, June 12th—Garden Party at Mrs. Richard Nalle's, E. Bells Mill Road.

There will be no meetings May 17th and 31st.

THE SEWING GUILD

The Sewing group which has met every Tuesday in the Parish House under the leadership of Mrs. Randall Chase

and Mrs. William Parry since Feb. 9th concluded its work for the season on April 27th. The group was open to all the women in the parish and averaged in attendance about twenty-five. They have supplied six layettes consisting of forty articles and one basket to the Episcopal Hospital and one layette to Chestnut Hill Hospital. The Guild will open the second week in October and carry on throughout the year. They plan to enlarge their work to include local charity cases and an Order Department by which expert sewers will take orders to raise money for materials.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

There will be five more Church School sessions before Commencement Sunday, June 6th. Those who will graduate are Rudolph Weber and Eleanor Woodroffe.

WHITSUNDAY, MAY 16TH

All St. Paul's people remember with warm enthusiasm May 19th, 1929, as the Whitsunday on which our own new church building had its first opening. We are therefore especially thankful when on the third great feast of the church's year, which has always ranked in importance with Christmas and Easter, we come together as a parish to thank God for all He has done for us. Through the Spirit which comes to us on Whitsunday, He promises to equip us for every situation that the year ahead may bring. May the services on that day be especially hearty. And may we all be there to take our part.

OUR SUMMER CONFERENCE

Over at Chambersburg the Blue Mountain Conference offers an unusually enticing program for June 21st to July 2nd when it meets this year. St. Paul's and St. Thomas', Whitmarsh, usually have the largest delegations. Many of us feel that the growth of our parish work is in no small measure due to our experiences there. A number of regular members will be going this year. We want a fine group of new ones to join us. Why not call at the Church Office for the new program?

A SINGING CONGREGATION

We hear again and again from visitors praise for our hymn singing. Perhaps we don't deserve all the kind words we get, but it is assuring to realize that since we have adopted our present policy (of singing only well-known hymns, plus three or four new ones which we learn each year) the following list has been added to our repertoire: 98, 155, 158, 213, 266, 338, 339, 432, 525.

We plan during the current year to learn (in the Pension Fund Hymnal) 191 (In Babylone), 317 (Carey) and 451 (Toulon). These hymns are tuneful and not at all difficult. By practicing them at home we shall be able to help to promote still further the fine singing habit of the congregation.

UNBAPTIZED CHILDREN

A recent count of our membership reveals the interesting fact that we have 920 men and boys and 1045 women and girls in the Parish who are baptized members. Those under the age of 13, however, number only 375. This is by no means an accurate enumeration of our children, for in some cases we have probably left out baptized children concerning whose baptisms we have no information. It may be, however, that there exist also a number of children among us who have never yet been baptized. The Rector would be very glad to hear from the parents of such children and to arrange for baptisms at any hour that is convenient.

PREACHER MAY 30TH

The Rev. John W. Suter, Jr., will visit the parish on the first Sunday after Trinity and take charge of all services in the Rector's absence.

ANNUAL MEETING

At the stated annual meeting of the parish on April 5th the following Vestrymen were elected for a term of three years: Livingston E. Jones, William F. Kurtz, Lewis N. Lukens, Joshua Ash Pearson, Frederic S. Whittaker.

THE RECTOR'S PLANS FOR MAY

The Vestry has generously urged me to take advantage of three important opportunities for service outside the parish during May. I have accordingly planned to be absent at a meeting in Alexandria, Va., May 4th to 6th, called by Mr. Francis Sayre to consider with a few church leaders the Church's task in these times. May 11th to 13th I have been asked by the Forward Movement Commission to go to Chicago to conduct a conference on the Missionary Motive similar to that which took place here at St. Paul's in January. May 18th to 20th, the Commission has asked me to do the same thing in Birmingham, Alabama. On the week-end of May 30th, I am going back to Groton for my father's eightieth birthday and the thirtieth anniversary of my own graduation. I regret being away so continuously and ask the indulgence of the Parish, in the hope that you may agree that the occasions justify these plans which include absence on only one Sunday. I have of course arranged to have emergency needs cared for while I am away.

M. E. P.

EMPLOYMENT

TUTOR AND PLAYTIME DIRECTOR who can teach younger boys to swim and sail. Won interscholastic champion yacht race at Merion last June. Son of Bishop Touret.

GARDENER of 24 years' experience, trained in France, expert in flowering, landscaping, tree surgery, grass and shrubbery.

CHAUFFEUR AND GARDENER. Excellent references.

For further information, kindly phone the Parish Office: Che. 0359.

"Probably the largest group of colored people confirmed at one time in the South since before the Civil War," writes Bishop Wing of the class on one hundred and fifteen confirmed at St. Agnes' Church, Miami.

LENTEN READING

The Book Committee reports that sixty-two books were circulated from St. Paul's Church Library and fifty-one from the Public Library of Chestnut Hill during Lent.

LIBRARY BOOKS FOR SALE

Quite a large number of duplicate and other books have been sold from the Parish Library this month but some very good ones at reasonable prices still remain. Among those left are:

Things I Know in Religion—J. F. Newton

A Saint in the Making—J. Oxenham
The Trail of Life in the Middle Years—R. Jones

The Trail of Life in College—R. Jones
Finding the Trail of Life—R. Jones
Mahatma Gandhi, His Own Story—C. F. Andrews

Children of the Second Birth—S. Shoemaker

Christ at the Round Table—E. S. Jones

Call at the Church Office some morning and see what you can find.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Janet Read Jefferson
Charles James Hatfield

Burials

Anna Fisher Johnston

Confirmations

Theodore Bird Aitken, Mary Lyman Cox, Constance Hopkins Dallas, Barbara Binney Dexter, Mary Disston, David Darby Duryea, James Morris Earle, 2nd, Robert J. Elgin, Richard Thomas Ellison, Jr., Jeanne Cassard Flood, Anne Lewis Grant, Charlotte Grass, Frances E. Herrick, Mary Irwin, Thomas Browning Irwin, Betty Kellner, Jean Mason, Marie Monroe, James Stephens Montgomery, Jr., Julia Effingham Morris, Dorothy Nimon, Virginia Anne Richards, Stanley William Root, Jr., Mary Harrison Scott, Isaac Starr, 3rd, Vidal Starr, Charlotte Bayard Ullom.

MAY KALENDAR

- 1 St. Philip and St. James
- 2 5th Sunday after Easter
- 6 Ascension Day
- 9 Sunday after Ascension
- 16 Whitsunday
- 17 Whitsun Monday
- 18 Whitsun Tuesday
- 23 Trinity Sunday
- 30 1st Sunday after Trinity

PROGRESS AND PROBLEMS OF THE NATIONAL CHURCH

In a statement addressed to the National Council regarding the past year's work, Bishop Roberts, of South Dakota, outlines the urgent needs of that missionary district:

1. More young clergy. "Some of our older clergy who have given their lives for this great work are coming toward the end of their working days."

2. More women workers, "as the day schools are constantly increasing and our clergy cannot possibly do the work alone."

3. Money for the purchase and maintenance of cars.

4. Money for repair of Church buildings and clergy houses.

5. The salary problem. "The highest salary paid in the mission field in South Dakota, regardless of length of service or size of family, is \$1,620. It is hard to keep well-trained men in this field under these conditions."

West Texas, hitherto an aided diocese, is graduating from National Council appropriations, relinquishing all aid from that source.

Bishop Capers writes that he believes "it was a sense of gratitude to the National Council for its generous help in the past that brought the West Texas diocesan council to this conclusion. The diocese felt it was time to help the National Council by relieving it of the annual appropriations made to it all these many, many years."

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RELIGION IN SUMMER

I RECEIVED a notice the other day from "The Moth Ball Club." Its declared purpose is to keep religion active during the cedar-chest months. Not a bad plan that, for school vacations so often have led "good church members" to vacate the church also.

What do we mean by a "good church member" anyhow? One who *worships* regularly in the Church? One who *studies* his religion? One who reflects it in *daily living*? Surely the Christian life includes all three of these things. Our Church School evidently thinks so too, for it has issued a folder by which the pupils can record their summer's activity in each field.

Nor can we parents and elders do less if we really care about God. This world of ours, isn't it simply waiting for the emergence of men of religious conviction to clear it up? We're not going to get further in our own strength. God knows the answers. Only he can lead us on. And that has a lot to do with our summer's religion. It can draw us much closer to Him if we continue to do just three definite things about it; get to Church with the family on Sunday, read a religious book or two, and make a daily effort to gladden the brethren. Moth balls can do a lot for a man's clothes but they kill his religion.

Organization Notes.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Commencement will take place Sunday, June 6th, at 9.30. Family Sunday follows June 13th. The 9.30 Service for Children and Parents will continue to be held each Sunday as usual.

Special booklets have been prepared for the children of the Church School for use during the summer months. They have been mailed to all Church School pupils. We will gladly supply them to others if they will apply at the Church School Office.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The society has had a splendid year. We have been able to help various charitable institutions, The Convalescent Hospital for Consumptives in Chestnut Hill, The Salvation Army, St. Michael's House, and Sister Horner, of South Dakota. We are now planning for a Rummage Sale in the Fall, for which we should be glad to receive contributions, and will gladly call for them. Telephone Miss Yocom, Che. 2777. The society has lost through death two of its most beloved members, Mrs. Thomas Johnston and Mrs. Caldwell. They will be infinitely missed.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The year is closing with a Garden Day on June 7th, which we hope will raise enough to cover expenses for special work next winter. The following were elected officers for the coming year:

Mrs. Livingston E. Jones, President.

Mrs. Ralph Herrick, Secretary.

Mrs. Francis Grant, Treasurer.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Our year closes with a picnic on Monday night, June 7th, and the Diocesan Garden Party at the Episcopal Academy on Saturday, June 12th. The following officers have been elected for the coming year:

Branch Chairman, Mary Roth.

Secretary, Marguerite Page.

Corresponding Sec'y., Betty Williams.

Treasurer, Mrs. Florence Pattison.

THE FLOWER MISSION

Flowers, Vegetables, Fruit—What a lot they mean to city folk during the hot summer days! Our Flower and Vegetable Mission, one of the most imaginative things we do in the whole year, will recommence on Wednesday, June 9th, under the vigorous leadership of Mrs. Robert Glendinning. Will those who have flowers and vegetables or fruit to contribute, kindly deliver them at the Parish House before 10 o'clock on Wednesday mornings throughout the summer? Hear what Mr. Eastburn has to say about the helpfulness of this work:

A WORD FROM ST. BARNABAS

"A great amount of day laborers who are not taken into membership in unions and do not receive union wages have been suffering intensely this winter. In the last two months conditions have been almost as bad as the days when we were of necessity feeding children and their families. The high cost of living and the low wages in non-union industries make it impossible to purchase sufficient nourishing foods.

We had a young mother who lost her first baby (at birth) and to whom four blood transfusions had to be given and who, with her husband, had been living on a relief order of \$8.00 a week, \$5.00 of which went for rent.

Two days ago I was called into one of our families by a worker from the Municipal Court and asked to see that they got medical attention at our hospital. There are eight children. The father works but makes a small salary and is not able to clothe them and shoe them or give them enough to eat. They are all undernourished and have lost considerable time out of school.

It is for these and many others that I want to ask for a generous gift of surplus vegetables from the gardens of the good people of your parish. They have always contributed to us in large measure, but this year I want to point out that the need is greater than it has been for the last three years. Our greatest need is milk and food."

MR. EASTBURN'S SALARY

Members of St. Paul's for the past four years have made an important contribution to Mr. Eastburn's salary. When St. Barnabas' Church itself could give nothing we have stepped in and done so. Last year the Convocation of North Philadelphia asked for only \$800 instead of the customary \$1000. This year we are paying only \$600. Next year they promise to need our help no more. The Rector now has enough money in hand to cover the August first payment. \$250 more will carry the fund through the balance of the year and bring this very helpful work of assistance to a conclusion. Mr. Peabody will be glad to receive checks from anyone who wishes to help with the last \$250.

THE SUMMER SCHEDULE

Summer services beginning June 6th will run on the usual schedule:

Sundays:

8.00—Holy Communion.

9.30—Children and Parents Service.

11.00—Holy Communion or Morning Prayer and Sermon.

Thursdays and Saints Days: Holy Communion at 7.30 A. M.

The Rector will be in residence through June. He sails for the Oxford Conference on July 3rd. The Rev. Percy Stockman has kindly promised to take charge during July and August. He will reside in the rectory and be ready at all times to minister to the congregation. Mr. Stockman is well known in this Diocese as the Chaplain of the Seaman's Church Institute. He is a good preacher and can confidently be called upon for any kind of personal service.

Linen Shower and Garden Party for Mrs. Grafton Burke, Fort Yukon, Alaska, June 9th, from 3.00 to 6.00 at the home of Mrs. W. W. Frazier, 3rd, Spring Lane, Roxborough. A list of articles most needed can be obtained from the Parish Office.

THE RECTOR'S SUMMER PLANS

The World Conference on Life and Work to which I have been appointed as Associate Delegate will be held in Oxford, England, July 12th to 26th. The subject of this conference is "Church, the State, and the Community." Its aim is to formulate a message and a program for the whole Christian church. The task of associate delegates is to tell about the findings of the conference during next fall and winter.

I plan to stay at the conference until it is finished and to spend August with my family in England, part of the time near Glasgow at the mouth of the Clyde and later motoring through Devonshire and Cornwall. We shall sail home on the first of September and plan to be back in Chestnut Hill on the 8th.

E. P.

SUPPLEMENTARY APPEAL

A letter went out to the members of the parish late in May asking for a supplementary contribution to the Parish Budget. We have done this regularly during the past seven years and as a result of a willing response have been able to balance our budget and carry on our work for the year.

The response this year has so far been quite as generous from those who have responded. The Vestry very much hopes that we may receive as large a sum as last year and an even greater number of contributions. They are anxious to engage an older clergyman to extend the pastoral visiting work of the staff. A well qualified man is already under consideration but before we can engage him it will be necessary to raise our budget.

Bishop William Lawrence writes in The Spirit of Missions for June, that the late Mrs. John Markoe "was as keen throughout August to encourage missions as she was in Lent."

MR. METTERS COMES JUNE 6TH

Our new curate, the Rev. Robert G. Metters, just graduated from General Theological Seminary, will be in residence at St. Paul's June 6th. He is a graduate of Williams College and a former resident of Boston. He will be in Deacon's orders for a year. We are making slight alterations in the clergy studies in the Parish House so that he may reside there. Mr. Metters comes highly recommended and will receive a most hearty welcome when he arrives.

SUMMER READING

The Parish Library has just been catalogued with a view to making it available by subjects. Members of the parish will find in the catalogue references to every important subject in the book. Your inspection is invited at the Parish Office any day. If you wish to take out a book, you may keep it throughout the summer. Here are some good ones:

BIOGRAPHY

The Life of Phillips Brooks.....Lawrence
Mahatma Gandhi.....Andrews
Kagawa.....Axling
Out of My Life and Thought.....Schweitzer

CHRISTIAN DOCTRINE

In the Steps of the Master.....Morton
What did Jesus Think?

Prichard and Brown-Sermon

Beliefs that Matter.....Brown

PERSONAL RELIGION

Creative Prayer.....Herman

Let's Be Normal.....Kunkel

Worship.....Underhill

RELIGION IN ACTION

Missions Tomorrow.....Latourette

Christianity and Our World.....Bennett

Christ's Way and the World's.....Leiper

The Rev. H. Mitchell, formerly curate here at St. Paul's, is now a missionary on small pay at Dillon, Montana. His automobile has broken down. He needs another one to cover his wide-open field. \$350 will do it. He asks if anyone in Chestnut Hill would care to help.

BLUE MOUNTAIN

Three members of the staff, three children and five others have already signed up for the Blue Mountain Conference at Chambersburg, June 21st to July 2nd. This Summer School Conference for Church Workers is the best thing of its kind in the province. It has an excellent

faculty, a varied program and a most stimulating membership. Those who go will grow in their knowledge of religion and immensely promote their capacity to be useful in the church's work. The Rector is anxious to hear from any who are interested. Programs may be had at the Parish Office.

GENERAL CONVENTION

Cincinnati is the place. October 6th is the opening date of the triennial General Convention of our church. Here is an opportunity to see many of the church's leaders and to hear their message. During the second week, October 12 to 15, an institute of classes covering many phases of church work and life is offered. Here is an opportunity to take a short trip to find out what is going on in the Church and to show one's interest in a way that will encourage and support those who legislate and plan for us.

FORWARD DAY BY DAY

The Bible readings booklet for the summer is now here, a double edition for the entire Trinity season. It includes three complete Epistles with daily comments of a most suggestive kind, also prayers and a hymn or two. The title of the book is "Counsel for Our Times." Booklets may be secured from the Parish Office or in the Church vestibule.

JUNE KALENDAR

6—2nd Sunday after Trinity.

11—St. Barnabas.

13—3rd Sunday after Trinity.

20—4th Sunday after Trinity.

24—St. John Baptist.

27—5th Sunday after Trinity.

29—St. Peter.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Julia Leaming Pitz.

James Warner Butterworth II.

Henry Edgerton Crouter.

Lenore Crouter.

Barbara Warden Lingelbach.

Charles Roebbling Tyson, Jr.

Burials

Elizabeth Armstrong Burrowes Drum.

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GENERAL CONVENTION 1937.

ON October 6th, Cincinnati will see gathered together representatives of the Episcopal Church from all of its one hundred and six dioceses. Many newspapers will carry full reports of the proceedings. Some of them featured for their news value will be unimportant. What are the important questions that General Convention will have to face? I think on the whole there are three. Question No. 1: How is the Church going to conduct its missionary work more effectively, both as regards plans in the field and the enlistment of the strength of her full membership at home? No. 2: What will be the future of the Forward Movement which has done so much to stimulate Personal Religion during the past three years? No. 3: How shall the National Council be reformed so that it shall better serve the church's need? (The status of the Presiding Bishop will be an important part of this answer.) Regardless of everything else that happens there, wise answers must be made to these questions if the Church is to go effectively forward.

November 1st will see the Church setting out on a new three-year program. That it may be the best possible, we shall pray for the members of General Convention during its sessions. That we may be informed of its real achievements as they develop, let us not be distracted by the froth in the news, but aim to learn something of the measures which will affect the Church's inmost life.

FOR THE MEMBERS OF GENERAL CONVENTION

Almighty God, who alone canst quicken Thy servants to hear Thee and obey, we pray for all Bishops and Deputies to the General Convention of this Church. Grant that they may be cleansed from all unworthiness, and with vision and courage make ready to take counsel for Thy people. And this we ask for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Opening Meetings

THE WOMEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Women's Bible Class will resume its meetings with a Communion Service on Sunday morning, October 10, 1937, at eight o'clock. We hope that all members may be present.

Classes are held every Sunday morning, in the Chapel, at ten o'clock. We will welcome new friends.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Woman's Friendly Society will open its winter season on Wednesday evening, October 6th. Mr. Peabody has kindly consented to open the meeting with a short service of prayer, held in the choir of the Church promptly at 8:15 o'clock.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

First meeting of the year on Sunday, October 3rd, at 2:15. Come to this opening session and hear our plans for the new season.

THE SEWING GUILD

The Sewing Guild will recommence Tuesday, October 19th, at 10:30 A. M. in the Parish House. All the women of the Parish are invited to join this weekly sewing group which will make supplies for local charity cases and for the Episcopal Hospital. Coffee is served at 12:30 and all are asked to bring sandwiches.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

We start our new year with the resolution to be more conscious of the privileges and opportunities open to us within the Church, and the desire to make our own Church depend on us more and more.

October Program

- October 3—
Corporate Communion, 8 A. M.
October 4—
Covered dish supper, 7 P. M.—Summer experiences.
October 11—
Talk on Personality, 8:15 P. M.
October 18—
Personal Appearance.
October 25—
Halloween Party.

The Candidate Class for Girls 4 to 13 will meet Tuesday, October 5th, at the Parish House at 4 o'clock.

Plans are being made for a rummage sale in November. Donations may be left in the Parish Office.

CHURCH SCHOOL

The school year started off with a teachers' conference at the Holmquist School in New Hope, September 24-25. Twenty teachers, officers and clergy attended to discuss the subject: What is a Rule of Life for the Christian?

Sunday, October 3rd, the faculty attended the early Communion Service together, which was followed by breakfast in the Parish House.

The first session of the school took place on Sunday, October 3rd.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONFERENCE

The young people of the parish held their annual fall conference, Saturday and Sunday, September 25-26, at the Dallas Farm on Jericho Mountain. The Rev. Gardiner Day of St. Stephen's Church, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., was the leader. The findings of the Conference will form the basis of a discussion for plans for the fall work.

PARISH DIRECTORY

OCTOBER 1937



ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

East Chestnut Avenue

SERVICES

- Sunday
8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.
9:30 A. M.—Church School.
11:00 A. M.—1st and 3rd Sundays—Holy Communion and Sermon.
2nd, 4th, and 5th Sundays
—Morning Prayer and Sermon.
5:30 P. M.—Evening Prayer.
Thursdays—Holy Communion at 7:30 and 10 A. M.
Saints' Days—Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M.
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Rector

REV. MALCOLM E. PEABODY
18 E. Chestnut Avenue
Telephone Che. 0503
Office Hours: Tuesdays—5-7 in the Parish House.
Weekdays—9-10 at the Rectory (except Mondays).

Curate

REV. ROBERT G. METTERS
St. Paul's Parish House
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9-10 A. M. and by appointment.

Adviser in Religious Education

MISS DOROTHY MAY FISCHER
Office, Parish House
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Office Hours: In general, 9:00 to 1:00—
2:00 to 5:00 (except Thursdays).
Home Address, 8722 Germantown Avenue

Parish Secretary

MISS RUTH C. KENNEL
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MYRON D. CASNER
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5720 Beechwood Street, Germantown
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MARSHALL S. MORGAN
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CHURCH SCHOOL

Adviser, Miss Dorothy May Fischer
Chairman Executive Committee and Treasurer, Miss Margaret Earle
Secretary, To be appointed
Supply Secretary,
Mrs. J. Ebert Butterworth
Members Executive Committee: Miss Lily Cheston, Miss Helen Zebley, Mrs. Robert O'Neill, Miss Matilda Fassitt, Mrs. J. S. Disston, Jr., Mrs. J. Ebert Butterworth, Mrs. Ralph Herrick, Mrs. Francis Smyth.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

The Altar Society

Warden, Mrs. John Andrews Harris, Jr.;
Secretary, Mrs. Joseph R. Carpenter, Jr.;
Treasurer, Mrs. G. A. Huggins.

Men's Bible Class

President, J. Ebert Butterworth; Secretary,
Joseph Birtch; Treasurer, James Hender-
son; Chaplain, the Rector. Meetings, Sun-
days at 2:15 P. M.

The Girls' Friendly Society

Branch President, Mrs. M. E. Peabody;
Branch Chairman, Mary Roth; Secretary,
Marguerite Page. Meetings, Mondays at
8:15 P. M.

G. F. S. Candidates

Associate, Mrs. David J. Lawson. Meetings,
Tuesdays at four o'clock.

The Woman's Auxiliary

President, Mrs. Livingston E. Jones. Meet-
ings, first Friday in the month at 10:30
A. M. Every Friday during Lent.

The Woman's Bible Class

Leader, Miss Helen Zebley. Secretary, Mrs.
Charles Roth. Meetings, Sundays at 10:00
A. M. in the Chapel.

The Woman's Friendly Society

Leader, Miss Dorothea Yocom. Treasurer,
Miss Ellen Wilmot; Secretary, Mrs.
George Taylor. Meetings, Wednesday at
8:00 P. M.

Church School Student Committee

To be appointed.

Young People's Executive Committee

New Officers to be elected.

Altar Flower Committee

Chairman, Mrs. H. P. Glendinning, 529 E.
Gravers Lane, Che. 4806.

Boy Scout Troop

Scoutmaster, Samuel Wilmot, Jr., 535 Spring
Lane, Che. 5320.

The Girls' Choir

Leader, Mrs. Charles Willing, Hillcrest Ave.,
Che. 4128.

THE CHOIR

Crucifers: Edgar Blair, Richard Tudor

Servers: Samuel Wilmot, George Ayton,
Henry Kurtz, Walter Roth, Robert La-
velle, Thomas Brunt, Leslie Williams,
Rudolph Weber, Robert Kane, George
Wilmot, Jefferson Craig, LeRoy Monroe,
William Monroe, Robert Wilmot, William
Wilmot, Thomas Ellison.

Choir Rehearsals

Mondays at 4:30 P. M.

Tuesdays at 4:30 P. M.

Wednesdays at 4:30 P. M.

Thursdays at 4:30 P. M.

Fridays at 7:40 P. M.

Trebles

George Adair	Joseph McNamee
Robert Ard	Roy North
Robert Armstrong	Fred Oppenlander
Donald Atkinson	Ernest Page
William Derr	Robert Reed
Stephen Hay	Richard Robertson
Edward Jefferson	Fred Stevenson
James Kerr	Robert Thompson
Alex Knox	William Thompson
James Little	Norman Waldman
Perry Matlack	Robert Williamson
Owen McDonnell	Nelson Wilson

Altos

Henry Ayton	Bartleson Fleu
Samuel Berry	Henry Getz
Thomas Blair	Harvey Scheetz
John Wetherstine	

Tenors

Louis Dow	Howell Tomlinson
Herbert Dunkerley	Rudolph Weber

Basses

Leonard Davies	Robert Morgan
Andrew McCreadie	John Tomlinson

THE OXFORD CONFERENCE

Having been appointed an Associate
Delegate to this great meeting, attended
virtually by every Church in Christen-
dom except that of Rome, I had an ex-
cellent opportunity both at the meetings
and in private conversations to get a
line on the thoughts of Christian leaders.
I have already shared some of these
thoughts with the congregation on two
recent Sunday mornings. Other sub-
jects discussed at Oxford will be pre-
sented in subsequent sermons. But
a full grasp of what went on at Oxford
will only be secured through careful
reading of the reports and of the book
soon to appear on the subject by Henry
S. Leiper. This literature will be ready,
I hope, by the end of this month and
may be purchased in the Church porch.
Those who have a concern for the
Church and her task will be given every
chance to learn the findings of this great
Conference on "Life and Work."

M. E. P.

DR. KELLER—OCTOBER 10TH

The Rev. Dr. Adolf Keller has for a
generation been one of the most effec-
tive workers in the Cooperative Move-
ment among the churches. He has held
many important positions in the Swiss
Church, among them the pastorate of
Calvin's own Church in Geneva. No
one knows more about the continental
churches of Europe. He was an im-
portant figure at the Oxford Conference
in making clear their position to the
English speaking nations and in making
our thoughts plain to them.

Out of a crowded program he has
reserved Sunday, October 10th, to come
to preach at St. Paul's. It will be a
joy to introduce to the Parish so wise,
so attractive, and so truly religious a
soul as he.

THE VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

It was nice to return after a sum-
mer's absence and hear the hearty sing-
ing of St. Paul's congregation. Almost
everybody in the Church sings now.
That is one reason why the services
have become so helpful. They belong
to everybody. Strangers who come to
the Church catch the spirit and are
swept along by this enthusiasm in the
worship of God.

We shall want to recall that one
reason for our improved hymn singing
is our plan to learn annually a few new
first-rate hymns. There are still three
months of 1937 left during which to
work upon these four: 155, Herzliebster;
191, In Babilone; 317, Carey; 484, Yule.
Play over the tunes at home and see
how effective they are.

FORWARD MOVEMENT MEASURES

One Pennsylvania parish has included
these resolutions as a guide and stimu-
lant to the work of the year:

"To worship in our own Church
when at home and in another church
when away, as the first act of every
Sunday."

"To look on the Holy Communion as
the Church's highest act of worship."

"To set aside daily a brief period for
meditation, prayer and Bible reading."

"To give systematically and accord-
ing to the Christian standard to the
church's budget."

"Caring for others who do not care
about God and trying to win them to
allegiance to Him."

There is only one omission from the
list that many of us would have wished
to add: "Observing in the world, social,
economic and political evils which de-
feat God's purpose and striving by
every means in our power to make His
rule dominant in every department of
human life."

WHERE THE GOSPEL IS NEWS

Dr. William C. Sturgis, while in India, visited a Christian college of the Church of England. In conversation with one of the undergraduates, a devout Hindu, strongly opposed to Christianity, he asked him if there were any Christians in the college. "A few," he said.

"Do you know them?" he asked. "I know them by sight," the boy replied.

Something peculiar in the emphasis made Dr. Sturgis say, "What do you mean—by sight? Is there something in their faces?"

"Yes," he said; "something very unusual among us—Light."

Commenting on this incident, Dr. Sturgis said that throughout the Orient he had observed this very thing, a certain irradiation, quite unmistakable, in the faces of those to whom the Gospel had come as news.

MR. EASTBURN'S ILLNESS

As a result of overwork at St. Barnabas', the Rev. Albert W. Eastburn fell ill this summer. Though he has partially recovered, it will be necessary for him to rest for many months. Members of St. Paul's will be very sorry to hear this and perhaps will want to make contributions to his resources and those of the Mission during the period of his absence. The Rector will be pleased to hear from any who would like to help. Under the circumstances he has accepted the request of Dean Stockman to provide \$300 in 1938.

NEW CONFIRMATION CLASS

We shall continue the plan of the last two years by asking Confirmation candidates of eighteen years and younger to attend classes throughout the current Church School year. Older members will be offered a shorter period of instruction but should send their names in at once to the Rector. The younger class will hold its first meeting in the Parish House at 10, directly after the 9:30 Service on Sunday, October 3rd, and will meet thereafter regularly at that hour.

PARISH CHORUS

An opportunity for informal choral singing will be provided for members of the parish and their friends on Wednesday evenings at eight o'clock, in the Choir House led by the organist of St. Paul's. The plan this year besides giving people the joy of singing together will also furnish occasions for singing in the services of the Church. The first meeting takes place October 6th.

OCTOBER KALENDAR

- 3 19th Sunday after Trinity
- 10 20th Sunday after Trinity
- 17 21st Sunday after Trinity
- 18 St. Luke
- 24 22nd Sunday after Trinity
- 28 St. Simon and St. Jude
- 31 23rd Sunday after Trinity

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Helene Kempton Dunn
Ann Dashiell Wieland
Mary Gillinder Masland
Marie Louise Dunn

Burials

Amanda Cresson Kite
Mary Phillips Appleton
Anna Sitgreaves Blair
Louise Weill Allen
Elizabeth Goodman Teipel

Marriages

Philipps Kay Schwartz and Nancy Haldeman Putnam.
George Frederick Tyler, Jr., and Josephine Browning Doughten.
Fred MacDonald Richardson and Margaret Jane Ullom.
William Henry Haines III and Charlotte Bayard Ullom.
George Roberts Clark and May Denckla Howe.

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What General Convention Did.

THE Church answered the three questions mentioned in last month's leaflet as follows: (1) It decided to carry on its missionary work with greater intelligence and zeal by increasing the budget for the next three years slightly, by electing as Presiding Bishop, Bishop Tucker, formerly of Kyoto, an enthusiastic missionary, and by appointing a Commission on Survey and Strategy. (2) It extended the life of the Forward Movement for another three years and appointed a new Commission. (3) It began to reform the status and work of the National Council by declaring that the Presiding Bishop should be President of the Council, should serve until he was sixty-eight, and should give his full attention to the task.

What chiefly made the Convention notable were its concerns with Missions and Christian Unity. World events are urging us on toward progressive action in both these fields. Everyone at Cincinnati felt God's spirit moving men and inspiring them to action. It is with a sense of urgency and confidence that the Presiding Bishop and the new leaders of the Church will go forward upon their task.

THANKSGIVING FESTIVAL

There will be a Festival Service of Thanksgiving for the Church School on Sunday, November 21st, at 9.30. A Litany of Thanksgiving will be sung in procession with the choir of men and boys as well as the girls' and children's choirs. There will be a presentation of the fruits of the earth at this service. Parents are invited to accompany their children.

ORGANIZATION NOTES

The Young People's Society will hold a "Barn Dance" on Friday evening, December 3rd, from 9 to 1, in the Parish Hall with the "Santa Nova" Orchestra. Tickets are 75c a couple.

Choral Evensong will be sung by the "St. Dunstan Singers" on Sunday evening, November 21st, at 5.30 P. M. The service will open with an organ recital at 5.15 P. M. The "St. Dunstan Singers" is a group of six men whose particular interest is plain song and early Latin and English motets.

Sister Horner, the United Thank Offering worker in South Dakota, will speak at the Woman's Friendly at 8.15 Wednesday evening, November 10th.

The District Conference of the Girls' Friendly Society will take place at Trinity, Oxford, this year on Tuesday, November 23rd, when the nine branches

in this Convocation will get together for supper and evening meeting. There will be a panel discussion on "Jobs and Marriage," in which girls from different branches will take part, and a report from one delegate to the Young People's week-end conference at Cincinnati. St. Paul's branch has started the year with renewed vigor under the following chairmen of committees:

Worship—Mildred Mathers.

Program—Mrs. J. McNamee and Betty Bustard.

Finance—Mrs. F. Pattison.

The Sewing Guild of the Parish will continue to meet regularly on Wednesdays in the Parish House from 10.30 A. M. until 3.00 P. M. Luncheon is served at 12.30.

The December Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held on Friday, the 3rd, and is in charge of the Diocesan Committee of which Mrs. B. Franklin Pepper is the Chairman.

NOTES

November 28th is Offering Sunday this year. The canvassers will go out on their task from house to house on December 5th.

The Parish Bookshelf presents to the congregation every Sunday books on subjects of current interest in the religious world. Several pamphlets and magazines have been added this year to enrich the exhibit. Look it over next time you go by.

HONORS TO STAFF

The General Church has recognized St. Paul's Church this year in an outstanding way. Miss Dorothy May Fischer has been elected President of the National Organization of Directors of Religious Education for a three-year period. The Rector was elected by General Convention to the National Council for a six-year term. The National Council is composed of thirty members (bishops, priests, laymen and laywomen) who are the responsible governing body of the Church between meetings of General Convention. Its stated meetings take place in New York for a two-day period four times a year.

OXFORD CONFERENCE

MATERIAL

The full report of the Oxford Conference is to be found in a blue pamphlet entitled "The Message and Decisions at Oxford." All who want to know what Oxford has contributed will want to own this pamphlet.

There has also been printed a four-page leaflet "A Message from the Oxford Conference to the Christian Churches," which is a very brief notice of the Conference's accomplishments. Both publications are on sale in the Church porch.

PARISH MEETING — NOV. 17th

The Parish Meetings of the last three or four years have gone so well that we are planning to hold another one this fall. Supper will be served in the Parish House at 6.30 and the meeting which follows will be addressed by the Rev. Donald B. Aldrich, D.D., Rector of the Church of the Ascension in New York. The subject will be "Worship," with a view to finding out how we can make the worship of our parish church more effective. Mr. Aldrich has had a most helpful ministry at the Cathedral in Boston and now in New York in carrying on services of worship which are true to the Church's tradition but which also have enabled congregations to relate their public prayers to daily life.

The Rector is anxious for a free discussion and hopes that people will come prepared to join in.

MR. STABLER TO PREACH

The preacher on Sunday, November 21st, when the Rector keeps his annual engagement to preach at Groton School, will be the Rev. W. Brooke Stabler, Chaplain at the University of Pennsylvania, where his message is commanding increasing attention and respect.

RESULTS OF MISSIONARY SCORE SHEET

On Sunday, October 10th, 109 people stayed after the eleven o'clock service to answer ten questions concerning missions. 61 said they were really concerned in the cause, 45 were uncertain, 3 were not interested.

1. A large majority recognized that the health of the home Church depends on its vision and zeal for Missions.
2. The word "Missions" was unpleasant to 25.
3. A large majority felt the need for an increase of missionary work.
4. A large majority want to cooperate more fully with other Christian forces.
5. A large majority feel that Christianity is the greatest potential force against world evils.
6. There was no clear answer about increasing the Parish Budget for missions.
7. Slightly more than half would like to give more time and attention to the subject.
8. A majority felt that they had no fair knowledge of the work.
9. More than half were not interested in designating their contributions.
10. Only 21 read Church papers.

The inquiry showed on the whole that people are intellectually concerned but inadequately informed and not emotionally aroused. The Rector wishes to thank those who contributed to these findings.

NOVEMBER KALENDAR

- 1 All Saints Day
 - 7 24th Sunday after Trinity
 - 14 25th Sunday after Trinity
 - 21 Sunday before Advent
 - 25 Thanksgiving Day
 - 28 1st Sunday in Advent
 - 30 St. Andrew
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PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Caroline Henry Morgan
Amory Hare Zantzing
Frederick Valentine Maxson
Harry Connelly Groome

Burials

Julia E. Heebner
Robert Poole Hooper, Jr.
Randolph Sailer
Edward Jefferson
Charles Morgan Knight

Marriages

John Anton Mayer and Effie Fleming
Disston.

William Reese Scott, 3rd, and
Milda Fassitt.

Alfred Wakelee Swartz, Jr., and
Deborah Disston.

Walter Franklin Klenk and Anna
Ethel Williams.

Charles King Lennig, Jr., and An-
nette Brogden Cheston.

Henry Kurtz Canby and Agnes
Frazier.

John Butler Prizer and Charlotte
Upton Darling (McNab).

James Crawford Brunt and Dorothy
Katherine Ferguson.

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And Speaking of Gifts - - -

ONE of the qualifications for leadership of the new Presiding Bishop is his ability to change people." *From a personal letter.*

It is good to hear that the Church's new chief pastor has religious power. But why does my friend mention this as a peculiar gift? Why don't we all have the same ability? If God has changed our lives, why can't He change others through us? This ought to be the normal way that religion expresses itself. If we really have it, others should really feel it, and be affected by it, as they were in early Christian times.

What was "it" which they had and we have not, at any rate in such abundance? Wasn't it the sense that God had done something in Jesus Christ that made each one of them His man? That they had got possessed by the sense of what life with Him might be? That they felt it gloriously welling up within themselves? And that it honestly hurt them to think of the handicapped existence of those who as yet knew Him not? Wasn't it a combination of gladness and regret? And haven't life-changing Christians always been known by this same sense of Privilege and this same capacity for Pain?

Every year as Advent comes around to herald again the arrival of the Christ one senses the season's what-are-you-going-to-do-about-it challenge. There's a kind of excitement in the air of something great at the threshold, but with it a pang of grief too as we remember the people to whom December 25th will mean "just another Christmas." As one thinks of Christmas presents, how would it be to recollect the grandeur of that Present whom God has given us and determine so to live that through us others may recover "the lost radiance" of Christianity? The world demands our Choicest Gift. It should have nothing less.

ORGANIZATION NOTES

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

The Student Council of the Church School has been reorganized. The representatives from the various classes are: Shirley Wright, Marion Campbell, Paul Shuttleworth, Sally Allen, Barbara Brakeley, Pete Disston, James Butterworth, Jack Maxson, Ann Herbert, Janet Sieber, Minturn Wright, Evelyn Nimon, Evelyn Murphey, Vidal Starr, Fred. Oppenlander, George Adair.

There are several tasks that the Student Council has already taken under advisement.

There will be Departmental meetings of the Middle School and the Primary School on Tuesday, December 7th, 8 P. M. and Monday, December 13th, 8 P. M., respectively.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The tea given on Tuesday afternoon, November 30th, by the women of St. Paul's in honor of the new members of the staff, Miss Dorothy Fischer, Director of Religious Education; Mr. and Mrs. Myron D. Casner, organist, and the Rev. Robert G. Metters, Curate, was largely attended and greatly enjoyed.

Mrs. John E. Hill, President of the Diocesan Woman's Auxiliary, addressed the regular monthly meeting on Friday morning, December 5th, outlining the plans for the future as set forth by General Convention in Cincinnati.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The principal interest of the month is the Christmas party for the Mission of the Transfiguration in South Philadel-

phia. Miss Siter, of the Preston Retreat, and Mr. Meckling, the missionary in charge, have come to our branch and told us of the conditions in that neighborhood. The bad housing, undernourishment, and juvenile crime are the inevitable outcome of unemployment. The church is doing a real piece of missionary work and gets a fine response. Our G.F.S. branch has the privilege of making a happy Christmas for 84 children of the Sunday School. It is the only Christmas that many of them will have.

THE SEWING GUILD

Everyone likes to be of service especially if they can enjoy themselves at the same time. The Sewing Guild meets every Wednesday from 10.30 to 3.00. The members bring sandwiches and have lunch together. A great deal of valuable work is accomplished in a most cheerful social surrounding. Will anyone who cares to join telephone to Mrs. William Irvine Parry, Che. 4096.

PLANS FOR DECEMBER

Sunday, December 12th—After service the congregation is invited to stay and practice hymns 62, 74, 98, 545. The great improvement in hymn-singing at St. Paul's is due in large part to the opportunities for familiarity with the new hymnal gained on these occasions.

Sunday, December 19th—Quiet Communion at 11 o'clock without sermon or choral responses. Advent with its solemn note offers an excellent occasion for holding another such service. The congregation is invited to stay throughout the service.

Christmas Services will be announced by mail. It is interesting to know at this date, however, that St. Paul's has taken part with the other Chestnut

Hill churches in planning the Community Carol Sing on Christmas Eve in Pastorius Park.

"OXFORD" LENDS ITS NAME

The ancient university on the banks of the Isis has been successively the scene where three recent religious movements were either born or gained world-wide attention. In the interest of clear thinking, we ought to keep them separate. (1) "The Oxford Movement," sometimes known as the Tractarian Movement, originated among a group of college dons, Newman, Pusey, Keble, and others who by their appeal to history and their re-emphasis on the Holy Communion gave rise to the religious revival, now usually called the Anglo-Catholic revival, which because it began at Oxford has been called by its name. (2) "The Oxford Groups" is a title taken by an evangelistic movement first associated with the name of Frank Buchman. Though it started in this country, it received considerable support in the University city and now also bears its name. (3) "The Oxford Conference on Life and Work" describes the meeting of representatives from virtually every Church on earth (except that of Rome) which met last summer to discuss the Church's task in its relation to Community and the State. Its report is available and should be read by all who wish to clarify their thinking on this great subject.

IN BRIEF

A successful Rummage Sale was held November 3rd by the Woman's Friendly Society. \$263.04 was taken in and will be given to various charities at Christmas time. The Society wishes to thank those many members of the Parish whose help contributed so substantially to its success.

The Parish Canvass, as the Leaflet goes to print, reports already 418 pledges of which 27 are new, 13 have decreased, but 81 increased their subscriptions for 1938. This is a fine start. The Canvass Committee this year consists of A. U. Crosby, Chairman; Francis Rue, Chairman of Special Gifts Committee; also Mrs. H. A. Berwind, Jr., Mrs. John C. Bromley, Mr. James H. Healy, P. Blair Lee, Mrs. Shippen Lewis, Richard L. Sexton, George Dallas.

The Parish Meeting which took place on November 17th heard Dr. Aldrich's talk on "Worship" and derived great benefit from it. 154 people were entertained at supper. Over 200 attended the meeting. The Rector was asked to appoint a committee on worship to consider ways of making the services of the Church more helpful.

The annual National Assembly of Student Christian Associations which takes place Christmas week at Oxford, Ohio, and enrolls some 2000 delegates, has asked Miss Ruth Kennell, our Parish Secretary, to take charge of the afternoon group activities. The Parish is glad to excuse her from her duties to perform this important service.

CHINA EMERGENCY FUND

By resolution of General Convention, the Church will raise \$300,000 to replace the destruction of our numerous churches and institutions in the Shanghai area. Our Diocese has undertaken a tenth of this sum. This deeply moving cause will shortly be presented to our people.

THE BOOK COUNTER

Every Sunday Miss Julia Rowe arranges an exhibit of books from the Parish Library which may be loaned to

any member of the congregation. The Book Committee has also planned with some care a table that offers various pamphlets relating to such interesting matters as the Oxford Conference on Life and Work, the Forward Movement, "The Witness" (a weekly church paper), "World Christianity" (a digest), etc. A minute at the bookstall is time well spent.

To include in one's will a legacy of from \$5,000 to \$10,000 for this fund, many of our people would probably be glad to do if this thought came to them at the appropriate moment. It is the kind of forethought that will continue to build the Church in this place long after we are gone. The Accounting Warden will gladly supply information concerning this matter to those who are interested.

CONFIRMATION

A larger number of candidates have presented themselves this year than in any year previous for a long time. The younger group meets in two sections on Sunday morning; 9.30, Choir Section; 10.00, Church School boys and girls. This class will continue in session until May when the Bishop makes his annual visitation.

The Rector has the names of many older people who are considering Confirmation. He plans shortly to send them a list of books to be read during the winter and then to invite them for five or six class meetings before the Confirmation date. He will be glad to hear of others who wish to join this group.

PROVIDING FOR THE FUTURE

St. Paul's Parish numbers among its members many who eagerly hope that the work started here more than eighty years ago may continue to grow in grace and power. While we cannot foretell the future of our community, it is fair to guess that though the population may increase in numbers, it may be unable to support the Church's work as ably as is being done today. The Vestry wishes to anticipate the situation by building up gradually our Parish Endowment Fund which today amounts to only \$60,000.

DECEMBER KALENDAR

- 5 2nd Sunday in Advent
- 12 3rd Sunday in Advent
- 19 4th Sunday in Advent
- 21 St. Thomas
- 25 Christmas Day
- 26 St. Stephen—1st Sunday after Christmas
- 27 St. John Evangelist
- 28 Holy Innocents
- 31 New Year's Eve

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Anna Newbold Starr
Ethel Story Wright
Antoinette DeCoursey
John Barclay DeCoursey
Edward Day Harris, Jr.
Meredith Dickinson Morris
Elizabeth Thom Horrocks
Carol Ann Moore
Emily Jane Grove

Burials

Frederick Martyn Dunn

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Parish Offices, Che. 0359

"The Christian's Responsibility"

OPENING WORDS OF A NEW LEADER

The Presiding Bishop concluded his opening radio address of January 2nd with these weighty words: "The Church has not indeed been altogether unmindful of her mission, but to prosecute it successfully in the face of the complex problems and the tremendous difficulties of the present age, she must call upon her members for more enthusiastic support, more unity of action, more readiness for sacrifice, more faith that they can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth them."

That sentence is worth reading and rereading, for it reveals such a power of thinking that "both the ears of every one that heareth it shall tingle."

How fine it would be if every member of St. Paul's might study the whole address (in the New Year's edition of any Church paper). It would introduce us to a man of unusual intellect and experience whose moral quality will continue to command attention and whose personal consecration will incline us "to do something about it."

Organization Notes

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY had as their speaker on November 10th Sister Annie Horner, a United Thank Offering worker in South Dakota. She showed pictures of the Indian Reservation where she is stationed.

The meeting of THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY on Friday, January 7th, was in charge of Mrs. Franklin Pepper, Chairman of the Diocesan Committee. The Rev. Percy R. Stockman, of the Seamen's Church Institute, and Fr. Smith, Chaplain of the Eastern Penitentiary and Sleighton Farms School, spoke of the actual work of our Church in this Diocese and the great need of it.

The meeting of the Auxiliary on February 4th will be in charge of Mrs. Ralph Putnam, the Chairman of the Indian Committee.

Sunday, January 16th, the Annual Candle-light Service will be held in the Church at 6.30 P. M. Young People's Groups throughout the Diocese have been invited to attend this service which will be preceded by a talk, at 5.30 P. M., by Miss Alice Rex, on the Delta Cooperative Farm. Miss Rex will illustrate her talk with moving pictures. Following the service the Young People's Society of St. Paul's will serve tea and sandwiches to the other Young People of the Diocese.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

This is members' month in the Friendly and a friendly competition is on between dioceses and branches to see how many candidates and teen age girls can be added before the Festival

Admission Service on April 24th. Let us see what St. Paul's branch can do for itself and for the diocese of Pennsylvania.

CALENDAR

January 9th—Corporate Communion.
January 10th—Covered Dish Supper.
January 17th—Talk on Dress.
January 24th, 31st—Dressmaking Class.

THREE CONFIRMATION CLASSES

The clergy are at present conducting the Confirmation Class in three sections, one for choir boys, one for boys and girls of Church School age, one for more mature members. We have never had such a large class nor attempted to make the training so thorough. Our hope is that this plan will make more effective church members.

COMMITTEE ON WORSHIP

As a result of the Parish Meeting, a Committee on Worship has met to help with the planning of the Christmas services. Further meetings will be devoted to a study of the elements of Christian worship and to further plans for the better conduct of services at St. Paul's. The Rector will be glad to hear at any time from members of the congregation who have suggestions on this subject and will submit them to the committee for their consideration. The membership includes: P. Blair Lee, Mrs. James Masland, Mrs. Wm. Fleming, Miss Anna Randolph, E. Calvert Cheston, Randal Morgan, 3rd, Betty Kellner and Robert Lavelle.

THIS IS "STEPPING OUT"

When Miss Caroline Gillespie, leader of affairs at Rosboro House, North Carolina, was recently taken ill, Miss Eliza Disston, of this parish, who offered temporarily to take her place, was at once accepted for the job. She went South early in December, where she fitted in admirably as chauffeur, visitor among mountain families, and teacher of small children.

This is the kind of spirit that carries the Church's work along. St. Paul's has in the past sent volunteers to do missionary tasks in the summer, but the need is always there and the kind of help many of our people can give, will always be appreciated here in the Diocese, as well as in the remoter parts of the Church's field.

IT WOULD MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Those who are looking for ways to make their best contribution to the Sunday morning's service might consider coming early to compose their own spirits and thus to prepare the atmosphere. Boys who usher at weddings in St. Paul's are taught to look upon their activity as an important factor in determining the attitude of the congregation. The same principle applies to Sunday. Those who come first set the tone. It is picked up by those who come on time. It is injured by those who come late. The thought is worth pondering, since we are trying this year "to make religion more real."

OXFORD AND EDINBURGH

Two meetings are to be held in the First Methodist Church, Germantown, January 18th and 25th under expert leadership for ministers and a selected group of lay people from each of the churches of Germantown and Chestnut Hill. Though he has already designated the representatives from St. Paul's, the Rector will be glad to know the names of any who wish to attend these meetings with a view to making themselves familiar enough with the material to conduct discussions later on.

"PRAYERS, NEW AND OLD"

The Forward Movement Commission has made another valuable contribution to our personal prayer life in the booklet, "Prayers, New and Old," which includes a careful selection of intercessions and prayers for household and individual use. An index at the back of the book has made it especially valuable. It is on sale in the Church vestibule at 5c a copy.

CHRISTMAS, 1937

We had a grand Christmas at St. Paul's this year. The chancel never looked more beautiful. The pageant on Christmas Eve showed that the boys and girls who had parts in it thought much of their opportunity. More people stayed to the Midnight Communion Service than last year, and at the services on Christmas Day itself there was a true religious fervor. Everyone felt

it. The plan to hold service on Christmas morning at eleven o'clock met with general favor. Perhaps the most impressive note of all was struck on the following Sunday when we had splendid congregations whose thoughts and prayers were still gilded with the Christmas grandeur. It may have been a sense of special need pressing upon us at this time. Whatever it was, Christmas, 1937, will always be remembered at St. Paul's as one of special significance.

CHINA EMERGENCY FUND

As we look forward to sending help to our Shanghai Mission the Christmas message of the Rev. Robin Chen will remind us of the Christian power of that younger Church:

"In sending my affectionate greetings to my much esteemed and beloved friends in the West, I wish to ask your prayers for the aggressors as well as for the oppressed. May the Christmas of 1937 mark the beginning of a new Christian era when justice and truth will finally triumph, and when genuine peace and good-will may prevail throughout the world."

THE PARISH CANVASS

The committee in charge of the Canvass, while it is happy to report ninety new pledges and a number of increases, regrets that the losses through decreases and removals and death, make the minus amount greater than the plus. As the Leaflet goes to print, we are

\$3,796.27 behind where we were at this date last year. This sum can be made up if those who have not yet pledged give as much as they pledged in 1937. If we are to reach the same sum total, however, we shall still have to secure a number of new increases and new pledges. It is of the utmost importance that we have the full cooperation of the whole Parish in this last lap of this vital undertaking.

JANUARY KALENDAR

- 1 Circumcision
 - 2 2nd Sunday after Christmas
 - 6 Epiphany
 - 9 1st Sunday after Epiphany
 - 16 2nd Sunday after Epiphany
 - 23 3rd Sunday after Epiphany
 - 25 St. Paul
 - 30 4th Sunday after Epiphany
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PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Ann Pierce
Alfred William Nelson Bailie
Jean Ellis Daniels
Mary Beverly Knight
Clarence Raymond Hutchinson

Burials

Anna P. Ayres
Emma M. Buchenhorst

Marriages

Walter Henlings Lippincott, Jr., and
Helen Blumer Howe.

Morris Wistar Stroud, III, and Mar-
ion Sims Rosengarten.

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No. 2

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Christians and War

RECENT ACTION OF JAPANESE CHURCH

What would YOU do if your country became involved in a war? The Oxford Conference on "Life and Work" names three possible positions: (1) "War is always a sin, therefore I will refuse to take part in it. (2) "I will participate in a 'just' war." (3) "It is the Christian's normal duty to obey the civil authority and to take up arms for his country." It did not attempt to reconcile these positions. It regretted its inability to define a single clear duty and laid on each man's conscience the choice that he should make.

What would YOU have the Church do? At the outbreak of the war in China, the Japanese government asked the Christian Churches to declare their position. The National Christian Council replied (in effect) that it would, (1) redouble its efforts to bring about a spiritual awakening in the land, (2) undertake projects to comfort the troops, (3) desire that the crisis be speedily solved, (4) and that the incident might establish good relations for all time.

What do you think of this position? It contrasted favorably with the position of other cultural bodies. It marks a wholesome change from the attitude of Christians in other wars. But what would you do? And what should the Church do if they put us "on the spot"?

Organization Notes

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Friday, March 4th, 10.30 A. M.—Colored Committee in charge. Mrs. George Dallas, Chairman. Speaker to be announced.

The opportunity to have the Rev. Alexander C. Zabriskie, S.T.D., lead the Lenten Bible Study has made it necessary to change the dates from the usual Friday mornings during Lent to March 9th and 24th, and April 4th—3.30 in the afternoon, in the Parish House. Tea will be served. Members of other churches will join us. Remember the dates!

Wednesday, March 16th—11.00 A. M. to 3.00 P. M. The Domestic Committee, Mrs. Fraley, Chairman, will be in charge of the Luncheon meeting. Mrs. Thomas L. Harris will lead the discussion on "Rural America." This will be held at Mrs. Livingston Jones' house. Luncheon at one o'clock. All the women of the Church are included in the Auxiliary and they are most cordially invited. Please telephone your acceptances to Che. 1525.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

February Program

- 7—Covered Dish Supper
- 12—Valentine Dance, 9-12 P. M.
- 14—Dressmaking Class.
- 21—Dressmaking Class.
- 28—Dressmaking Class.

The third Monday of the month the meeting starts in the Church with a meditation led by the Rector.

February is Members' Month in the Girls' Friendly Society and every diocese is trying to be first in the number of 'teen age girls or candidates that are added to the Society. The February Record has many suggestions for those who are studying "Rural America," whether in the Woman's Auxiliary, Young People's Society, or G. F. S. There are names of books to read, possible programs, and accounts of experiments already tried.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Society, with the assistance of several musical members of the Parish, entertained the patients of the Home for Consumptives in Chestnut Hill Wednesday night, January 26th. Refreshments were served after the performance.

Sister Horner, missionary worker in South Dakota, writes that the Christmas box full of useful articles made by the Society has been received and greatly appreciated.

THE WOMAN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Woman's Bible Class continues to meet every Sunday in the Chapel at ten o'clock, with Corporate Communion at eight A. M. every second Sunday. For Christmas the group filled two stockings for the Consumptive Home, filled three baskets with food for families through St. Agnes' House, and conducted a Toy Shower.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

The Student Council, together with the Executive Committee, are formulating plans for the Lenten activities of the Church School. Further announcement will be given at a later date.

THE SEWING GUILD

The Sewing Guild entertained the Women's Guilds of the Presbyterian Church in Chestnut Hill at luncheon on Wednesday, January 26th. Seventy women attended. Articles made by St. Paul's Guild were on exhibition.

OLDER CONFIRMATION CLASS PRESENTED

Bishop Taitt very kindly made a special visit to the Parish on Friday, February 4th, at 5.30 P. M., to confirm an older group who have been carefully trained during the past month and whose presentation to the Bishop ought not to have been delayed any longer. The family and friends of the class only were present. The names are as follows:

Lucille T. Caldwell, Henry Kurtz Canby, Leila Kurtz Canby, Elois F. Casner, Myron D. Casner, Hannah Dinnage, John Denton Davis, Carolyn Louise Evans, Mrs. Owen Brooke Evans, Alice Cresson Haines, J. Victor Herd, Ross Higgins, J. F. Quereau, Mary Wolcott Quereau, Frank Alwin Roth, Helen S. Shull.

It is a real joy to welcome these men and women into our fellowship.

SCHOOL OF RELIGION

We have a new and most interesting plan for Lent. There is going to be a School of Religion held by the Presbyterian Church and ourselves for six Wednesday evenings beginning March 2nd, Ash Wednesday, at 8.15. The meetings will be held in the Presbyterian Church, Rex Street and Germantown Avenue. Courses will be led by the Rector, the Rev. A. Meredith MacColl, the Rev. Frederick Nolde, and possibly a fourth not yet selected. On the opening evening we shall have an address by

Dean Wicks, of Princeton. The final evening will be brought to a close by an address from Dr. Alexander MacColl. Tickets for the whole course will be sold for \$1.00. The printed program will soon be available.

This is not only an adventure in Christian unity, but an opportunity to get first-rate instruction. While the school especially planned for the members of the two churches, all who wish to enroll will be made welcome.

ACCOUNTING WARDEN'S REPORT

On a separate page in this issue we have printed in summary form our financial statement for 1937. It is in many ways encouraging. We gave \$20,000 to the work of the Church outside the Parish and came near to closing the year without a deficit. We can still do so—morally speaking—if "accounts receivable" from pledges for last year are paid in full and if any would like to contribute especially for this purpose. Three very helpful gifts have already come in unsolicited.

FINANCIAL PLANS AND PROSPECTS FOR 1938

We have some very encouraging features to record—96 new pledges—136 increased pledges—and 863 in all. The Parish has made a fine effort. When we hear from the 124 people who gave last year, but who have not yet renewed, the total sum pledged should be nearly the same as in 1937 in spite of the hard times. We hope that these folk will send in their cards this month. We need their interest and their offerings.

Due to the smaller amount so far promised, however, it has been necessary for the Vestry to give up further thought of a extra clergyman on the staff and to reduce the pledge to the Diocese and General Church to \$16,000. We have hated to reduce our giving. It is the smallest sum promised in over a decade. We may be able to do better, if the April Appeal is unusually successful, but present circumstances have made the decision inevitable. The thought to glory in is the large number of supporters. The point still to aim at is a pledge from every single member of the parish.

AN APPEALING OPPORTUNITY

"To anyone interested in the Home for Consumptives, the City Mission makes an appeal to provide special Sunday dinners for the patients at a cost of \$30.00 to \$45.00 per Sunday, depending on the type of meal. On its limited budget, the Home can serve only the simplest meals. These special Sunday dinners, to which the patients eagerly look forward, have been given for each Sunday until March 12th. The Home hopes that its friends will make it possible to continue them. Contributions may be sent to Mrs. E. M. Finletter, East Evergreen Avenue, of the Social Service Committee of the Woman's Auxiliary.

NEEDS OF THE CHURCH IN CHINA

Bombs, gunfire, and all the terrors of war continue to destroy our mission property in the Yangtze Valley and ever increase the demands upon our doctors and clergy who have remained there. St. Paul's people are soon to have a chance to contribute to the \$300,000 fund authorized by General Convention

that will help to bridge that chasm of awful need. When the appeal comes, let us have something put by to meet it with enthusiasm and vigor.

FEBRUARY KALENDAR

- 2—Purification B. V. M.
- 6—5th Sunday after Epiphany
- 13—Septuagesima
- 20—Sexagesima
- 24—St. Matthias
- 27—Quinquagesima

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Mary Louise Foltz
Joseph Kirkpatrick Bole, III
Elois Ruth Casner
John Denton Davis

Burials

Adam Deist
Rachel Sharpless Brinton

Marriage

William Pepper Watts and Janet Bromley

Confirmations

Lucille T. Caldwell
Henry Kurtz Canby
Leila Kurtz Canby
Elois F. Casner
Myron D. Casner
Hannah Dinnage
John Denton Davis
Carolyn Louise Evans
Mrs. Owen Brooke Evans
Alice Cresson Haines
J. Victor Herd
Ross Higgins
J. F. Quereau
Mary Wolcott Quereau
Frank Alwin Roth
Helen S. Shull

REPORT OF ACCOUNTING WARDEN

1937

INCOME

Pledges and Loose Offering for Budget.....	\$30,609.31
Pledges and Loose Offering for Missions.....	16,462.56
Special Contributions for Missions.....	1,013.21
*Transferred from 1938 Funds.....	772.30
April Appeal	5,003.67
Endowment Income	2,986.07
To Pay Off New Church Loan.....	1,305.80
Rector's Discretionary Fund.....	690.88
Loose Offerings Not Designated.....	2,842.28
Birckhead Fund	120.00
All Other Sources.....	2,481.97

\$64,288.05

*In order to pay all 1937 bills, and meet our pledge to the Diocese, it was necessary to borrow \$772.30 from 1938 contributions.

DISBURSEMENTS

Clergy Salaries and Pension Premiums.....	\$11,294.15
Church School Director and Supplies.....	3,371.27
Choir, Salaries, New Music, etc.....	6,430.20
Parish Office	3,124.28
Care of Property, Sextons, Cleaning, etc.....	3,426.71
Operating Expense, Light and Heat, Repairs.....	2,964.22
Payment Account New Church Loan.....	1,305.80
Interest on New Church Loan.....	2,839.92
Payment Account Roberts Property Loan.....	2,986.07
Interest on Roberts Property Loan.....	483.14
Taxes	713.37
Repairs	1,619.39
Accounting Warden, Expenses.....	771.00
Altar Guild	570.00
Insurance	982.90
Missions, Quota	18,298.07
Episcopal, Convention and Sustentation Funds.....	1,680.01
Rector's Discretionary Fund.....	690.88
All Other Purposes.....	736.67

\$64,288.05

and find ways by which through religion we may help to solve them.

DETAILS OF MISSIONS ACCOUNT

Quota	\$17,421.86
Church School Lenten Offering.....	417.69
Thanksgiving Offering	415.97
Advent Offering, Bishop's Bricks.....	57.55
Church Extension Fund.....	547.50
Women's Auxiliary	
Colored Committee	218.50
Diocesan Committee	210.00
Domestic Committee	325.27
Foreign Committee	308.66
Indians' Hope	177.00
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	\$20,100.00

Of this amount \$1,801.93 was sent direct, not through the Accounting Warden.

MISSION PAYMENTS NOT COUNTING ON ST. PAUL'S PLEDGE FOR 1937

Women's Auxiliary	
Colored Committee	\$ 10.00
Diocesan Committee	10.00
Domestic Committee	200.00
Birthday Thank Offering.....	2.11
Diocesan Contributors' Fund (from Individuals).....	2,924.10
For China	100.00
G. F. S.....	26.60
Community Fund	690.00
City Mission	25.00
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	\$3,987.81

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SERVICES

Sundays—Holy Communion.....	8 A. M.	Evening Prayer	5.30 P. M.
1st, 3rd—Holy Communion.....	11 A. M.	Thursdays—Holy Communion,	
2nd, 4th—Morning Prayer, Sermon,		7.30 and 10 A. M.	
	11 A. M.	Saints' Days—Holy Communion..	7.30 A. M.
Church School.....	9.30 A. M.		

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Finding Christian Answers in a World of Problems

Last month we considered some questions about the Christian's attitude toward War. Many other such questions are today knocking at our door demanding answers. Because these questions are pretty grave and have no simple answer many Christians feel so frustrated and incompetent to deal with them that they are tempted to ignore them altogether. This is not worthy of the Master we serve.

Here are three proposals that may support our morale in a problem-torn world: (1) SIMPLIFY. Decide which are the problems that we have both the interest and ability to tackle. (2) STUDY. By reading the best books and articles on the subject and trying to think out our own position, realize that this will enable us to "do something about it". (3) SANCTIFY ourselves, by joining with others in the Church's worship and by surrendering our whole lives to God, with His wisdom only shall we be sufficient for these things.

Lent is a good time to devote ourselves to such practical measures. In the sermons to be preached at St. Paul's during Lent and in the class on "The Church in Action" in the School of Religion, I shall therefore try with those present not so much to express MORE problems as to show ways in which we can consider a few of the more outstanding ones and find ways by which through religion we may help to solve them.

Organization Notes

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY LENTEN PROGRAM

A Bible Study Course led by Rev. Alex. Zabriskie, S.T.D. — in the Parish House Wednesday, March 9, 3:30 P. M., Thursday, March 24, 3:30 P. M., Monday, April 4, 3:30 P. M.

Tea will be served following the class.

Dr. Zabriskie comes all the way from Alexandria, Va., for these three Lenten talks with us. He is an excellent teacher. The course promises to be very helpful.

The Annual Mission Study Meeting and Luncheon for all the women of the Parish will be held Wednesday, March 16th, from 11:00 to 3:00, at the home of Mrs. Livingston Jones, Crefeldt and Sunset Streets. Mrs. Thomas L. Harris will lead the meeting. The subject is "Rural America." Source books on the subject are: "Forward Into Rural America" by Margaret W. Teague, "Highland Heritage" and "Rural American Challenges Christian Youth" by Edwin White, "Rebuilding Rural America" by Mark Dawber. All are cordially invited. Please telephone your acceptance to Che. 1525.

THE SEWING GUILD

The Sewing Guild which meets regularly on Wednesdays from 10:30 to 3:00 in the Parish House, will join the Mission Study Meeting on March 16th, at Mrs. Jones' house. During Lent we shall have a short service of prayer at 12:30 P. M., in the church, at the end of our morning work. During the next six weeks the Guild will prepare articles for the Grenfell Mission in Labrador.

CHURCH SCHOOL

On each Tuesday during Lent (with the exception of Tuesday in Holy Week) the program of activities for the Church School, the G.F.S. Candidates, as well as for boys and girls not enrolled in the Church School is as follows:

For Children 4-8 Years

3:30-4:00 Cocoa and get-together

4:00-4:30 Theme: World Peace
(Various activities)
4:30-4:50 Service of Worship
4:50-5:30 Play period for children who wait for older brothers and sisters

For Boys and Girls 9-12 Years

3:30-4:00 Cocoa and get-together
4:00-4:10 Song Period
4:10-5:00 Interest Groups:
Dramatic Group, Work Shop, Learning More About Our Hymns and How to Sing Them, World Friendship Project, Making Things for Our Friends at St. Mary's - on - the - Mt., Sewanee, Tenn.

5:00-5:30 Service of Worship

The Woman's Friendly Society will meet on Thursday evenings during Lent to allow its members to join in the School of Religion.

THE SERVERS' GUILD

The Servers' Guild will hold a Corporate Communion at eight A. M., Sunday, March 6th, and will meet with the Curate on the other Sundays during Lent at eight P. M. to discuss "Growth in the Christian Life."

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Save Your Rummage for the Rummage Sale.

March 2nd—Covered Dish Supper—Woman's Auxiliary Officers and Chairmen of Committees guests of honor.

Mrs. J. McArthur Harris will talk on Current Events dealing particularly with the Rural Situation.

March 14th—Service in Church Study—Folk Songs

March 21st and 28th—Service in Church Study—Folk Dances directed by Miss Kennell

In Lent the G.F.S. will join in the study of Rural America, the Mission topic for our Church and all other denominations this year. If "study" has a forbidding sound perhaps it would be

well to mention that folk songs, folk dances, and dramatics enter into the program.

In line with the resolution passed by the Woman's Auxiliary at General Convention that a study should be made of how the Auxiliary and the Girls' Friendly might better cooperate, the Girls' Friendly has invited the officers and Committee Chairmen of the Woman's Auxiliary to supper on March 7th, when each will tell the other what is being done in their respective organizations.

Except for the first Monday in each month the G.F.S. meetings during Lent will begin with a short service in the Church led by Mr. Metters.

OUR LENTEN PROGRAM

We have tried to think of all kinds of people in setting up our Lenten Program. Children, older people with some leisure time, and those with regular daily tasks, will all find some weekday service which they may attend. The School of Religion at 8:15 on Wednesday evenings at the Presbyterian Church at Rex Avenue is open to all. The Sunday services beckon to everyone. The Book list represents a carefully selected array of writings in the fields of Devotion, Belief, and Action.

The program card has been mailed to everyone in the Parish. Extra copies may be found in the Church. Suggested on the cover is a personal rule for keeping Lent. It may not suit everybody, but the idea of a rule will appeal to all who wish to grow during Lent in the spiritual life.

A Forward Day by Day Bible Reading pamphlet for Lent is being mailed with this copy of the LEAFLET. It suggests a fine way of building the Bible into our daily prayers. This issue is an especially appealing one. Copies may be secured at the Church on Sunday or from the Parish House.

WORD FROM MR. WARREN

By this time our good friend and recent Curate, Mr. Warren, has become well

established in Christ Church, Macon, Georgia. He writes: "Things are moving along here fairly well and we are beginning to have some response to our problems, and I think things are looking up. Last night I put on a Panel Discussion of which I was the chairman, on the subject 'What should be the Relationship of the Church to the Social Agencies in the Community?' We had a grand crowd and a great deal of participation from the floor. The Discussion was arranged for by the Social Service Committee who sat themselves down and thought up the questions they wanted the Panel to discuss. We had seven on the Panel, besides me. One Methodist lawyer, one Jewish lawyer, one Christian Science banker, two case workers, a socially-conscious lay woman, and a head of a Church Home. It was so successful that we plan to do something more in that direction, and I believe it will all bear fruit."

We also hear that Mr. Warren has opened a new mission station among the negro people of Macon. He feels that our Church must rapidly assume responsibility for this much neglected area of our Christian work.

SKETCHES OF NAVE WINDOWS

Hanging on either side of the Common Room in the Parish House may be found colored sketches of windows designed by D'Ascenzo with the cooperation of the Rector. They are in the style of the two nave windows already in place. Those on the west side represent scenes from the life of Our Lord. Those on the east side, the Te Deum. The designs are beautiful and ingenious and give a fair impression of the added glory that the Church will have when all are in place. The Rector will be glad to talk with any one interested in giving a memorial window, though he and the Vestry are even more keen that the debt on the Church now standing at \$50,000 shall be further reduced before new additions are made to the fabric. The debt is our first concern.

ANOTHER QUIET COMMUNION

On Sunday, March 20th, we shall hold another quiet service of Holy Communion at the regular eleven o'clock hour. While we do not wish to make this our regular monthly habit, it has proved to many people so helpful that we have decided to have it a second time this winter, as we did last year. There will be hymns at the beginning and end but no other music and no sermon on that day. Members of the congregation are asked to prepare themselves by bringing a special "intention" or thought with which they wish to approach God at that time.

EASTER OFFERING FOR THE CHINA EMERGENCY FUND

The conflict in the Orient has seriously damaged the work of our Church in the Shanghai, Anking, and Hankow Dioceses. While members of our mission staff have loyally and heroically carried on, the support of the work which came largely from local sources has disappeared.

General Convention when it met in October, authorized the raising of \$300,000 to maintain the work of hospitals and schools, to alleviate the sufferings of our Chinese churchmen, who have lost everything, and to insure strong backing to the missionaries themselves. On March 1st, \$127,000 had been raised. The Vestry has voted to devote our Easter Offering to this cause. Some money from the parish has already come in for this purpose. Here is a first-rate way of helping at a critical point in human need by pitching in with all our force where our own responsibility happens to be clear also.

"WORLD CHRISTIANITY"

The first quarterly of this Digest for 1938, contains twelve brief articles on the Sino-Japanese conflict including "A Statement of Faith for Christians in Time of War." It contains also authoritative pieces on "What Hope for a

United Protestantism?", "Soviet Russia in Transition", one by Pastor Nie-moeller, and one by the great prophet of India, Bishop Azariah.

"World Christianity" with its articles, helpful book reviews, and attractive format continues to command increasing attention. One can subscribe to its four quarterly issues for 1938, by writing to "The Movement for World Christianity" at 140 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, and enclosing \$1.00.

EVENING PRAYER

Beginning at 5:30 Sunday, March 13th, and on subsequent Sunday evenings during Lent, there will be a brief organ recital preceding the service at which the Curate will give a series of talks on "An Interpretation of the Creed."

MARCH KALENDAR

- 2—Ash Wednesday
 - 6—First Sunday in Lent
 - 13—Second Sunday in Lent
 - 20—Third Sunday in Lent
 - 25—Annunciation B.V.M.
 - 27—Fourth Sunday in Lent
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PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Elizabeth Greer Hagar
Ross Higgins

Burials

Mary Painter Duhring
Rosalie A. Harkins
Mrs. Adam Deist

Marriages

Marie Louise McIlhenny and Bayard Roberts.
Jane Earle and Britton Chance.

PERSONAL NOTICES

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What Is In Your Mind?

"I don't believe in Foreign Missions." What is in this man's mind? He believes (1) that the foreign missionary is a rather poorly trained person who goes out to the Far East at great expense to the Church to persuade poor but devoted members of other faiths in exchange for rice and medical care to forsake a religion which suits them very well for a western religion called "Christianity"; (2) that this may save their souls but improves life for them in this world very little; (3) that our own country is not Christian yet and can well absorb all of the Church's missionary energy.

"I believe that Foreign Missions are the Church's greatest service to the world today." What is in this man's mind? He believes (1) that Christ is not *a* way but The Way to God; (2) that the Christian Gospel is not our discovery but God's gift to us and that its resources are such that the more of it we give away, the more we have; (3) that this Gospel alone has the key to life's meaning and enables men to face every assault of trouble with gallantry, hope, and confidence; (4) that evils like disease, the exploitation of the weak, and the will to war are world-wide, and to seek to combat them on one sector is to court disaster; (5) that in a world whose relationships are dissolving Christianity provides the only basis for brotherhood and the only moral standard upon which agreements can be made; (6) finally, that missionary achievements in the last one hundred years constitute the greatest benevolent action by the largest number of people over the widest geographical area that the world has ever seen.

Organization Notes

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

On Monday, April 4th, at 3:30 P. M., in the Parish House, Dr. Zabriskie will give his third and last talk in the Bible Study series. Tea will be served after the class.

In order to increase their funds to carry on the extended activities of the coming year, the Woman's Auxiliary will give a card party in the barn, on the attractive estate of Mrs. William Clarke Mason, April 27th, at 2:30 P. M. This will take the place of the Garden Day which the Auxiliary has given for the last two years. Tickets at \$1.00 for bridge and tea may be secured at the Parish Office. Those who do not play cards will be welcome for tea—admission 50c.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Rummage Sale will be held sometime during the last week of April. Will those kind enough to donate rummage, leave it at the Parish House or leave word there to have it called for? Part of the proceeds will be used to paint the dining-room at the Holiday House, Cape May, N. J.

PROGRAM

April 4th—Covered dish supper. Members of St. Andrew's branch, Yardley, will be our guests. Country dancing.

April 11th—Admission Service. Probationers to be admitted: Jomay Liberg, Martha Moffett, Edith Newman, Jean Robinson, Phyllis Sykes, Winnie Ward, Gladys Williams.

April 18th—No meeting.

April 25th—Business Meeting.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Between 70 and 110 boys and girls have been meeting each Tuesday afternoon during Lent to think and to work and to worship about the work of the

Church. They meet in various interest groups, closing the afternoon activities with a service of worship.

The Primary group is learning about world peace. They are making a map of the United States, putting in the International Peace Bridge, the Peace Garden, the Peace Park, and the Peace Gate which stand as monuments to the 150 years of peace between Canada and the United States. The Work Shop, composed of boys, has been helping the Church School by fixing the easels for the second grade, and by making an electric question and answer board to be used in some of the classes. Grade 6-B-2, in an effort to enlarge the missionary offering, is selling match boxes. These they have covered most attractively with varied colored paper. Another group interested in dramatics has been discussing the subject of missions and where our Lenten Offering goes. They are writing a one act play about the Lenten Offering. The Girls' Choir constituting itself another group has been practising hymns and responsive reading. A number of girls are making scrap books, towels and other articles for the Girls' School at St. Mary's-on-the-Mountain, Sewanee, Tennessee.

The boys and girls in the World Friendship Group have visited Beth Eden House every other week. On alternate weeks the boys and girls from Beth Eden have come to St. Paul's. Through the discussions and fellowship there has developed an understanding and appreciation of boys and girls of other nationalities and races.

Church School Services during Holy Week:

Maundy Thursday—Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M.

Day of Intercession.

Good Friday—9:30 A. M. The Lenten Offering will be presented at this service.

Easter—9:30 A. M.

There will be a special Holy Week Booklet for members of the Church School which will contain prayers, litanies, and scripture. It is being prepared and illustrated by Grade 6-G-1.

HOLY WEEK

The following list of services is designed to meet the needs of all members of the congregation. Certain slight changes have been made since last year. A postcard will go to every one with final dates next week. Our present plan is as follows:

PALM SUNDAY—April 10th

Regular services at 8:00, 9:30, 11:00, 2:15, 5:30.

MONDAY—April 11th

7:30 A. M. Holy Communion.

5:30 P. M. Evening Prayer.

TUESDAY—April 12th

7:30 A. M. Holy Communion.

5:30 P. M. Evening Prayer.

WEDNESDAY—April 13th

7:30 A. M. Holy Communion.

5:30 P. M. Evening Prayer.

8:15 P. M. Hymns, Prayers, Holy Week Anthems, and Organ Recital by Mr. Casner.

MAUNDY THURSDAY—

April 14th

7:30 A. M. Holy Communion.

10:00 A. M. Holy Communion with Choir.

5:30 P. M. Evening Prayer.

8:15 P. M. Holy Communion—Memorial of the Lord's Supper.

GOOD FRIDAY—April 15th

9:30 A. M. Church School Service.

12:00-3:00 P. M. Passion Service—Rev. L. Bradford Young.

EASTER EVEN—April 16th

7:30 A. M. Holy Communion.

5:30 P. M. Evening Prayer.

EASTER DAY—April 17th

7:00-8:00 A. M. Holy Communion.

9:30 A. M. Morning Prayer, Carol Service and Procession.

11:00 A. M. Te Deum, Holy Communion, and Sermon.

EASTER OFFERING FOR CHINA EMERGENCY FUND

The people of our Church in a western state were asked by their Bishop to go without dinner on Ash Wednesday and to give the money thus saved to the diocese, so that two special pieces of social service work might be set forward. On Easter Sunday, we, at St. Paul's, will have an opportunity to show toward a greater need how much we will do without in order to give an adequate answer to the cries from our brethren in China. General Convention has asked for \$300,000.

- (1) to provide shelter and food for our fellow Christians.
- (2) to help care for thousands of wounded and sick in our hospitals.
- (3) to keep our schools and colleges open.
- (4) to support our Chinese clergy whose congregations have lost everything.
- (5) to insure the health and safety of our missionaries.

Toward General Convention's goal, \$152,000 has already come in. What will be our share of the balance?

THE SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Few enterprises have so stirred the religious interest of Chestnut Hill as the School of Religion that we are carrying on with the Presbyterian Church this Lent. The lecture course on "Religion and Medicine" is the largest group but all classes have been well attended. The actual enrollment is 185. A number of others have attended at various times as visitors. Here is a new experiment in the Religious Education of adults. Perhaps its success will encourage us to carry forward a wider program for those above school age. The philosopher said, "Live and Learn", but Christians know that a greater compulsion lies upon all who follow the Master. Many of them are beginning to say with new emphasis today, "Learn to Live."

GOOD FRIDAY

The three hour service of the Passion will be conducted by the Rev. L. Bradford Young of Holy Trinity Church, Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. Young disappointed us last year by having to take the service in his own parish at the last moment. He has promised not to fail us this time.

APRIL APPEAL

The Vestry will make its regular post-Easter appeal to the parish for the completion of our current 1938 budget. The sum we are aiming at is \$8,000. It will come as it has in the past from a number of those who wish to supplement their December pledge and certain new givers. We are most anxious to secure renewals also from 74 people who, having pledged in 1937, did not see their way clear to doing so again for 1938. The April Appeal will come with special force this year as a result of the cut the Vestry was forced to make in our pledge to the Diocese and General Church. We must certainly carry through our present obligations for 1938. If we raise the full sum named we may be able to replace part of the \$4,000 missionary reduction. In his first year on the National Council, the Rector is most anxious for his own parish to stand by the work of the whole Church to the top of its ability.

FOR MORE CHRISTIAN FUNERALS

Changing times has changed the burial customs of our people but not always in the direction of a more Christian usage. In response to frequent requests for help in this matter, the Rector makes the following proposals for the consideration of the Parish: (1) That funerals should be held normally in Church as being more reverent than it is possible to make them in a house. We are always ready to provide a place for a body to "lie in state" while awaiting burial. (2) That the clergy be informed as soon as possible when death takes place. This may help the family in making arrangements with the undertaker and in framing newspaper notices

in the best possible form. (3) The casket should be closed before the service begins and remain closed thereafter. (4) Flowers are only one way of expressing sympathy for those in sorrow. Their value is fleeting and usually of less help than even a brief note. What a progressive step it would be if someone should add to "Kindly omit flowers." "In accordance with the wishes of the deceased, they will be neither welcomed nor displayed. He has requested that those who wish to show their respect and affection for him, make a contribution to _____." (5) Cremation has several features to commend it and is increasingly popular. It may take place before or after the funeral service. (6) Expense. It is no kindness to the deceased to spend more money than is consonant with simplicity and dignity. An adequate funeral need cost no more than \$125. (7) Why should we not at St. Paul's collectively take a stand for Christian burial which is quiet, simple, and without ostentation in our purpose to commend the body (without undue emphasis upon the corpse) to the dust from which it sprang and the soul to God Who made it?

APRIL KALENDAR

- 3—Fifth (Passion) Sunday in Lent
- 10—Sixth (Palm) Sunday in Lent
- 11—Monday before Easter
- 12—Tuesday before Easter
- 13—Wednesday before Easter
- 14—Maundy Thursday
- 15—Good Friday
- 16—Easter Even
- 17—Easter Day
- 18—Easter Monday
- 19—Easter Tuesday
- 24—First Sunday after Easter
- 25—S. Mark

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

David Johnston Wallis

Burials

Jacob Steelman Disston

Frederick Sandell, Sr.

Joseph Allison Janney, Jr.

James Edgar Blair, Jr.

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"A New Kind of Life Altogether"

Nearly everyone felt that there was something unusual about Easter at St. Paul's this year. Certainly we had a fitting climax to a particularly good Lent. A lot of new people came to Church on Sundays. The School of Religion was notable both for its spirit and the number of its members. Judging by reports from other dioceses this warm turn to the Church has been notable elsewhere also.

Without drawing too sudden conclusions from a single event, we may nevertheless ask if men generally are beginning to ask anew if the Christian Church, now set at naught in other parts of the world, really has the answer to life after all. Perhaps they are. But if it be so, that answer will not be learned in a hurry. For one thing, it is going to take "changing times" a few years to determine the direction in which their currents will flow. For another, time will be required for those little used to watching and waiting upon God to hear His word and to do His bidding.

It has been traditionally hard for Americans to depend on God. We have been so successful depending on ourselves. Now, in the face of puzzling conditions, when self-confidence has faded like a morning mist, are we beginning to ask if God knows the way out? That may be a very hopeful symptom, provided we don't expect too much too soon. For the Christian life is one of slow growth. It involves daily and weekly attention to the disciplines of reverent listening and waiting. It requires more than taking up again the neglected habit of church-going. It means launching forth upon a new kind of life altogether.

Organization Notes

CHURCH SCHOOL

Dr. Adelaide T. Case, Professor of Religious Education, Teachers' College, Columbia University, will address a group of parents and teachers, on Tuesday evening, May 17th, at 8:15, in the Parish House. Her subject will be **RELIGION IN VACATION TIME**.

Commencement Sunday for the Church School will be June 5th. There will be a class session following the 9:30 service on that day.

Robert Lavell of Young People's II, was elected Vice-President of the Germantown Young People's Convocation at its meeting last Sunday evening.

Those members of the Church School to be confirmed will be presented for confirmation on Sunday, May 22nd, at the 9:30 service. The Church School will participate in this service.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

PROGRAM FOR MAY

- May 9th—Coronation and other pictures shown by Mrs. Berwind.
May 12th—Annual Service at St. Stephen's, 8:00 P. M.
May 16th—Election of Officers.
May 23rd—Entertainment for the Mothers.
May 30th—No meeting.

Those who want to plan for their vacation at Holiday House should do so at once as it opens June 25th. Rates: \$7.00 a week for candidates, \$10.00 a week for regular members.

Instead of the Garden Party this year, there will be a cake and candy sale, Saturday, May 21st, for the annual outing of the children at the Chapel of the Transfiguration. At the annual service at St. Stephen's Church, May 12th, the offering will be given for the work at Splashdam and Dante in the Southern Highlands.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CARD PARTY

An unusually successful party was held through the kindness of Mrs.

William Clarke Mason, at her studio and barn, on April 27th. The members of the various committees did an admirable piece of work in organization. Everybody enjoyed it and \$530.00 was raised with which to extend the activities of the Auxiliary during the coming year.

The Young People's Diocesan Convention will be held Saturday, May 21st, at the Christian Association Building, 36th and Locust Streets.

FUNERAL COSTS

As a result of the article in last month's Leaflet, we have been asked to express in detail the funeral equipment and services which can be purchased for \$125.00. They are as follows: Black Cloth covered Casket, silk lining; handles, and name plate engraved; Pine Case, delivered to cemetery; Preparation of Body; Opening grave, where the price does not exceed \$25.00. (Any charge over this amount to be additional.); Removal to Church; or to home from Hospital; Hearse and one limousine to nearby cemetery, where the minimum rate would apply. (To cemeteries outside of the district, whatever the extra charge would be.)

NEW CUTS PILED UPON OLD

When we were told at the recent meeting of National Council that the cuts for 1938 would be little felt in the Mission Field, someone asked why we should feel badly. Dr. Franklin, the Treasurer, promptly replied that all missionary salaries were still being paid at a ten per cent reduction and that necessary repairs to Church property in all fields are being left undone. He said that if anybody wished to give a helpful lift where it was much needed, they could help to restore a salary or subscribe money to buy paint. I couldn't help thinking what a lot of joy \$100.00 worth of paint would bring to many of our workers and how glad some of the members of St. Paul's might be to know about this.

M. E. P.

May Program of Events

TUESDAY, MAY 17th—8:15 P. M.—PARENT-TEACHERS' MEETING.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18th—8:15 P. M.—ORGAN RECITAL. DR. HAROLD DARKE.

THURSDAY, MAY 19th—8:00 P. M.—COMMUNITY MEETING. REV. HENRY P. VAN DUSEN, D.D.

FRIDAY, MAY 20th—9:00 to 1:00—YOUNG PEOPLE'S DANCE.

SUNDAY, MAY 22nd—9:30 A. M.—CONFIRMATION BY BISHOP TAITT.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25th—8:00 P. M.—CHESTNUT HILL HOSPITAL NURSES' GRADUATION.

SUNDAY, MAY 29th—11:00 A. M.—REV. MATTHEW M. WARREN WILL PREACH.

TUESDAY, MAY 31st—8:00 P. M.—CHOIR CONCERT.

THE PARENT-TEACHERS' MEETING for the Church School will be held Tuesday evening, May 17th, at 8:15 P. M., in the Parish House. Dr. Adelaide T. Case, Professor of Religious Education at Teachers' College, Columbia University, will talk on "Religion in Vacation Time."

DR. HAROLD D. DARKE, English Organist and Composer, will give a recital in the Church, on May 18th, at 8:15 P. M., of works by Bach, Arne, Mozart, Pierne, and Elgar, and his own "Fantasy." Dr. Darke is organist and choirmaster at St. Michael's, Cornhill, London, the 14th Century city church, famous for its music since the days of William Boyce, one-time organist. He is also conductor of St. Michael's Singers, whose annual performance of the B Minor Mass is one of the principal events of London's Armistice Day observance. He is known in this country chiefly as composer of several large choral works, anthems and services. In England, he is the outstanding Bach organist. This is his first visit to America. It is a rare opportunity to hear this really great organist. An offering will be taken.

COMMUNITY MEETING on the subject "How Can Adults and Youth Cooperate in Building a World Community", will be held in the Parish House, Thursday evening, May 19th, at 8:00 o'clock. Speakers will be the Rev. Henry P. Van Dusen, D.D., Dean of Union Theological Seminary, New York, and the Rev. Luther Tucker, Secretary of the World Student Christian Federation, who has recently returned from working among the students of China and Japan.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY will hold a "Kiddie Dance", on Friday evening, May 20th, from 9 to 1, in the Parish Hall, with the "Santa Nova" Orchestra. Tickets are 75c a couple.

CONFIRMATION. Some forty boys and girls will be presented to the Bishop for Confirmation. Parents, sponsors, and friends are especially invited.

NURSES' GRADUATION. The Chestnut Hill Hospital will hold its annual Commencement at St. Paul's this year, beginning with a service in the Church and continuing with exercises in the Parish House.

MR. WARREN, our late Curate, now Rector of Christ Church, Macon, Georgia, will preach Sunday, May 29th. This is the first time he has been back since he left us after Easter last year.

CHOIR CONCERT. The choir assisted by Helen Stevenson, Soprano, and Godwin Stevenson, Cellist, will give a concert on the evening of May 31st, at 8 P. M., for the benefit of the Choir Boys' Camp Fund. Tickets at 35c may be secured from the Parish Office or from members of the Choir.

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND

The Bishop has asked that the "April Call" for Diocesan Building Fund be devoted to a new rectory for the Vicar of St. Garbriel's Church, the Rev. William T. Metz. He has done a fine piece of work in the Mission on the Boulevard for the past nineteen years, has built a new Church, and deserves the encouragement that a generous offering will bring.

EASTER OFFERING

The Easter Day offering for the China Emergency Fund was \$1,739.30. This was larger by over \$400.00 than our offering last year and shows that many people made a real effort to give generously for this high purpose. The Rector was gratified to have someone say at the Diocesan Convention "You people did a wonderful job in your Easter giving."

THE EASTER ALTAR

The flowers were particularly beautiful this year. A larger number were donated than usual. Those on the altar were given in memory of Mary Frothingham Roberts and Edith Langdon Roberts. Others were memorials for Mrs. A. A. Blair, Louise Weill Allen, Frank C. Norris, Elizabeth White, Mr. and Mrs. Hibberd B. Worrell, and Charles Day. The Flower Committee wishes to express its deep appreciation for these and other anonymous offerings.

VESTRY ELECTION

At the annual meeting of the Parish, held April 25th, the following were re-elected as members of the Vestry for a period of three years:

Albert Atlee Jackson
W. Chattin Wetherill
P. Blair Lee
Joseph Wood Wagner
Frazer Harris
George M. Dallas

BOOKS—PLEASE!

St. Agnes' Settlement House in Kensington, is in great need of books for the Library—books for adults and children; fiction, biography, and reference books. Will you kindly leave any books you can give at the Parish Office for Miss Zebley?

WANTED!

Position for the summer, permanent or part-time driving by medical student. Call Che. 0359.

Position as practical nurse or child's nurse or supervising housekeeper by a young lady well recommended.

Pupils wanted for private piano lessons, or class instruction during the summer by a competent teacher.

MAY KALENDAR

- 1—S. S. Philip and James.
Second Sunday after Easter.
 - 8—Third Sunday after Easter.
 - 15—Fourth Sunday after Easter.
 - 22—Fifth Sunday after Easter
(rogation).
 - 26—Ascension Day.
 - 29—Sunday after Ascension.
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PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Elizabeth Cushing Norris
Douglas Hinsdale Worrall, Jr.
Audrey Weightman Worrall
Dudley Adamson Jenks

Burials

Clara Buckenham

Marriages

John Denton Davis and Edith May Butler.
Augustus Merino Dilkes and Lillie Blye Dunn.

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The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

Rector: Rev. Malcolm E. Peabody, 18 E. Chestnut Ave. (Che. 0503)

Curate: Rev. Robert G. Metters, Parish House (Che. 5780)

Parish Offices, Che. 0359

St. Paul's and the Future

Your Rector has been elected a Bishop. This is a tribute to the Parish. It is a recognition of the fact that the people of St. Paul's, Chestnut Hill, have together developed a team work in religious matters that must needs be extended to other parts of the Church. Of course, parting with you who have been such devoted friends and fellow workers is a terrible blow to me. Many of you have kindly said that you were sorry too. This is a painful moment for us both. But it will pass, and then the question will arise about "carrying on."

I know that you will carry on grandly and increasingly under your new rector. It may take a little while to find the right man. But that will not trouble you. You will keep on coming regularly to Church. You will push forward the work of your Church School. You will keep on promoting the Mission of the Church with all your accustomed interest and generosity. You will become even more identified with the Church in all its activities. You will make it your own by planning for it and working in it, so that as the generations go by, people will say, as they are already beginning to say now, "In Chestnut Hill the Kingdom of God is growing, for the people of St. Paul's not only believe in team work in religious matters, but practice it."

Organization Notes

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

"Religion in Vacation Days"

In order to carry on the activities of the Church School through the summer, cards have been issued to the children on which they can indicate where and at what hour they went to Church on each of the summer Sundays. Enclosed with the card the Executive Committee have sent a series of suggestions for summer activities, such as:

(1) Attend Church regularly wherever you are.

(2) Attend the Vacation Bible School at the Chestnut Hill Presbyterian Church, July 5 to 22.

(3) Attend a summer Conference. Sweet Briar, July 5 to 15, for leaders. Bethlehem, June 27th to July 2nd, for young people.

(4) Excursions and trips — Look up the American Youth Hostels.

(5) Make an out-of-door center of worship.

(6) Make things for people in need. Telephone Mrs. J. E. Butterworth, Che. 4986.

(7) Use the Parish Library — open Sundays after 9:30 service.

(8) Make a definite plan for yourself which you intend to stand by and carry out.

MISS FISCHER RESIGNS

The Rector announces with real regret the resignation of Miss Dorothy May Fischer who has been our Adviser in Religious Education since April, 1937. She has made a fine record in her work with the Young People and has been of great service to the teachers of the Church School. She leaves at the same time as the Rector to take up other work.

PLANS FOR NEXT YEAR

The Vestry at its recent meeting accepted with regret the resignation of our Adviser in Religious Education, Miss Dorothy May Fischer and asked the

Executive Committee of the Church School to carry on for the time being with volunteer help. At its final meeting for the season the Committee appointed Miss Margaret Earle, Executive Secretary of the Church School, with Miss Helen Zebley as Recording Secretary. Mrs. Francis Smythe will be Chairman of the Committee next year which includes six other members experienced in Religious Education. While the temporary absence of an Adviser is a serious matter, the work will be efficiently carried on by this group until the new Rector can appoint an Adviser of his own choosing.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

At the final meeting for the season the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Mrs. Livingston E. Jones, Chairman

Mrs. Sidney T. Mackenzie,

Vice-Chairman

Mrs. Ralph Herrick, Secretary

Mrs. Jacob S. Disston, Jr.,

Assistant Secretary

Mrs. Francis Grant, Treasurer

Miss Mary Brinley,

Assistant Treasurer

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Our branch has this year taken active part in a number of outside activities. We held a Christmas party as usual for the Chapel of the Transfiguration in South Philadelphia. We spent considerable time studying about the mission work of the Church and sent gifts to the work among the Southern Highlanders at Splashdam and Dante as well as six scholarships to the girls school at Bontoc, P. I. We contributed to the repapering of the G.F.S. Holiday House at Cape May and are giving a scholarship for one of our members to the Bethlehem Conference. To the parish we have pledged fifty dollars. The Society believes that we are chiefly of value to the Church by the services we render others.

LEGACIES

St. Paul's has been fortunate in receiving designated legacies. It would be of enormous help to the Vestry, however, if those who wish to remember the Church in their wills could leave undesignated legacies to be used in the discretion of the Rector and Vestry. The Parish has only a small endowment fund of \$60,000. It has a debt of some \$107,000. Legacies, even if they are not very large, can help to remove this burden and promote the splendid opportunity which is certain to be centered here for many generations.

ACTION BY THE VESTRY

A Committee on a New Rector

The Vestry elected at its last meeting the following Committee to select a new Rector: P. Blair Lee, Chairman, Lewis N. Lukens, George M. Dallas, Frazer Harris, Joseph W. Wagner. Though this group is explicitly in charge of the important task, the whole Vestry has the responsibility of electing the new Rector. All of its members will naturally be assisting the committee in this important task.

DEBT ON THE NEW CHURCH

The Vestry plans to make an appeal for funds with which to reduce the church debt in the fall. It will not be a "clean-up campaign" but the opportunity will be presented to everyone to make a contribution out of current income toward the \$50,000 debt now outstanding on the new church. Every thousand dollars paid off makes a saving of fifty-five dollars a year. We should at least be able to collect \$10,000 and reduce our obligation by this important sum. The Vestry feels that this undertaking will not interfere with the normal income of the parish and will be a simple but effective way of reducing the figure of our debt. Mr. William F. Kurtz will act as Chairman of the Committee in charge. This is an admirable way of helping to clear the decks of debt for the new Rector.

KEEP UP SUMMER PAYMENTS

The Vestry is most anxious to avoid the dip in income that usually occurs in July and August. It will enormously assist the Accounting Warden if people, either before they go off, or at the beginning of each month, could send him a check for the sum due on their pledge to the annual budget.

MR. PEABODY'S CONSECRATION

On St. Michael and All Angels Day, September 29th, at St. Paul's Church, Syracuse, N. Y., Mr. Peabody will be consecrated Bishop. The Presiding Bishop, Dr. Tucker, will consecrate. Other participants in the service are now being approached. The consents of the Standing Committees are in process of being secured. A limited number of tickets will be available for members of the Parish who want to make the trip and attend the service. Will those who are pretty sure they can go, kindly inform Mr. Peabody in order that he may reserve tickets for them? He wishes that the service might be nearer home and that there might be room for everybody.

THE EMBARRASSMENT OF SUCCESS

A few hundred people were ready for confirmation at St. Francis Mission, Upi, and its outstations, in the Philippines last year when the furlough of the priest-in-charge was more than a year over due, and no other priest could be spared to take his place. He and the Bishop therefore agreed that no confirmation would be held since they thought it unwise to confirm large numbers who could have no regular sacramental ministrations for a year to follow.

IN APPRECIATION

St. Agnes' Settlement House in Kensington acknowledges with grateful thanks the books that have been sent from the members of St. Paul's Church.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Our society has had a useful year of friendly meetings among ourselves and service to the world outside. As a result of our Rummage Sale we have been able to help the Consumptive Home in Chestnut Hill, the Salvation Army, St. Michael and All Angels Mission, and Dr. Grenfell's Labrador Mission. We produced several large boxes of useful articles as a result of the work of our own members which have been shipped to Sister Horner in the South Dakota Mission of our Church. This record has been made possible by the fine spirit of our own group and the happy cooperation of many members of St. Paul's who have so consistently stood behind us.

THE CHOIR

The boys of the choir wish to thank the members of the parish and their friends who so generously supported their Camp Fund by their gifts and the sale and purchase of tickets to the concert.

JAMES KERR, *Secretary.*

SUMMER PLANS

Services

Sundays:

8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.

9:30 A. M.—Children and Parents Service.

11:00 A. M.—Holy Communion or Morning Prayer and Sermon.

Thursdays and Saints Days:
Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M.

The Staff

The Rector will be in charge until July 19, when he goes on his vacation. Miss Kennell will be daily in the office until that date. Thereafter Mr. Metters will be in charge. Calls during the remainder of July and August may be made at his Telephone Che. 5780. The Rector will return on September 10th and will remain in residence until the 20th when he will take his final leave.

Activities

Summer offers all kinds of religious opportunities if we have the imagination to see them. The Parish Library containing five hundred volumes will be open for the next few Sunday mornings at ten o'clock and during office hours in the week. Books may be taken for the whole summer. Look up the letter written to Parents by the Church School with all kinds of interesting subjects for people young and old. Then if you travel, you can make a point of visiting the Church's missions wherever you may happen to be and bring back to us first-hand news of what is going on.

The Forward Movement

During the summer pamphlets or guides on various subjects may be found in the Church vestibule touching various sides of the church's life. The Bible-reading booklets for the current season have arrived and can be secured at the same place by those who have not yet received them.

THE FLOWER MISSION

This is our major summer activity at the Parish House. It is already in full swing under Mrs. Robert Glendinning's leadership. She hopes to double its efficiency this summer but will only be able to do so if all who have gardens contribute, and if those who would like to give vegetables either purchase them or send them from their places by ten o'clock on Wednesday mornings. Here is a simple way of making a tremendously important contribution to needy city dwellers.

OUR CURRENT BUDGET

About \$3,000 has been received from the April Appeal from a number of generous members of the Parish. This does not balance our 1938 Budget. We still need \$2,000. The Accounting Warden looks forward to receiving a response from a number of others in order that the work of the Parish may go on unhindered in spite of the loss of our Rector.

A SUMMER VOLUNTEER MISSIONARY

Miss Betty Kellner, a member of our Young People's Group, has volunteered for service during July and August at our mission among the mountain whites at Dante, Va. She will pay her own board and be engaged in teaching and all kinds of other interesting work about the Mission. We are waiting with interest to hear what she will bring back to us of her experience in the fall.

THE SWEET BRIAR CONFERENCE

A number of members of the Parish are planning to attend the Advanced Provincial Summer Conference for leaders at Sweet Briar College, July 5th to 15th. The Rector who will be there himself, would be glad to know of others who are interested to go even at this late date. The names of those who intend to go are: Mrs. J. L. Conarroe, Miss Margaret Earle, Miss Lily Cheston, Mrs. Ralph Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Casner, Mrs. Francis Smythe, and others.

EMPLOYMENT

The Parish Secretary has a list of capable young men, members of the Parish, who wish employment doing driving and general utility work during the summer. Also a number of well-recommended women who wish work as companions, child nurses, and in domestic service. Kindly apply to the Parish Office, Che. 0359.

NEW HYMNS FOR 1938

Every year we have added to our list of well-known hymns four new ones to be learned. Those selected for this year are 258 Lauda Anima, 295 Vaughan Williams, 451 Toulon, 492 Festal Songs. The Vaughan Williams tune is not in the hymnal but may be secured by application to the Parish Office or to the organist. This tune to "For All the Saints" is now universally used in England and has been adopted in many parishes in this country in the place of the old tune which, though familiar, is distinctly inferior both musically and religiously. It is one of the great additions to Church music. Won't you try these over on your piano at home during the summer?

Autumn Fair November 17th Afternoon and Evening

**Please Save Books and Rum-
mage During the Summer**

**Useful Articles
Especially Needed**

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Sylvia Pearson
David Newhall
Dorothy Downing Moyer
Dale Purves
Thomas James Johnston, Jr.

Burials

Eliza Kerry
Mabel Reid Blynn
Edward Townsend Statesbury
Robert Robinson Porter Bradford

Marriages

John Large Fox and Mary Anna Barnitz.

Robert Herman Duffy and Elizabeth Julia German.

Wilbur Emory Barnett and Peyton Bolling Jones.

John F. Kurtz and Mary I. Wilson.

Confirmations

George Boyd Adair, Lea Thom Aspinwall, John Bartram Bement, Russell Bement, Jr., Ethel Benson, Bryce Blynn, Jr., Barbara Rosalie Buehler, Hester Warner Caldwell, Louise Estelle Derr, Diana Disston, Henry Disston, Marie Ella Dittmann, Earle Barclay Earhart, Henry Percival Glendinning, Jr., Mary Merriman Harris, Ethel Drain Hay, Stephen Northrup Hay, Edgar Earle Holland, Warren Hamilton Kane, James Kerr, Lloyd Thayer Manning, Joseph McNamee, 3rd, William R. J. Morris, Bertha Evelyn Hoopes Murphey, David Nalle, Marie Louise Weightman Oller, Ernest Fraser Page, Sylvia Pearson, Richard Evans Pilling, John Sargent Price, Sarah Meade Price, Jean Eleanor Shull, H. Godwin Stevenson, Jr., Norman William Waldman.

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SERVICES

Sundays—Holy Communion	8 A. M.	Evening Prayer	5.30 P. M.
1st, 3rd—Holy Communion.....	11 A. M.	Thursdays—Holy Communion,	
2nd, 4th, 5th—Morning Prayer, Sermon,			7.30 and 10 A. M.
	11 A. M.	Saints' Days—Holy Communion..	7.30 A. M.
Church School	9.30 A. M.		

The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion

Curate: Rev. Robert G. Metters, Parish House (Che. 5780)

Parish Offices, Che. 0359

"CARRY ON, PLUS"

IF anyone were to ask me after thirteen and a half years of experience what was the "peculiar charm" of St. Paul's Parish, I should answer, "the large number of people who are not only capable of giving religious leadership, but are actively engaged in it." This doesn't mean that everyone in the parish is an active Christian. But it does mean that a lot of capable and gifted people think religion is important and are devoting time and energy and thought and money to the Church. The result is that the control of the parish is largely in lay hands.

As I step off temporarily into the perspective of middle distance I want to say to you all, "Not only carry on, but immensely multiply the number of lay workers. Draw in a lot more of the younger ones." Everyone is "interested" in religion these days. If the Church will only start with people where they are and help them to grow toward their longings it will render the service for which it was made.

The editor of a great paper said recently to a friend of mine, "The Church today must be a bench," that is, something to steady life. He is right, and so will St. Paul's continue to be, if the grand lay talent with equal zeal and increasing numbers turns out to work on both sides of their new rector, and sometimes in front of him.

M. E. P.

A PERSONAL WORD

Dear Members of St. Paul's:

I have kept going hard these few days of September that I have been with you, partly because I wanted to help you start off on the new season stronger than ever, but also because I knew that if I halted my feelings would catch up with me.

Someone once said that leaving a parish is like dying! It really isn't quite as bad as that. For one thing the next job isn't always heaven, and for another important one, one can come back. I shall be doing so the day this Leaflet is published, I hope. I certainly intend to make it a habit. And so I beg to continue very vividly.

Your most devoted friend,

MALCOLM E. PEABODY.

Organization Notes

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY will begin its meetings for the winter Wednesday evening, October 5th, at 8.15. It is hoped there will be a full attendance at this meeting.

THE WOMAN'S BIBLE CLASS will have a Corporate Communion, Sunday, October 9th, at 8.00 A. M. The first class session will be Sunday, October 16th, in the Chapel, at 10.00 A. M.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY will hold its first meeting on Friday, October 7th, opening with a service in the Church at 10.15. Mrs. Francis Packard, the new Diocesan Treasurer of the United Thank Offering, will be the speaker.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY. A group of twenty young people attended the fourth annual Fall Conference on September 23-25 at Camp Tinicum, Bucks County, Pa. The subject was "Missions," and the leader, the Rev. Robert P. Frazier, of St. Anne's, Willow Grove.

The Young People's Groups will resume their evening meeting starting Sunday, October 9th, at 5.30 P. M.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY will open its season with a covered dish supper on Monday, October 3rd, in the Parish House. On Saturday, October 15th, there will be a Cake and Candy Sale from ten o'clock until three on Germantown Avenue, the exact address to be announced later. Donations of cake, candy, jellies, pickles and plants will be gratefully received and may be brought to the Parish House or to the shop.

CALENDAR FOR OCTOBER

- 3rd—7.00 P. M. Covered dish supper.
10th—8.15 P. M. Service in the Church followed by a business meeting and discussion of plans and program for year.
17th—8.15 P. M. Handcraft
24th—8.15 P. M. Hallowe'en Party.
31st—No meeting.

K. P. VAN DUSEN.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

The Church School, which opens Sunday, October 2nd, at 9.30 A. M., has classes ranging from Kindergarten through the 12th Grade. Kindergarten, 1st, 2nd and 3rd Primary Grades meet from 9.30 to 12.00. Grades 4 through 10, inclusive, meet from 9.30 to 10.45. The Young People's Groups meet each Sunday from 5.30 to 8.00, except on the first Sunday in the month, when they attend the Corporate Communion at 8.00 A. M.

The Church School Office will be open every day from 10 to 12, and at other times by appointment. (Che. 0359.) Some member of the Executive Committee will always be there when the Office is open.

Executive Committee

The Rev. Robert G. Metters
Miss Margaret Earle, Executive Secretary
Miss Helen Zebley, Recording Secretary
Mrs. Francis Smyth, Chairman
Mrs. J. Howell Healy
Mrs. J. E. Butterworth
Miss Lily Cheston
Mrs. J. S. Disston, Jr.
Mrs. Ralph Herrick
Mrs. William Reese Scott, 3rd

Supervisors

Kindergarten—Mrs. Robert S. Newhall, 2nd
1st, 2nd, 3rd Grades—Mrs. Minturn Wright, Jr.
4th, 5th and 6th Grades—Miss Lily Cheston
7th, 8th, 9th and 10th Grades—Mrs. J. E. Butterworth
Young People—Mrs. Francis Smyth



IN APPRECIATION

"There came a man sent from God——. The same came for a witness——"

Since the earliest times this has been the function of the ministry, "to bear witness of the Light" under the compulsion of having a message and a method "sent from God".

It is therefore not inappropriate to use this text in expressing the gratitude and affection this parish feels for the ministry of Malcolm E. Peabody during the past thirteen and a half years. They have been years marked by a growing concern for the things of the Kingdom. Increasingly St. Paul's has been able "to bear witness of the Light" and to extend her sphere of usefulness to the General Church, because it is a church convinced of the importance of worship and of the urgency of Christian education, and also convinced of the inadequacy of these except as related to the needs of mankind.

It is the privilege of this parish to share with the General Church the leadership which has been so helpful in its growth and development, and the hope of the parish that the witness of Malcolm E. Peabody may more and more inspire the Church throughout the world.



NEW CONFIRMATION CLASS

We shall continue the plan of recent years by asking Confirmation candidates of eighteen years and younger to attend classes throughout the current Church School year. Older members will be offered a shorter period of instruction, but should send their names in at once to Mr. Metters. The younger class will hold its first meeting in the Parish House at 10.00, directly after the 9.30 Service on Sunday, October 2nd, and will meet thereafter regularly at that hour.

THE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS will hold its first meeting of the season at 2.15 in the Church on Sunday, October 2nd. The class will study the first part of the year with Mr. Metters as the Chaplain in charge. Bishop Peabody

will be on hand to greet the members after the service. This marks the sixteenth year of the Bible Class and it is hoped that more men of the parish will attend the meetings. All are cordially invited.

THE SEWING GUILD will reopen Wednesday, October 12th, at 10.00 A. M., in the Parish House, and will carry on until 3.00, with luncheon served as usual at 12.30. Their work fills a tremendous need and they are anxious to add to their group all who would care to join them.

Until the 12th of October the informal sewing group, which has been making articles for the Fair, will meet as usual at 2.00 o'clock in the Parish House on Wednesday afternoons.

PARISH FAIR—November 17th

Afternoon and Evening

Cakes, Candy, Books and Rummage
Useful Articles Needed

*Kindly deliver them to Parish House
any time during the week*

THE PARISH CHORUS

Those interested in informal singing of secular choral music are invited to meet in the Choir House at 8.00 P. M., Wednesday, October 12th and 26th. This group will carry on throughout the year on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.

THE FLOWER MISSION

Under the supervision of Mrs. Robert Glendinning, assisted by Mrs. C. T. Cresswell, the Flower and Vegetable Mission has had a most successful season, having regularly distributed many bouquets of flowers and large quantities of vegetables to the needy of the city. Their work will continue until further notice. Contributions may be sent to the Parish House before ten o'clock on Wednesdays.

THE EVERY-MEMBER CANVASS

The appeal for contributions to defray the regular running expenses of the parish for the year 1939 will reach you this fall a few weeks earlier.

Inasmuch as the amount received last year was appreciably below the amount needed, it is hoped that the response from the parish will this year be as generous as possible, in order that we may not again be forced to reduce our contribution toward the work of the General Church.

INTERIM PLANS

While the Parish is without a Rector, the Vestry has put Mr. Pearson, the Accounting Warden, in charge. He will meet with the staff each week and be the executive head of the Parish organization. Questions and inquiries should be addressed to the office, Che. 0359, and will be referred to the appropriate staff member or responsible committee.

MR. STABLER

The Rev. W. Brooke Stabler, M.A., Chaplain of the University of Pennsylvania, is kindly assisting in the Sunday services at St. Paul's throughout October.

OCTOBER KALENDAR

2—16th Sunday after Trinity
9—17th Sunday after Trinity
16—18th Sunday after Trinity
18—St. Luke
23—19th Sunday after Trinity
28—St. Simon and St. Jude
30—20th Sunday after Trinity

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Mary Robinson Boyer
Timothy Ryerson
Mary Elizabeth Latimer
Leonard John Achenbach, II
Charles Willing Pepper

Burials

Julia S. Cartwright
Harry S. Valentine

Marriages

George Evelyn Harrison and Phyllis Dickinson.

Robert Llewellyn German and Elizabeth Katharine Leapson.

Alfred Ogden and Mary Fell Jordan.
Herbert Stockton Gaskill and Evelyn Waring Remington.

Joseph Tiers and Peggy Totten Schwartz.

John William Townsend, III, and Mary Emlen Lewis.

Employment

SECRETARY, experienced, references, aged 26, graduate of Agnes Irwin and Peirce Schools. Full or part time. Can drive car. Phone Che. 5170 or write 8018 Roanoke Street.

The names of several men, members of the Parish, are on file in the Parish Office for driving or general utility work. Also the name of a capable child's nurse, and those who will do sewing and laundry work. Kindly apply to Che. 0359, the Parish Office.

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OUR NEW RECTOR

The Vestry is very happy to announce to the members of St. Paul's Parish that the Rev. George Augustus Trowbridge has accepted a call to the rectorship of St. Paul's Church. Mr. Trowbridge is at present rector of All Angels Church in New York City. He plans to move with his family to Chestnut Hill to take up his new duties early in January.

The Committee of the Vestry charged with the duty of finding a new rector has for many weeks past been giving this important matter most careful consideration and study. The choice of Mr. Trowbridge, which was reached recently, was made with unanimity and very real enthusiasm on the part of the Vestry. We believe that we have found a most worthy successor to Bishop Peabody and we look forward confidently to Mr. Trowbridge's ministry in our parish. In view of the deep interest that the members of St. Paul's have in the new rector, a brief outline of his career is given herewith.

Mr. Trowbridge was born in August, 1897, and is the son of Sally Esther Fulton Trowbridge and the late Professor Augustus Trowbridge. His father was a distinguished physicist at Princeton University, having joined the faculty there in 1906 and for several years prior to his death being Dean of the Graduate College.

Mr. Trowbridge attended the Hill School at Pottstown from 1911-1916. He was graduated from Princeton with a degree of B.S. in 1920. During the period that he attended Princeton, he was for nine months in the ambulance service in France, being connected with the American Field Service. Returning to this country from this activity at a period when it was no longer possible to enlist, he arranged to be inducted into the army and, at the time of the Armistice, he was a member of the R.O.T.C. at Camp Humphrey, Va., in training for a commission in the Engineers Corps.

On graduating from Princeton, he attended Oxford University in England for one year. At Princeton he was active in undergraduate affairs and at both universities he was a member of the varsity track team.

Entering the Virginia Theological Seminary at Alexandria in 1921, he was graduated in 1924 with a degree of B.D. He became a deacon in that year and was ordained priest in 1926 by the Rt. Rev. Paul Matthews, Bishop of New Jersey.

Following his course at the seminary, Mr. Trowbridge was a Master for one year at St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H. After that, for two years, he occupied the position of Episcopal Chaplain at Yale University. He was then called to be assistant at All Angels Church, New York. Less than a year later, he was elected rector of that church, a position which he has held for the past ten years.

Mr. Trowbridge married Miss Jean Whiting of New York, in June, 1926. They have three children: Clinton, 11; Katherine, 9, and Augustus, 4.

Organization Notes

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

(This is the first of a series of articles on the various departments of the Church School which will appear successively in THE LEAFLET.)

The Kindergarten and the Primary Department continue this year with the long session found so satisfactory in the past. This gives time for the various activities necessary to deepen in the children the knowledge and practice of Christian living offered to them through story-telling, discussion, and church services.

We are fortunate in having an enrollment of seventy-two children, and a group of excellent teachers who are responsible for the splendid beginning the school has made. Our need at present is for playground equipment, and if anyone would be interested in giving us discarded swings, or contributions toward a new one, we would greatly appreciate it.

The Executive Committee and the supervisors hope that the parents will feel free at all times to discuss the curriculum with them, and to make suggestions, feeling that the finest piece of work can only be done through the unity of home and school.

ANNA MOSS WRIGHT,
Primary Supervisor.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT STAFF

Kindergarten Supervisor

Mrs. Robert S. Newhall, 2nd

Teachers

Kindergarten—Mrs. Robert O'Neill

First Grade—Miss Charlotte Q. Raney of Penn Charter School

Second Grade—Miss Mary McKee Simmons of Lower Springside

Third Grade—Mrs. Robert L. Winter of Miquon Summer Camp

Music—Mrs. Dwight L. Harris

Art—Mr. Harry Harris, Jr.

Assistants

Kindergarten—Mrs. Charles Phelps

First Grade—Miss Betty Allen

Second Grade—Miss Mary Nimon, Miss Josephine Kendig

Third Grade—Miss Betty Allen

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Meetings for November

- 7th—7.00 P. M. Covered dish supper. Current events—Mrs. John Harris, Speaker.
- 14th—8.15 P. M. Service in the Church. Basketball. Hand-craft.
- 21st—8.15 P. M. Work on Surgical Dressings.
- 28th—8.15 P. M. Basketball. Games by Miss Mullikin.

THE SEWING GUILD

This group meets regularly from 10.00 A. M. to 3.00 P. M. in the Parish House and is doing an important piece of work for the Church as well as for hospitals. They invite all women of the Parish who would care to give their time to this valuable service to join them. Luncheon is served to all who are present at 12.30.

THE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The class is meeting every Sunday afternoon at 2.15 and has increased in numbers and enthusiasm. Mr. Metters is conducting the class in the study of "The Prophets and Their Relationship to Present Day Problems".

THE PARISH FAIR

NOVEMBER 17th AT 2:00 P. M.

The big event of the month! Featuring a Specialty Shop full of Christmas Gifts, useful and fancy articles. Books, plants and rummage, cakes, candy, jellies and jams for sale. Tea and soft drinks will be served. Afternoon entertainment for children, admission 10c. Cafeteria Supper served at 6.00 P. M. Tableaux at 8.15 P. M. of "The Brides of St. Paul's and the Family Album". Tickets (50c) have been mailed to the members of the Parish. Additional tickets may be secured from the Parish Office.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Diocesan Educational Conference will take place November 14-15 at Holy Trinity Church. The program is as follows:

Monday

9.00 A. M.—Holy Communion—Church of the Holy Trinity.

10.00 A. M.—Auxiliary Conference—Mrs. Edward Ingersoll presiding.

12.00 Noon—Devotions.

12.30 P. M.—Box Lunch.

2-3 P. M.—Mrs. Samuel Higginbottom will speak on her work with the women of rural India.

3-4 P. M.—Methods of Discussion: Mrs. Stephen Mahon of the G.F.S.

6.30 P. M.—Dinner for men and Women. Penn Athletic Club. Speakers: Rt. Rev. H. St. George Tucker, Presiding Bishop.

Tuesday

10.00 A. M. to 12.00 Noon—Educational Conference: Mrs. T. L. Harris, presiding.

2-4 P. M.—Methods of Discussion: Mrs. Mahon.

8.00 P. M.—Speaker: Miss Mary Louise Pardee of the National Council of the Woman's Auxiliary.

THANKSGIVING DAY

There will be a service of Holy Communion at 7.30 A. M., and Morning Prayer and Address at 10.00 A. M. The latter will be a family service and parents and children are urged to attend together. Will those who would care to contribute fruit for the altar decoration, kindly send their checks to the Parish Office or bring gifts of fruit there on the previous day?

PREACHERS THIS MONTH

November 6th—The Rev. W. Brooke Stabler, M.A.—Chaplain of the University of Pennsylvania.

November 13th—The Rt. Rev. Winfred Hamlin Ziegler, D.D., Missionary Bishop of Wyoming.

November 20th—The Rev. Howard C. Robbins, D.D.—Professor of Pastoral Theology at General Theological Seminary, N. Y., and former Dean of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, N. Y.

November 27th—The Rev. Robert G. Metters—Curate of St. Paul's, Chestnut Hill.

ARMISTICE DAY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11th

We shall observe the Day of Prayer for Peace by inviting the members of the parish to come to the church at any time between nine and six. Leaflets with suggestive prayers will be on hand and brief services will be held at 10.45 A. M. and 5.30 P. M.

There will be a Union Service at 8.15 P. M. at the Presbyterian Church, Rex and Germantown Avenues, in which the members of St. Paul's are asked to join.

THE OLD RECTORY

The Vestry, after much consideration and advice, have decided to remove the curate's house. The upkeep on this building, together with the taxes, is very heavy and, inasmuch as the church owns other property which could be made available if needed for this purpose at less cost, it has been decided to relieve the church of this burden. By removing this building, taxes of approximately four hundred dollars per year will be very substantially reduced or entirely eliminated. The ground will be graded to conform with the rest of the lawn in front of the church. It will bring the church building in greater relief from Chestnut Avenue.

ORGAN RECITAL

Early in December on a date to be announced later, there will be an organ recital here by Mr. Ludwig Theis, Organist and Choirmaster of St. Peter's, Frankfurt-am-Main, Germany, and pupil of Dr. Albert Schweitzer, the great authority on the music of Bach.

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Parish Offices, Che. 0359

OFFERING SUNDAY

The members of the Parish will be interested to know that on Offering Sunday, October 30th, 445 pledges were received. This represents 25% of the whole parish. It is, therefore, obvious that there are many people still to be heard from and it is the earnest hope of the Vestry that those who have not yet filled in their 1939 pledge cards, will do so promptly and send them to the Accounting Warden care of the Parish Office.

STUDENTS

A student list is being compiled in the Parish Office and the Secretary would appreciate having the names of all members of the Parish who are at boarding school, college, or university, so that in this way the Chaplains of the respective schools may be informed of them and make their acquaintance.

NOVEMBER KALENDAR

- 1—All Saints Day
- 6—Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity
- 13—Twenty-second Sunday after Trinity
- 20—Sunday before Advent
- 24—Thanksgiving Day
- 27—First Sunday in Advent
- 30—St. Andrew

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

William Clarke Hudson
Charles David Achenbach
Benjamin Rowland Achenbach
Robertson Lobes Smith

Burials

John B. Hamill
James Williams

Marriages

Francis William Dinsmore, Jr., and
Sallie Merrick Kite.
Algernon Roberts and Elizabeth
Kurtz.
Louis Cephas Madeira, IV, and Helen
Tyson.

LABRADOR

A request for children's toys has just come from St. Mary's River Hospital in Labrador. Second-hand toys as well as little inexpensive new ones will be gratefully received and may be sent to the Parish Office and shipped before Christmas.

EMPLOYMENT

Will you phone the Parish Office, CHE. 0359.

- (1) If you wish someone to stay with your children in the afternoon or evening?
 - (2) If you wish experienced secretarial help?
 - (3) If you wish a chauffeur or general utility work done?
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"What Wilt Thou Have Me To Do?"

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"PREPARE YE THE WAY OF THE LORD . . ."

Preparation is fundamental to every great occasion or event. A characteristic of our human life is that we men are never quite ready, the arrangements are never quite complete, and we often find ourselves forced to make the best of an event for which we are not adequately prepared.

The birth of Jesus is the most momentous single event in the course of human history. The great God, the Creator of the ends of the earth, who 'binds the cluster of the Pleiades and can loose the bands of Orion,' comes to dwell in the midst of us, comes in low estate a tiny baby thing to dwell among us men. This wonderful event is the cause of all our Christmas cheer. We give gifts because God has given Himself to us. We sing with the whole creation our hymns of praise because God has made manhood glorious. We worship at the manger crib because in this child all our aspirations and hopes are realized, 'and his Name shall be called Wonderful, Counselor, the mighty God, the everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace.'

Each day we are drawing closer to this wonderful act of God. Each day through this season of Advent should find us better prepared to receive the Christ Child in our hearts. Now is the time of preparation, the time to study if there be any evil way in us, to cleanse our hearts, and bring peace to our houses, that when the Lord cometh we may receive him with joy and gladness. In spite of our own inadequacies and though the world be in travail, God will come to us, and out of the anguish and the sorrow and the pain will come the glory of a new creation. Let Him find us prepared to join with our fellow men and all the company of heaven on Christmas Day in that glorious song of praise and thanksgiving—

*'Glory be to God on High—
And in earth peace, good will toward men.'*

R. G. M.

Organization Notes

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

(This is the second of a series of articles on the departments of the Church School.)

In the Junior Department are the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Grades. The girls and boys of this age, usually 9, 10 and 11 years old, attend the 9:30 Service in the Church each Sunday. Then they go to separate classrooms for study and work from 10:05 to 10:45 A. M. There are 47 girls and 31 boys enrolled.

The Fourth Grade subject for the year is "The Church", and at present the classes are studying about the Prayer Book, as the handbook of the Church. The teachers are:

- 4G —Mrs. George Hogg
- 4B-1—Mr. George Hogg
- 4B-2—Miss Mildred Mathers

The Fifth Grade subject for the year is "The Bible", and during this first semester the boys and girls are learning how the Bible came to be. The teachers are:

- 5G-1—Mrs. Lucile Caldwell
- 5G-2—Mrs. James H. Healy
- 5B-1—Mr. J. O. Achenbach
- 5B-2—Mr. Philip Whittaker

The Sixth Grade subject for the year is "Worship", and the classes are now finding out the sources from which our services came. The teachers are:

- 5G —Mrs. J. L. Conarro
- 5B-1—Mr. Robert German
- 5B-2—Mr. Henry K. Kurtz 3rd

Besides their regular classroom work, a number of the Junior girls sing in the Church School choir, which requires coming at nine o'clock promptly each Sunday for rehearsals. Two of the Fifth Grade classes worked on sending a fine Christmas box to a mission school in the Philippines, and some of the classes helped in choosing hymns, lessons, psalms and prayers for the 9:30 Service.

After Christmas the classes will start upon new units of study and work. The success of the Junior classes depends largely on the interest and backing of the parents.

LILY CHESTON,
Junior Supervisor

TEACHER'S MEETING

There will be a meeting of the officers and teachers of the Church School on Monday, December 5th, at 8:15 P. M. opening with a service in the Church addressed by the Rev. Charles Martin, Chairman of the Diocesan Department of Religious Education. Meetings of the various departments will be held in the Parish House following the service.

DR. STEERE ADDRESSES THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

At the regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary on November 4th, Professor Douglas V. Steere of the Philosophy department at Haverford College, talked most instructively on "Devotional Literature." If any one believes that devotional literature is dull and antiquated, Dr. Steere would soon disabuse him of that idea. The authors of the great devotional classics became living men and women of flesh and blood as presented, and we were made to realize that there are also modern works of great value for the nurture of one's spiritual life. Dr. Steere in his fine book "Prayer and Worship" which is in our library suggests as two great books suitable for a beginning in study:

- Francis De Sales—"Introduction to the Devout Life"
 - John Woolman—"Journal"
- Also highly recommended are:
- Evelyn Underhill—"The Golden Sequence"

- "The Spiritual Life"
- Friedrich von Hugel—"Selected Letters"
- Williard L. Sperry—"Reality in Worship"

ORGAN RECITAL

Mr. Ludwig Theis, Organist and Choirmaster of St. Peter's, Frankfurt-am-Main, will give a recital in the Church on Thursday, December 8th, at 8:15 P. M. Mr. Theis is well-known in Germany as a recitalist and is making his first visit to America, giving several recitals while studying American organs. This is a rare opportunity to hear an exponent of the modern German school of organ playing. Mr. Theis is a friend and pupil of Dr. Albert Schweitzer, the leading authority on the music of Bach, and famous throughout the Christian world as the missionary doctor of Lambarene. Mr. Theis speaks excellent English, and an opportunity will be given to meet and talk with him after the recital.

PARISH FAIR REPORT

Mrs. Philemon Dickinson, Chairman of the Committee, reports that the approximate total of the proceeds to date from the Parish Fair is \$1972.58. This is not the final figures as returns are still being made. The approximate proceeds from some of the tables are as follows:

- Fancy Table—Mrs. Edgar A. Poe, Chairman—\$738.40
- Grown-Up Grabs—Mrs. Arthur Goodfellow, Chairman—\$25.80
- Cake and Candy Table—Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Disston, Chairman—\$185.00
- Book Table — Mrs. Watson, Chairman—\$70.20
- Useful Table — Sewing Guild—\$80.20
- Clothes — Woman's Friendly Society—\$131.40
- Rummage—Mrs. P. Dickinson, Chairman—\$75.00
- Movies—Mrs. Blair Lee, Chairman—\$6.90
- Evening Performance—\$350.00
- Supper — Mrs. Randall Chase, Chairman—\$125.00

The Fair Committee has voted to devote half the proceeds to defray the Parish Debt and the other half to the necessary repairs on the Rectory.

The Committee deeply appreciates the kind cooperation and generous support of all in the parish who contributed to make the Fair such a great success.

THE PARISH CANVASS

Since the Parish Canvass was scheduled a month earlier than usual, it was the hope of the committee that all pledge cards would be turned in by the end of November and the annual canvass completed. A great many people in the parish are still to be heard from and the committee asks their cooperation in sending their pledge cards to the Accounting Warden as soon as possible so that the canvass may be successfully finished and the amount pledged established.

PREACHERS THIS MONTH

- December 4th—The Rev. Robert G. Metters
- December 11th—The Rev. W. Brooke Stabler, M. A.—Chaplain of the University of Pennsylvania.
- December 18th—Quiet Communion Service—No sermon
- December 25th—The Rev. Robert G. Metters

GIFT TO BISHOP PEABODY

Bishop Peabody writes to thank the members of the parish for their farewell gift of a check:

"It is an enormous help to carry with me the affection and very practical good wishes of so many members of my old parish. I have been deeply touched by the imagination and warm affection that prompted this gift. I have deposited the money in the bank and am going to withdraw it from time to time to buy books."

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

During the fall we have made a number of surgical caps and masks for the Chestnut Hill Hospital. On November 21st twenty-one from St. Paul's attended the G. F. S. District Conference and supper at St. Martin's, Oak Lane. The younger girls are playing basketball for the first time in several years. Mrs. Paul has kindly given us permission to use the gym. at Springside. All interested are urged to come out on Monday, December 5th!

On Monday, December 19th, we shall hold our annual Christmas Party for the children at Transfiguration Mission in South Philadelphia. Everyone is asked to bring 50c for a gift for one of these children.

CALENDAR

Meetings for December

- 5th—7:00 P. M. Covered Dish Supper.
8:30 P. M. Mrs. J. MacArthur, Harris, Current Events. Basketball. Please bring 50c for Christmas Gift (see above.)
12th—8:15 P. M. Service in Church. Christmas Party; bring 10c gift.
19th—7:00 P. M. Meet at Parish House to go to Christmas Party at Chapel of Transfiguration.
26th No meeting.

THE WOMEN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Society has secured the Doctors Fetterman to present their colored motion pictures on "Ireland" in the Parish House, on December 7th, at 8:15 P. M. Tickets at 35c can be

bought at the Parish Office or from members of the group. The proceeds will go toward the missionary work of the Society. There will also be a card party on December 16th in the Parish House at 8:00 P. M.

A Christmas box is being prepared for Sister Hornor in the Pine Ridge Agency in South Dakota and useful articles and dress goods are needed. They may be sent to the Parish House any time before December 14th.

THE SEWING GUILD

The enthusiastic group that comes to the Parish House on Wednesdays at ten o'clock to sew is growing in numbers every week and is setting forth a most valuable work. Their table of useful articles at the Fair netted about \$80.00, and the supper which they served in cooperation with the Girls' Friendly Society totaled \$125.00. They continue preparing articles for hospitals and the community. All who care to join them will be most welcome. Luncheon is served at 12:30 to all who are present.

PLANS FOR DECEMBER

Hymn Practice

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11TH—There will be a hymn practice at the close of Morning Prayer. It is hoped that many of the congregation will use this opportunity to further improve their singing and to increase their repertory of hymns. The new hymns chosen for practice are:

- #56 —"Thy Kingdom Come."
—Day's Psalter
#64 —"Great God, What do I see and hear!" —Klug
#98 —"How Bright Appears the Morning Star!"—Arr. J. S. Bach
#484—"Soon May the Last Glad Song Arise—" —Arr. J. S. Bach
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Quiet Communion

SUNDAY, DECEMBER, 18TH — At eleven o'clock we will have our Advent Quiet Communion in accordance with our custom of the past year. There will be no choral responses and no sermon at this service. The congregation is invited to remain throughout the service.

CHRISTMAS

Services

CHRISTMAS EVE—December 24th

11:15 P. M.—Carol Singing in the Church

11:45 P. M.—Holy Communion
(Between 11:00-12 P. M. a group from the Young People's Society will portray the Nativity scene out-of-doors on the north side of the Church.)

CHRISTMAS DAY—December 25th

8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion

9:30 A. M.—Morning Prayer with Carols and Tableau.

11:00 A. M.—Te Deum, Holy Communion, and Sermon.

5:30 P. M.—Festival Evening Prayer with carols.

The Christmas Carol Service and Tableau will be held on Christmas morning at 9:30 instead of on Christmas Eve as in former years, because we wish every child to realize that Christmas Day is above all a religious festival. The service will be short and colorful with a procession, carols and a tableau. We realize that families have traditional customs for observing Christmas Day but we hope that the five services will make it possible for all families to be in Church on that day, and to have a truly Christian Christmas.

The offering at all services on Christmas Day will be devoted to continuing the work of the Church in our Parish.

CHRISTMAS BASKETS

There is an urgent need for all the necessities of life among the people to whom St. Barnabas' Mission in Kensington ministers. Christmas offers a fine opportunity to give to this need. We will have a list of names of the people in the Kensington Parish to whom Christmas baskets may be sent and tags may be secured after service on Sundays, December 11th and 18th. Contributions will be most acceptable for coal and clothing. Kindly draw checks to Mrs. B. Franklin Pepper.

DECEMBER KALENDAR

4—Second Sunday in Advent
11—Third Sunday in Advent
18—Fourth Sunday in Advent
21—S. Thomas
25—Christmas Day
26—S. Stephen
27—S. John Evangelist
28—Holy Innocents
31—New Year's Eve

PARISH REGISTER

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Meta Stewart
Jay Allan Tabor
William James Wigand

Burials

Alma Joly Lavino
Raymond V. Gonaver
Frank S. Styer

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Parish Offices, Che. 0359

A GREETING FROM THE RECTOR

I am glad to have the opportunity presented by this Leaflet to greet you, and to wish the members of St. Paul's Parish the happiest and best of New Years.

It may only be a trick of the imagination to think that we can arbitrarily set a date such as New Year's upon which we shall start afresh, but I suspect that there is more to it than that. It is true we can never wholly cut ourselves off from the past, nor should we want to, for the past has contributed to what we are and helps to shape what we shall be. But it is equally true that life is made up of new beginnings. We would never progress or grow if we clung only to the past and refused ever to venture into new avenues of thought or new realms of experience.

May the year that lies ahead be for us all a year of wider thinking and deeper consecration to the things of God and of His Kingdom than we have yet allowed ourselves the privilege of experiencing.

*"For the love of God is broader
Than the measure of man's mind;
And the heart of the Eternal
Is most infinitely kind."*

G. A. T.

Organization Notes

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

(This is the third of a series of articles on the Church School)

The boys who sing in St. Paul's Choir are required to attend Church School. Since the Church Choir practices on Sunday morning from 10:15 to 11:00 they are unable to attend regular Church School classes, and so two classes have been planned especially for them which are held from 9:30 to 10:00. The boys in the 4th, 5th, and 6th Grades are studying the life of our Lord under Mr. Robert Kurtz. The older boys have taken up a study of the Bible under Mr. Frank Roth.

MARGARET EARLE

Supervisor of the Choir Classes

Change in Church School Office Hours

After January 1st the Church School Office will be open from 10:00-12:00 on Mondays and Saturdays and at other times by appointment.

THE GIRL'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The chief event of our December program was our annual Christmas Party at the Chapel of the Transfiguration in South Philadelphia. On Monday, December 19th, about twenty of us went in, the Philadelphia Electric Company furnished a movie program, gifts and candy were distributed by Santa Clause, ably impersonated by Mrs. McNamee. The children sang carols, ice cream and cake were served and everyone had a very happy time and voted the party a great success. Those of us who go in from here feel it is one of the most worth while and rewarding parts of our whole Christmas celebration.

The January program is still somewhat tentative. There is to be a covered dish supper on the 9th,—and during the month an evening of folk dancing,—a hot dog and marshmallow roast, basket-ball, and work on surgical dressings for the Chestnut Hill Hospital, and possibly a trip to the planetarium.

For Christmas the WOMAN'S BIBLE CLASS sent money to St. Agnes' House to help with Christmas dinners. We resume meetings with a corporate Communion on January 8th and the class sessions, January 15th at 10:00 A. M.

In December the WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY filled a box to Sister Horner in Pine Ridge, South Dakota and at the last meeting voted some money to various missions that they are interested in.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Woman's Auxiliary held its January meeting on Friday, January 6th, in the Parish House. Dr. Rex Stowers Clements of the Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church was the speaker and Mrs. Shippen Lewis gave a brief review of the books selected by the Church Reading Committee.

The next meeting will be held on Friday, February 3rd, at 10:30 A. M. in the Parish House and will be led by Mrs. Arthur U. Crosby on the subject of "Race Relations".

At the regular meeting in March the topic for discussion will be the Madras Conference. The Lenten series of lectures for the Auxiliary will be given by Dr. Douglas Steere, Professor of Philosophy at Haverford College.

OUR CHURCH DEBT

When our new Church was built in 1928 and 1929, the cost exceeded the funds then available by about one hundred thousand dollars. Your vestry borrowed this amount from banks and the loan has been slowly reduced until it presently stands at just under fifty thousand dollars.

This remaining debt must first be liquidated before our Church can be consecrated. It is our earnest prayer that every man and woman and most of the children of the Parish will have some part, no matter how modest, in the discharge of the debt.

Fifty thousand dollars may sound like a large sum of money—when divided by the number of our members it does not appear at all formidable. Mark this—if every person on the Church rolls gave but twelve cents a day for one year, or six cents a day for two years, the job would be done. Or again, if each of us contributed the price of one ticket to the movies or the cost of two packages of cigarettes each week for two years, we would have raised our fifty thousand dollars.

Naturally those of our members more fortunately situated will wish to give larger amounts, but the joy of accomplishment will really be ours if and when each one of us shall have done his or her bit.

On Monday morning your mail will bring you a booklet briefly setting forth our plan and enclosing a card for your subscription. Will you not consider this appeal quietly and carefully and give to this fine cause what you fairly can?

THE UNITED CAMPAIGN

We wish to bring to the attention of our congregation the subject of the annual United Campaign which will start March 1.

The United Campaign raises funds for 141 city and suburban charitable institutions which in times past appealed individually to the community for funds. Solicitation of funds does involve cost. In the old days, when separate campaigns were held, we understand costs went as high as 50 per cent of what was raised, whereas, under the united appeal, the cost is 5 per cent. This means that nearly 95 cents of every dollar raised is turned over to charitable purposes by the United Campaign. The reason for this is that not one of the 9,000 to 10,000 men and women solicitors is paid for anything whatsoever. They pay all their own expenses, even to the opening campaign dinner and report luncheons, and on top of that contribute, according to their ability to give. Hundreds of clergymen, too, give freely of their time and energies in organizational work, public speaking and other activities. Business, industry and the professions also lend their leaders and their experts to the cause, and the newspapers, radio stations and motion picture theaters donate space and time worth many thousands of dollars.

The first group of charities to unite in one appeal was formed in 1901. Another group organized in 1921. So successful were they in reducing costs and raising efficiency, that they pooled their needs in one major appeal.

And this one appeal for 141 charities is the United Campaign.

PARISH DIRECTORY

JANUARY 1939



ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

East Chestnut Avenue

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Sunday

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9:30 A. M.—Church School.
11:00 A. M.—1st and 3rd Sundays—Holy Communion and Sermon.
2nd, 4th, and 5th Sundays
— Morning Prayer and Sermon.
5:30 P. M.—Evening Prayer.

Thursdays—Holy Communion at 7:30 and 10:00 A. M.

Saints' Days—Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M.

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Rector

REV. GEORGE A. TROWBRIDGE
18 E. Chestnut Avenue
Telephone: Che. 3818

Office Hours: Weekdays — 11:00-12:00 noon at the Rectory, and by appointment.

Curate

REV. ROBERT G. METTERS
St. Paul's Parish House
E. Chestnut Avenue
Telephone: Che. 5780

Office Hours: Weekdays (except Mondays) 11:00-12:00 noon and by appointment.

Church School

Mrs. FRANCIS S. SMYTH, Chairman Church School Executive Committee

Miss MARGARET EARLE, Executive Secretary of the Church School
Office, Parish House
Telephone: Che. 0359

Office Hours: Monday and Saturday mornings from 10:00-12:00 noon and by appointment.

Parish Secretary

MISS RUTH C. KENNEL
Office, Parish House
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CHURCH SCHOOL

Chairman Executive Committee — Mrs. Francis S. Smyth

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PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

The Altar Society

Warden, Mrs. John Andrews Harris, Jr.;
Secretary, Mrs. Joseph R. Carpenter, Jr.;
Treasurer, Mrs. G. A. Huggins.

Men's Bible Class

President, J. Ebert Butterworth; Secretary,
Frank Henry, Treasurer, James Henderson;
Chaplain, Rev. Robert G. Metters.
Meetings, Sundays at 2:15 P. M.

The Girls' Friendly Society

Branch Presidents: Miss Katherine Van
Dusen, Miss Anne Mullikin; Branch
Chairman, Jean Vance; Secretary, Betty
Brunt. Meetings, Mondays at 8:15 P. M.

G. F. S. Candidates

Meetings, Tuesdays at four o'clock.

The Woman's Auxiliary

President, Mrs. Livingston E. Jones. Meet-
ings, first Friday in the month at 10:30
A. M. Every Friday during Lent.

The Woman's Bible Class

Leader, Miss Helen Zebley. Secretary, Mrs.
Charles Roth. Meetings, Sundays at
10:00 A. M. in the Chapel.

The Woman's Friendly Society

Leader, Miss Dorothea Yocom; Treasurer,
Miss Ellen Wilmot; Secretary, Mrs.
George Taylor. Meetings, Wednesday at
8:00 P. M.

The Sewing Guild

Leaders: Mrs. William I. Parry and Mrs.
Randall Chase. Meetings, Wednesdays,
10:30-3:00 with lunch at 12:30 in the
Parish House.

Young People's Society

President, G. Crofton Thompson.

Altar Flower Committee

Chairman, Mrs. H. P. Glendinning, 529 E.
Gravers Lane, Che. 4806.

Boy Scout Troop

Scoutmaster, Samuel Wilmot, Jr., 4931
Germantown Ave., Rit. 3400.

The Parish Chorus

Leader, Myron D. Casner. Meetings 2nd
and 4th Wednesdays at 8:00 P. M. in the
Choir House.

Choir Committee

Chairman: Mrs. Frederic S. Whittaker,
7807 Winston Rd., Che. 0206.

The Girl's Choir

Leader, Mrs. Charles Willing, Hillcrest
Ave., Che. 4128.

THE CHOIR

Crucifers: Edgar Blair, Richard Tudor.
Servers: Samuel Wilmot, Chairman, George
Ayton, Henry Kurtz, Walter Roth,
Thomas Brunt, Leslie Williams, Rudolph
Weber, Robert Kane, George Wilmot,
Jefferson Craig, Robert Wilmot, William
Wilmot.

Choir Rehearsals

Tuesdays at 4:30 P. M.
Wednesdays at 4:30 P. M.
Thursdays at 4:30 P. M.
Fridays at 7:40 P. M.

Trebles

George Adair	Perry Matlack
Robert Ard	Jack Maxson
Robert Armstrong	Fred Oppenlander
Stuart Brolly	Ernest Page
Wesley Bustard	Charles Reeb
William Derr	Richard Robertson
Stephen Hay	Frederick Stevenson
George Huffnagle	John Stewart
James Kerr	Robert Thompson
Alex Knox	William Thompson
Wilmer Knox	Trent Ward
James Little	Robert Williamson

David Wright

Altos

Henry Ayton	Richard Stewart
Thomas Blair	George Lobs
Bartleson Fleu	John Wetherstine
Harvey Scheetz	Nelson Wilson

Tenors

Charles Crossley	Harry Harrison
Louis Dow	Rudolph Weber

Basses

Thomas Johnston	Andrew McCreadie
William Laverell	Robert Morgan
William Wilmot	

Head of Choir Committee:

Mrs. Frederic S. Whittaker

Assistant Choirmaster:

Frank Roth

Organist and Choirmaster:

Myron D. Casner

EPIPHANY

The Epiphany originally commemorated both the birth and the baptism of our Lord — considered mainly as outward symbols of the Incarnation. The finding of the boy Christ in the Temple and the marriage of Cana of Galilee, when our Lord "manifested forth His glory and His disciples believed on Him" were likewise regarded from time immemorial as important elements in the complex of ideas belonging to Epiphany. At a later date the adoration of the Magi, with its lovely pageantry, caught the imagination of the Western Church and for a long period all but monopolized the interest of the faithful. Finally there dawned upon the Church—particularly upon the Anglican Church—the special significance of the fact that the Wise Men were Gentiles and that the manifestation of Christ in the flesh was addressed to all mankind. So at last the materials were assembled for the great missionary festival which we keep today.

To all intents and purposes we are of one mind with other parts of the West in appreciating what one might call the pictorial aspects of the feast. The crib itself reminds us that one of the kings was dark of hue, and we begin at once to think of "missions" in conventional terms: as an influence diffused throughout the world and among all races of mankind. Familiar as it is, this conventionalized picture of

"missions" is a noble conception. It sounds the note of the Catholic and universal, of the far-flung and the widely loving, which is sadly needed in these days of racial and political sectarianism, but it is not a complete nor even an adequate picture. The larger application of the teaching is suggested by the world-wide vision implied in the inclusion of the Gentiles in the one Body of the faithful, regarded by St. Paul as a "mystery" of the utmost dignity, and the privilege of sharing in it as something foreseen and planned in God's eternal purpose. Here is a joyous breaking of all bonds, a transcending of local and provincial, even of national and racial loyalties in the one inclusive loyalty to God's family in Christ. We look from our limitations to His infinite resources, from our antipathies to His generous love for all His creatures, from our brief moments of accepted responsibility to the everlasting destiny that He has revealed—and our heart is lifted up, our will is strengthened by the sheer largeness of the vision, our affections are warmed by a sense of the universal brotherhood which finds fulfilment in the divine Fatherhood. It is the story of the star and of the faithful following of the star by men who, after all, are our brethren that gives the tone and sets the standard of all Christian propaganda.

Excerpt from "The Living Church"
issue of January 4, 1939.

CHRISTMAS

The Christmas services at St. Paul's this year were marked by great beauty and real devotion. During the past few years there has been an increased interest in the celebration of Christmas Day. This year more than 1450 people participated in the various services and 650 members of the parish made their Communion.

The many people who attended the service for children at 9:30 were deeply impressed by its simplicity and beauty. We are indeed grateful to Mrs. Charles Willing who directed the remarkably effective tableau and to the Sewing Guild which was responsible for the making of the costumes. One of the most inspiring services of the day was the Candle-light Service at 5:30 which had been arranged by the Young People's Group.

The offerings on Christmas Day amounted to \$691.41 and will be used in carrying on the parish work.

BISHOP PEABODY

The Rt. Rev. Malcolm E. Peabody will return to St. Paul's and participate in the services on January 29th. It will be a great pleasure to have him with us again.

RECEPTION

An important event in our parish life will be a reception given by the

Vestry for Mr. and Mrs. George A. Trowbridge on January 10th from 8-9:30 P. M. in the Parish House. This occasion will offer an opportunity for the members of the parish to become better acquainted with one another as well as to meet the new Rector and his wife.

JANUARY KALENDAR

- 1 Circumcision
 - 6 Epiphany
 - 8 1st Sunday after Epiphany
 - 15 2nd Sunday after Epiphany
 - 22 3rd Sunday after Epiphany
 - 25 St. Paul
 - 29 4th Sunday after Epiphany
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PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Thomas Latimer Lawson
Daniel Blain

Burials

Elizabeth Davies
Annie W. Craig

EMPLOYMENT

If you have employment needs, phone the Parish Office, Che. 0359.

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1st, 3rd—Holy Communion	11 A. M.	Thursdays—Holy Communion,	
2nd, 4th, 5th—Morning Prayer, Sermon,			7.30 and 10 A. M.
	11 A. M.	Saints' Days—Holy Communion,	7.30 A. M.
Church School	9.30 A. M.		

The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

Rector: Rev. George A. Trowbridge, 18 E. Chestnut Ave. (Che. 3818)

Curate: Rev. Robert G. Metters, Parish House (Che. 5780)

Parish Offices, Che. 0359

ON OBSERVING LENT

It would be very unnatural to expect Lent to have the same meaning for every individual. Each one of us has progressed differently along the road of Christian discipleship nor do we necessarily adopt the same method of expressing our devotion. To some, whose efforts towards leading a more Christian way of life are of recent origin, the reading of one or two worth while religious books during this season would represent a commendable advance in the right direction. Others, who have passed beyond the stage of quickened interest, will discover the need of more prayer and a more ordered life if they are to continue in the footsteps of their Master. Still others may have doubts or difficulties to overcome demanding discipline of the will or the curbing of some ingrown selfishness. No two people will approach Lent with exactly the same needs. But to every one of us it presents the same message. "Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place and rest awhile." It is a rest not in the sense of making no effort—but in the sense of freedom from the usual cares and interruptions of our all too worldly lives.

Lent is a time for withdrawal from such activities as we can well dispense with—in order that we may find more time to give to influences which deepen and give expression to the real purpose of our lives. For often it is a case of "not being able to see the wood for the trees." We are too much engrossed in worldliness to recognize that it is worldliness that is engrossing us. We need, every one of us to get away from the usual routine of our lives and substitute during some part of each day and each week new influences towards higher and nobler living. It may take the form as I have said, of more reading, of more prayer, or more regular attendance at the Holy Communion, or more effort towards helping others—whatever it is, and I wish it might be all of these—let it be done with singleness of purpose and a certain joy in believing that "God is faithful, through Whom we are called into the fellowship of His Son, Jesus Christ."

May God be with us during this Lent! May we be with God!

G. A. T.

Organization Notes

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

(This is the fourth of a series of articles on the Church School.)

The Eighth Grade or Confirmation Class

There are thirty girls and boys in this group. Their classes began on Sunday, October 2nd, and will continue through the Church School year. The title of this course is "Church Membership." This class usually attends the 9:30 Service in the Church each Sunday, but on occasions for the purpose of their training in Church Membership, they attend the eight o'clock Service of Holy Communion, or the eleven o'clock Service. So far the boys and girls have studied a unit on "How we become Church Members;" one on "The Lord's Prayer," and one on the "Holy Communion Service." They are now headed for some work and thinking on "Our Church in the World;" "The Creed: How it grew and what it means;" "The Catechism and its meaning" and "Personal Religion."

On Sunday, January 22nd, the Class went on a pilgrimage to a church where considerable ritual is used, in order to observe the richness and variety of expression which our Church provides. On Sunday, January 29th, Bishop Peabody visited the Class and he will return for Confirmation in May. On Sunday, February 5th, the class will meet with Mr. Casner, our organist, in the chancel of the church at 10:00 A.M. for a talk on "Worship Music" with demonstrations on the organ.

The teachers of this class are the Rector, the Curate, Mr. George M. Dallas and Mrs. George M. Dallas.

Dorothy G. Butterworth
Supervisor-Junior High School

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Program

Feb. 6th—Covered Dish Supper—
Mrs. Harris—speaker.

10th—"Dance and Card
Party" 60c a couple.

13th—No meeting.

15th—School of Religion—
Speaker: Dean Russell
Wicks of Princeton
University. In the
Church at 8:00 P.M.

20th—Trip to Planetarium.
Meet at Parish House
7:30 P.M.

27th—Folk Dancing with
Miss Kennell.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The special Lenten feature for the Woman's Auxiliary program will be a series of four lectures by Dr. Douglas V. Steere of the Society of Friends, Associate Professor of Philosophy at Haverford College, and this year Summer Director at Pendle Hill. His two recent books "Prayer and Worship" and "Purity of Heart" are outstanding works on the devotional life. Dr. Steere is much in demand as a conference leader in young people's work. His lectures will deal with four aspects of the problem "How Can Christians become more Christian." To hear Dr. Steere is an unusual opportunity. As last year, members of other churches are invited to these meetings. The lectures are at 3:30 in the afternoon:

February 28th—Tuesday
March 8th—Wednesday
March 14th—Tuesday
March 21st—Tuesday

Tea will be served at 4:30 P.M.

The Lenten Study Group led by Mrs. Thomas Harris will meet in the Parish House at 10:30 to 11:30 every Friday morning during Lent, except March 3rd. The subject: India, will be especially interesting after the Post Madras Conference on February 9th and 10th which no one should miss.

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MARCH 3rd—10:30 A.M.—Regular meeting of the Auxiliary. Discussion of the Post Madras Conference, and an address by Mrs. Grafton R. Burke, of Alaska.

OUR CHURCH DEBT

When our new Church was built in 1928 and 1929, the cost exceeded the funds then available by about one hundred thousand dollars. Your vestry borrowed this amount from banks and the loan has been slowly reduced until it presently stands at just under fifty thousand dollars.

This remaining debt must first be liquidated before our Church can be consecrated. It is our earnest prayer that every man and woman and most of the children of the Parish will have some part, no matter how modest, in the discharge of the debt.

Fifty thousand dollars may sound like a large sum of money—when divided by the number of our members it does not appear at all formidable. Mark this—if every person on the Church rolls gave but twelve cents a day for one year, or six cents a day for two years, the job would be done. Or again, if each of us contributed the price of one ticket to the movies or the cost of two packages of cigarettes each week for two years, we would have raised our fifty thousand dollars.

Naturally those of our members more fortunately situated will wish to give larger amounts, but the joy of accomplishment will really be ours if and when each one of us shall have done his or her bit.

On Monday morning your mail will bring you a booklet briefly setting forth our plan and enclosing a card for your subscription. Will you not consider this appeal quietly and carefully and give to this fine cause what you fairly can?

THE UNITED CAMPAIGN

We wish to bring to the attention of our congregation the subject of the annual United Campaign which will start March 1.

The United Campaign raises funds for 141 city and suburban charitable institutions which in times past appealed individually to the community for funds. Solicitation of funds does involve cost. In the old days, when separate campaigns were held, we understand costs went as high as 50 per cent of what was raised, whereas, under the united appeal, the cost is 5 per cent. This means that nearly 95 cents of every dollar raised is turned over to charitable purposes by the United Campaign. The reason for this is that not one of the 9,000 to 10,000 men and women solicitors is paid for anything whatsoever. They pay all their own expenses, even to the opening campaign dinner and report luncheons, and on top of that contribute, according to their ability to give. Hundreds of clergymen, too, give freely of their time and energies in organizational work, public speaking and other activities. Business, industry and the professions also lend their leaders and their experts to the cause, and the newspapers, radio stations and motion picture theaters donate space and time worth many thousands of dollars.

The first group of charities to unite in one appeal was formed in 1901. Another group organized in 1921. So successful were they in reducing costs and raising efficiency, that they pooled their needs in one major appeal.

And this one appeal for 141 charities is the United Campaign.

THE MADRAS CONFERENCE

The great International Missionary Conference met at Madras, India, in December. Representatives from all the Christian Churches of the world (except the Roman Catholic Church) discussed the problems facing the Church today. In order that Christians everywhere may know what took place at Madras, the topics discussed and the conclusions reached, it is proposed to hold Post Madras conferences throughout the world, led by a team of persons who took part in the Conference. Its members are Professor Gonzalo B. Camargo, a distinguished Mexican leader, Dr. P. C. Hsu of Yenching University, Miss Ila Sircar from India and Dr. Leslie B. Moss, an American and Executive Secretary of the Foreign Missions Conference.

The following meetings are scheduled:

Thursday—February 9th

10:30 A.M. Woman's Meeting—
Holy Trinity Church—19th
and Walnut Sts.

7:45 P.M. Great Youth Meeting—
First Baptist Church
17th and Sansom Sts.

Friday—February 10th

10:30 A.M. Meeting for Women,
leaders and officers of Mis-
sionary Societies—Holy
Trinity Parish House 217
So. 20th St.

4:30 P.M. Students Conference
followed by supper—Mit-
ten Hall—Broad and Berks
Sts.

7:45 P.M. Mass Meeting for
everyone—First Baptist
Church 17th and Sansom
Sts.

THE SEWING GUILD

The Sewing Guild meeting on Wednesday from 10:30 to 3:00 in the Parish House carries on vigorously. This group has members from all the organizations in the parish and a number of younger women, and plays an important part in the life of the parish. They are at present making clothes to

be sent to Labrador and layettes for the local hospitals. Members of the parish are invited to join them and bring their friends. Luncheon is served at 12:30 to all who are present.

ACCOUNTING WARDEN'S REPORT

Enclosed with the Leaflet on a separate sheet is the report of the Accounting Warden for 1938 in summary form. It will be noted that St. Paul's has not only met its pledge but that an additional amount has been collected for this purpose through other channels.

The Rector has always felt the glory of St. Paul's has been its generosity in giving to the work of the Church outside of St. Paul's Parish and hopes there will be just as much response in 1939.

Joshua Ash Pearson

LENT 1939

Lenten Services

SUNDAYS—At the usual hours:
8:00, 9:30, 11:00, 2:15, 5:30

ASH WEDNESDAY — February
22nd

7:30 A.M. Holy Communion

10:00 A.M. Preparation for Lent
—The Rector.

5:30 P.M. Evening Prayer

8:15 P.M. School of Religion

MONDAYS

5:30 P.M. Directed Meditations

TUESDAYS

7:30 A.M. Holy Communion

5:30 P.M. Service for Children
and Parents

WEDNESDAYS

12:00 Noon Service of Prayer
and Music

5:30 P.M. Evening Prayer

8:15 P.M. School of Religion

THURSDAYS

7:30 A.M. Holy Communion

10:00 A.M. Holy Communion

5:30 P.M. Evening Prayer with
hymns and address

FRIDAYS

12:00 Noon Intercessions

5:30 P.M. Evening Prayer and
Litany

SATURDAYS

5:30 P.M. Evening Prayer

LENTEN SCHOOL OF RELIGION

The Lenten School of Religion in which the Presbyterian Church of Chestnut Hill and St. Paul's Church cooperated last year and which was a decided success will continue this year meeting at St. Paul's Church. There will be seven sessions of the school, the first being on Wednesday evening, February 15th, at eight o'clock. For this opening meeting we have planned a great service of worship at which Dr. Robert Russell Wicks of Princeton will speak on the subject "What Life is Like." There will be no class sessions on this opening night but there will be an opportunity for registration following the service.

On Ash Wednesday, February 22nd, and on the six successive Wednesday nights through March 29th there will be regular classes in connection with the school. We are fortunate in having secured some excellent teachers for our courses. The Rev. Cuthbert A. Simpson, Th.D. of the faculty of General Theological Seminary in New York will lecture on "The Fundamentals of Christian Beliefs." There will be a course in the New Testament entitled "Teachings of Jesus on the Way to Life" taught by Dora B. Willson, an instructor in Bible at Pendle Hill.

A course in "Church and Community" will be made interesting with a number of resource leaders. The Rev. A. Meredith MacColl and the Rev. George A. Trowbridge will co-operate as Chairmen for the course. We have especially planned a course in "Christian Love and Marriage" to appeal to youth. The lecturers in this will be supplied by the Marriage Counsel of Philadelphia and the Rev. Robert G. Metters will act as Chairman for the group. This course is restricted to people between the ages of 18 and 25.

At the service following the final session of the classes the great Quaker leader, Rufus Jones, will speak.

It is hoped that many members of both churches will take this fine oppor-

tunity for instruction in the Christian life. Those who were in attendance at the school last year will readily appreciate its great value and we hope that this year even a larger number of people will participate.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

The interdenominational World Day of Prayer will be held as usual the first Friday in Lent, February 24th. This year it will be held in the First Presbyterian Church, 39 W. Cheltenham Ave. There will be two sessions from 11:00 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. and from 1:30 to 3:30 P.M. Further announcement of the details of the program will be given.

ADULT CONFIRMATION

A class for adults who are considering the possibility of Confirmation will begin in the middle of March. We will be glad to have anyone who is considering this step leave their names at the Parish Office. There will be a later notice giving the specific time for these meetings.

FEBRUARY KALENDAR

- 2 Purification B.V.M.
- 5 Septuagesima
- 12 Sexagesima
- 19 Quinquagesima
- 22 Ash Wednesday
- 24 St. Matthias
- 26 1st Sunday in Lent

PARISH REGISTER

Burials

Bertha Roller

EMPLOYMENT

Wanted a position as Companion, social secretary or housekeeper by a middle aged woman, cultured, widely-traveled, and well recommended. Kindly call the Parish Office, CHE. 0359.

REPORT OF ACCOUNTING WARDEN 1938

INCOME

Pledges and Loose Offering for Budget.....	\$34,817.98
Pledges and Loose Offering for Missions.....	13,822.95
Special Contributions for Missions.....	1,993.60
Special Contributions for Budget.....	207.95
April Appeal.....	2,769.50
Endowment Income.....	2,540.50
To Pay Off New Church Loan.....	2,400.00
Rector's Discretionary Fund.....	711.02
Birckhead Fund.....	50.00
Special Loan to amortize Roberts' Properties Mortgage..	9,000.00
Special Loan for Rectory Repairs.....	5,000.00
From Parish Fair for Rectory Repairs.....	900.00
All Other Sources.....	895.05
	\$75,108.55

DISBURSEMENTS

Clergy Salaries and Pension Premiums.....	\$ 8,974.06
Church School Director and Supplies.....	2,950.00
Choir, Salaries, Vestments, New Music, etc.....	6,806.40
Parish Office.....	3,155.37
Care of Property, Sextons, Cleaning, etc.....	3,406.89
Operating Expense, Light and Heat, Repairs.....	2,695.48
Payment Account New Church Loan.....	2,400.00
Interest on New Church Loan.....	2,775.99
Payment on Account Roberts' Properties Loan.....	2,540.50
Interest on Roberts' Properties Loan.....	521.69
Payment on Roberts' Properties Mortgage.....	9,000.00
Taxes	727.13
Insurance	1,007.84
Accounting Warden, Expenses, Clerical Work, Postage and Printing.....	786.00
Altar Guild.....	428.47
Contingent Expenses.....	1,522.51
Missions, Quota.....	13,822.95
For Special Purposes.....	1,993.60
Episcopal, Convention and Sustentation Funds.....	1,552.72
Rector's Discretionary Fund.....	711.02
Toward Rectory Repairs.....	5,900.00
Removing Curate's House.....	450.00
Birckhead Fund.....	50.00
All Other Purposes.....	895.05
Balance 1938 Budget.....	34.88
	\$75,108.55

(OVER)

DETAILS OF MISSIONS ACCOUNT

Paid Direct by Accounting Warden.....	\$13,526.26	
Church School Lenten Offering.....	308.56	
Church School Advent Offering.....	100.11	
Thanksgiving Offering.....	325.69	
Bishop Bricks Fund.....	1.00	
Church Extension Fund.....	568.50	
Woman's Auxiliary		
Foreign Committee.....	313.17	
Colored Committee.....	217.00	
Domestic Committee.....	330.00	
Indians' Hope.....	179.00	
Diocesan Committee.....	185.00	
Total paid by St. Paul's on the \$16,000 pledge to Diocese and General Church	\$16,054.29	\$16,054.29

MISSION PAYMENTS NOT COUNTING ON ST. PAUL'S PLEDGE FOR 1938

Woman's Auxiliary		
Domestic Committee.....	\$ 1.00	
Diocesan Committee.....	35.00	
China Emergency Fund.....	63.25	
Easter Collection for China Emergency Fund	1,684.30	
Diocesan Contributor's Fund.....	3,343.36	
G. F. S.....	17.00	
Community Fund.....	122.50	
City Mission.....	87.00	
Bishop Taitt's Discretionary Fund.....	90.69	
Good Friday Collection for Jerusalem and East Mission.....	152.86	
From the Church School for other missionary purposes.....	172.70	
Total paid by St. Paul's in addition to pledge	5,769.66	\$ 5,769.66
Total for Missions.....		\$21,823.95

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	11 A. M.	Saints' Days—Holy Communion	7.30 A. M.
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A WARNING FOR LENT

"The danger is always present that the worshiper may become occupied with his own states and feelings and be content to have his emotions quickened and elevated in private prayer or in congregational worship, while his will and behavior remain wholly uninfluenced. It is at this point that the modern attack on the life of religion as an evasion of reality carries a sting of truth. We ought to be under no illusions in regard to the extent to which worship may be, and too often is, an escape from the burdens and vexations of life into a world of soothing hopes and transient and ineffective aspirations.

Christian worship when true to its own nature rises above these dangers. It does not consist in the aesthetic contemplation of the universe nor in a flight into an imaginary world in which compensation may be found for the too heavy burdens and trials of this earthly life. It is not a contemplative immersion in Being, or a quietistic denegation of the will, but an active dedication of the will to a God who is overflowingly alive and has positive ends for the world and opens up an immense movement for this same world. Those who have experienced, even on rare occasions, the realities of prayer know that such moments have been the most creative and fruitful in their lives. Worship is adoration issuing in action, and the unity of adoration and action transforms life into a sacrament."

From "The Church and its Function in Society."

By J. H. Oldham

Organization Notes

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

(This is the fifth of a series of articles on the Church School.)

The Seventh Grade

This year the Seventh Grade pupils are studying "The Life of Our Lord." As this part of the Church School is so large we have four sections taught respectively by Mrs. Ralph Herrick, Mrs. William P. Newhall, Mrs. Thomas S. Harris, and Mr. Edward Hay. Typical activities are reading of the Gospels, making maps of the world as it was known during Christ's lifetime, making books of the sayings and teachings of Christ. Mrs. Herrick's class has just completed such a book which is to be sent as a gift to Bishop Peabody. During Lent under the direction of the art instructor, Mr. Harry Harris, Jr., the entire grade hopes to complete four scenes in miniature, of important episodes in Christ's life. In the spring an invitation will be sent to parents and interested friends to visit our exhibit.

Dorothy G. Butterworth,
Supervisor Junior High School

G. F. S. PROGRAM

for

March

- March 6th—Covered Dish Supper.
Mr. and Mrs. Trowbridge and Mr. Metters—Guests.
13th—Combined meeting with Woman's Friendly Society.
Mrs. Thomas Harris, speaker—"India."
20th—Travel Letters.
Sewing
27th—Discussion group on India.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

LENTEN STUDY GROUP every Friday morning during Lent 10:30 to 11:30 in the Parish House. Mrs.

Thomas Harris makes this study of India very delightful.

THE AUXILIARY'S INTER-DENOMINATIONAL LENTEN LECTURES given this year by Dr. Douglas V. Steere of the Society of Friends and Associate Professor of Philosophy at Haverford College, continue on the dates as follows:

Wednesday, March 8th

Tuesday, March 14th

Tuesday, March 21st

3:30 P. M. in the Parish House.

Tea is served at 4:30. We hope that all the women of St. Paul's will attend these lectures not only for the privilege of hearing Dr. Steere but to meet our guests from the other churches of Chestnut Hill.

Those of the Auxiliary expecting to take part in the new social service program will be interested in "The Church, and this Community" section of the School of Religion. Also that on Monday, March 20th, at 8:00 P. M. in the Chestnut Hill Friends' Meeting at 100 E. Mermaid Lane, the Messrs. Herbert and George Bergstrom, Directors of the Bedford Center are talking on "Housing in Philadelphia and Abroad."

THE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

Each year the Bible classes of the Presbyterian Churches: Cedar Park, Cliveden, Flourtown, and Redeemer and St. Paul's have a competition for an attendance record. The late Isaac Starr donated a trophy to stimulate interest in this work. The trophy, a lovely silver plaque, mounted on mahogany, must be won three times for permanent possession. St. Paul's, Redeemer and Cliveden have each won a leg. To make things more interesting Cedar Park is leading this year's race. We invite the men of our congregation to meet with us in the Church each Sunday at 2:15 P. M. You will enjoy Mr. Metter's Lenten lessons.

THE SEWING GUILD

Orders are being taken by the Guild for maid's aprons. Aprons, collars and cuffs \$1.75. Kindly call the Parish Office, Che. 0359. The Guild continues to meet regularly on Wednesdays from 10:30 to 3:00 with luncheon at 12:30. The members attend the special Lenten noon-day service on Wednesdays. Their work at present is concentrated on preparing garments for Labrador, the local hospitals, and St. Barnabas', Kensington. Members of the Parish and their friends are invited to join this important group.

LENTEN SERVICES

SUNDAYS

At the usual hours: 8:00, 9:30, 11:00, 2:15, 5:30.

MONDAYS

5:30 P. M. Directed Meditations.

TUESDAYS

7:30 A. M. Holy Communion.

5:30 P. M. Service for Children and Parents.

WEDNESDAYS

12:00 Noon Service of Prayer and Music.

5:30 P. M. Evening Prayer.

8:15 P. M. School of Religion.

THURSDAYS

7:30 A. M. Holy Communion.

10:00 A. M. Holy Communion.

5:30 P. M. Evening Prayer with hymns and address.

FRIDAYS

12:00 Noon Intercessions.

5:30 P. M. Evening Prayer and Litany.

SATURDAYS

5:30 P. M. Evening Prayer.

EVENING PRAYER

On Sundays during Lent, except March 5th, there will be a brief organ recital preceding the service at which the Curate will give a series of talks on "Prayer."

THE SCHOOL OF RELIGION

The courses in the School of Religion are appealing greatly to the 125 persons who have enrolled. The reports from the members of the classes have been highly favorable and indicate that the school is successfully performing the task of making the various aspects of religion more intelligible. Though it is highly desirable that the students in the school attend the sessions regularly, we will welcome visitors to a single meeting, feeling sure that once they have caught the mood of the school they will desire to continue.

ADULT CONFIRMATION

A class for adults who are considering the possibility of Confirmation will begin in the middle of March. We will be glad to have anyone who is considering this step leave their names at the Parish Office. There will be a later notice giving the specific time for these meetings.

Resignation of Mr. Jackson

The Rector and Vestry regretfully announce the resignation of Albert Atlee Jackson as a member of the Vestry.

Mr. Jackson's health has not permitted him to continue the responsibilities of his office and he had expressed a real and definite desire to be relieved of his duties.

Mr. Jackson had served on the Vestry for eighteen years, having been elected December 7, 1920 and for the past two years had occupied the important and responsible post of Rector's Warden.

He served on a number of committees including the Endowment and Finance Committees.

The Rector and Vestry desire to make public this expression of appreciation for Mr. Jackson's help and wisdom in the administration of the affairs of the Parish and their regret in losing him as a member of the Vestry.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

In accordance with the Charter of Saint Paul's Church, the annual meeting will be held at 5:30 P.M. on Monday, April 17th, 1939, in the Parish House, for the election of Vestrymen to hold office for three years, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Frederic S. Whittaker,
Secretary of the Vestry

MISSION STUDY

The general theme this year for missionary education in this parish and in the General Church is "India." We are endeavoring to make this a parish-wide study and at present it is a topic for consideration by the Woman's Auxiliary, Girls' Friendly Society, and the Church School. Literature on this subject is available in the Parish Library. Three books on India are suggested: "Dinabandhu" by Ruth Seabury, "The Church Takes Root in India" by Basil Matthews, and "Moving Millions," a symposium.

"Something of the needs and opportunities for the Christian Church in India may be gathered from the following excerpt from the sermon preached by Bishop Azariah last October at the consecration of the Anglican Bishop of Travancore and Cochin in St. George's Cathedral in Madras.

'It is essential that we make clear that the task of raising India's neglected classes is not merely a social, educational or economic one, but above all, a moral and spiritual problem. Those who speak in appreciation of the work of the Church among the depressed classes do not often realize this secret of its success—effective service rendered by those who, in addition to the material gifts, have the spiritual means of illuminating their hearts, quickening their spiritual faculties and relating them to a living God and a Saviour from sin.'

'The Church's duty is clear. It must relax in no legitimate endeavour to proclaim Christ to all. It must manfully face all hostility and obstacles that may arise from passing phases of nationalism and patriotism. It must cheerfully nerve itself to meet inconveniences, deprivations and enactments that may prejudicially effect its evangelistic task. It must refuse to be terrified or give room for despair about the future. It must once again assert its trust in Him who is the Alpha and the Omega, the Lord God which is, and which was and which is to come—the Almighty.' "

Quoted from "The Church News"—
February, 1939.

MARCH KALENDAR

- 5 Second Sunday in Lent.
 - 12 Third Sunday in Lent.
 - 19 Fourth Sunday in Lent.
 - 25 Annunciation B.V.M.
 - 26 Fifth (Passion) Sunday in Lent.
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THE PARISH REGISTER

Burials

Maria Louisa Freas
John C. Beagary
Julia Campbell Bolling

Baptism

Ruth Ann Casner

EMPLOYMENT

An exceptionally well-trained and well-recommended chauffeur of many years experience desires a position as chauffeur. Will do gardening and general work. Kindly call Che. 1296 or the Parish Office, Che. 0359.

A middle-aged woman, cultured, widely traveled, and well-recommended, desires a position as Companion, social secretary or housekeeper. Kindly call the Parish Office, Che. 0359.

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Parish Offices, Che. 0359

AFTER LENT — WHAT?

This first Lent and Easter at St. Paul's Church has been a most interesting and enheartening experience to me. There is a strong and vital religion expressing itself in and through the fellowship of our Parish which is quite evident and encouraging to anyone charged with the responsibility of leadership in these matters. You have been more than generous in your support of the few things that I have been able to do since I have come here, and patient regarding the many things which perforce I have left undone these first few months. I have great confidence in the solidarity and genuine effectiveness of this Parish and I look forward to the time when I shall have been here long enough to give more understanding and effective leadership.

With Easter over and good weather coming there will be a temptation I know for many to spend their Sunday mornings out of doors. If this should result in greater attendance at the eight o'clock and nine-thirty services with a consequent falling off at the eleven o'clock service I would not be greatly shocked or surprised or even discouraged. On the contrary it would seem most fitting and natural. There is nothing sacrosanct about the hour of eleven as a time for worship, nor is a sermon a necessary or always vital part of public worship. But if the advent of spring and summer weather means the complete abandonment of public worship on the part of any considerable proportion of our members in favor of secular pursuits however enjoyable or health-giving they may be, then it is definitely cause for alarm. To the person (and there are many of them I know) who says "I can worship God better out of doors" there are two answers. The first is "perhaps you *can*, but *do* you—when you stay away from Church on Sunday morning is it that you may

worship God or more honestly that you may indulge yourself?" And the second is—"even if you *do* worship God out of doors, does it take the place of united corporate worship?" We need the help and encouragement and discipline which comes from a sense of belonging to a Christian fellowship if we are to develop a well-rounded and effective Christian character. No amount of private prayer or nature worship will take the place of regularity of corporate worship on what is still called, but rapidly ceasing to be, the Lord's Day. I am saying this not simply because it is expected of me, but because I veritably believe that *you* need what the Church has to offer quite as much in May, June, July and August, as during the rest of the year, and that to neglect these things (especially the Holy Communion) is perilous to your highest welfare and a definite loss to the advancement of God's Kingdom upon the earth. Change the hour if you wish, that is quite immaterial, but give at least one hour weekly to the worship of God in His Sanctuary. Is that too much to hope for from members of St. Paul's Church? If so, I have misjudged the vitality of your religion.

G. A. T.

THE RECTOR'S WARDEN

On Sunday, March 19th, the Rector announced the appointment of Mr. P. Blair Lee as Rector's Warden to succeed Mr. Albert A. Jackson who recently resigned from the Vestry. Mr. Lee, the President of the Western Saving Fund Society, has been a member of the Vestry since 1931 and is active in such community projects as the United Campaign for which he was Chairman in 1937 and the Chestnut Hill Hospital. He is also a trustee of the Philadelphia Divinity School. We know that this appointment will meet with the enthusiastic approval of the members of the parish.

THE CHURCH GROUNDS

Members of the Parish may wonder what is to be done about the church grounds now that the old rectory has been torn down. The matter has been put in the hands of a committee of women of the parish consisting of Mrs. Joseph P. Sims, Chairman, Mrs. B. Franklin Pepper, Mrs. Frazer Harris, Mrs. Charles Platt, and Mrs. W. Chattin Wetherill, who are now making plans for proper landscaping of the property. Resurfacing and permanent planting will not be done until August which apparently is the approved time for such things, but in the meantime something will be done of a temporary nature to make the property more presentable. We are indebted to this committee for their help both financial and practical in making the surrounds of the Church more beautiful.

G. A. T.

ALTAR VESTMENTS

At the services on Easter Day a new set of white altar vestments was used for the first time. It includes pulpit fall and book markers, burse and veil and two stoles. These exceedingly beautiful things which help make our worship more glorious have been given by a group of interested people, some of the gifts being in memoriam.

SHALL WE PAY OFF THE CHURCH DEBT?

In a letter which has recently been mailed to members of St. Paul's it is reported that (excluding a few small gifts in the debt envelopes) only 80 subscriptions amounting to \$16,117.00 have been received in answer to the appeal made two months ago in connection with the campaign to discharge the Church debt.

Is it possible that only eighty people out of eleven hundred worshippers at St. Paul's really care whether or not the debt which was incurred for the building of the Church is discharged? Is the other 93% content to enjoy the privileges of the Church without assuming its obligations? I cannot believe that this is so. There must be some mistake—some misunderstanding. Do you feel that this is a hard time in which to raise money? We reply—is there ever a propitious moment for the paying off of a debt—will it be any easier a year from now or five years from now? We must begin sometime! Do you feel that it is an obligation which the wealthy should shoulder in favor of the less well-to-do? We reply that St. Paul's belongs to no one group within the Church and that such obligation as exists rightly rests upon us all. As Rector of the Parish I have no intention of allowing it to be presumed that because there are a few wealthy people in the Parish they shall be expected to meet in full or even in large measure the financial burden of the Parish. St. Paul's is not a wealthy Parish just because a few so-called wealthy people contribute to its support, but it is and must ever continue to be, a strong Parish by virtue of the fact that every member is expected to assume his or her proportionate share of the obligations. I would rather see every penny of the money so far subscribed returned to the original givers, and the attempt to pay off the debt abandoned, than to accept a situation in which 93% of our members felt no obligation or no inclination to discharge that debt.

The answer to the question—shall we pay off the Church debt?—rests with you. It will not and cannot be done without your help and cooperation. Won't you make your answer in the form of a contribution proportionate to your means and ability to give mailed to Mr. Joshua Ash Pearson, Accounting Warden, 20 W. Chestnut Avenue, or in an envelope marked for that purpose, placed in the alms basin at one of the services of the Church. Others will do so if you will—let us encourage their giving by giving ourselves.

G. A. T.

CONFIRMATION

The Rt. Rev. Malcolm E. Peabody will return to St. Paul's Parish on May 7th and acting for the Bishop of Pennsylvania, will confirm a class of young people and adults at the 9:30 service. He will preach at this time and will preach again at eleven o'clock. We feel sure that many of the parishioners will want to be present at one or the other of these two occasions.

MEN'S DINNER

Mr. Frazer Harris has been appointed Chairman of the Committee to arrange for a dinner for the men of St. Paul's Parish to be held in the Parish House on Tuesday, May 2nd, at half past six. Further announcement regarding the details for this dinner will be given later but it is hoped that the men of the parish will reserve that date.

Organization Notes

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Friday, April 14, at 10:30 A. M.

A special feature of the April meeting of the Auxiliary will be an address by Mrs. Augustus Trowbridge.

A new Church Periodical Club is now active under Mrs. William I. Parry as Chairman. Kindly telephone Mrs. Parry (Che. 4096) if you would like to take part in this greatly needed work which reaches not only our missionaries but also shut-ins, homes for old people and incurables. Magazines may be left at the Parish House or will be called for.

CARD PARTY

The spring card party and tea to raise money for the work of the Auxiliary will be held as last year at the Studio of Mrs. William Clarke Mason, April 26th, at 2:30 P.M. Plants, candy and cake will be for sale at very moderate prices. If you do not play cards, come to tea. Mrs. Mason's garden is beautiful at this time.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Some members of the Woman's Friendly Society have been helping to make surgical dressings at the Chestnut Hill Hospital on Thursday evenings during Lent. This work will continue every other Wednesday until the end of the season.

A VISITING BISHOP

The Rt. Rev. William Proctor Remington, Bishop of the Missionary District of Eastern Oregon, will be the preacher at the 9:30 service on Sunday, April 16th. Bishop Remington has many friends in St. Paul's who we know will rejoice, as we do, in his coming. He is preaching at Holy Trinity in Philadelphia at eleven o'clock which thus prevents his being here at the later service. The preacher at the eleven o'clock service will be the Rector.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

(This is the sixth of a series of articles on the Church School.)

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY

The Young People's Society is a part of the Church School. It meets every Sunday afternoon (except the first Sunday in the month) at 5:30 for a service of worship. This service is followed by study classes from 6:00 to 7:00 and then the Young People gather for supper which is prepared and served by some of the members of the group.

The first Sunday of each month a corporate Communion is held at the eight o'clock service, following which a breakfast is served to any who wish to remain.

There are three study groups. Y. P. I. made up of boys and girls of freshman and sophomore high school age, has been studying "Housing" with Mr. Harry Harris as leader.

Y. P. II. (junior and senior high school age) has been visiting churches of other communions, as well as other Episcopal churches. Discussions about the services attended are held during class time. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Crouter are the leaders.

Y. P. III. the graduate group, studied Church Symbolism during the first part of the year, and is now deep in study of "The Jewish Situation in the World". The leaders of the graduates are Mr. and Mrs. Francis Smyth.

The organization joined the Young Peoples Fellowship of the Diocese last year and has been active in attending convocation and diocesan meetings.

Plans for the fifth annual fall conference are getting under way. These conferences are usually held over a week end in the latter part of September.

The Young Peoples Society invites any members of the parish who may be interested in joining the group, to visit its meetings at any time.

G. Crofton Thompson, *President*
Margaret W. Smyth, *Supervisor*

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WHITSUNDAY — MAY 28th

"As many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God." We cannot grow in the Christian life by our own effort alone—there is no pulling yourself up by your own boot straps in the spiritual realm any more than in the physical realm. We must receive from a source outside ourselves, just as a plant appropriates sun, air and moisture in order that it may grow. To act as God's sons therefore, we must be led by His Spirit. We cannot fulfill our inheritance if we live apart from Him, uninformed by His Spirit. Whitsunday is one of the great feast days of the Christian Church because it commemorates the day upon which God gave to man in a form more direct and more personal than ever before, the guiding and informing power of His Spirit. If you will look in your prayer book on page 78 you will see there a most excellent and brief description of the effect of this experience upon the disciples, namely "to teach them and to lead them into all the truth, giving them boldness with fervent zeal constantly to preach the Gospel unto all nations" and to bring them "out of darkness and error into the clear light and true knowledge" of God and of His Son Jesus Christ." Out of this experience was born the Christian Church of which you and I are members. It is just that which we need today as individuals and as a Church—to be taught and led into all the truth, to be given boldness with fervent zeal constantly to preach the Gospel unto all nations (something which to our peril we are beginning to lose interest in) and to be led out of darkness and error into the clear light and true knowledge of God and of His Son Jesus Christ. In other words we need to experience the very thing that happened at Pentecost. We cannot create that experience by our own efforts—nor do we need to—"If ye being evil know how to give good gifts unto your children" said Jesus, "how much more shall your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to them that ask him?"

Whitsunday this year happens also to mark the tenth anniversary of the building of our new Church. What more fitting than that we should gather as a great Christian fellowship on that day to render thanks to God for the great benefits that we have received at his hands, to set forth his most worthy praise, and to pray earnestly for the renewing influence of his Holy Spirit that we may enter upon the next ten years of our life as a Parish with an increase of power which comes with being led by the Spirit of God effectively to carry on the work which He has given us as individuals and as a Parish to do. Let us pray on that day as on every day—"O God forasmuch as without Thee we are not able to please thee, mercifully grant that Thy Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts, through Jesus Christ our Lord."

APRIL APPEAL

An April Appeal which occurs always in May is pleasingly reminiscent of Oxford, where May week invariably comes in June. Tradition is strong—we grow accustomed to a name even when it no longer describes accurately what it was originally intended to convey. No matter what name we call it by, however, the object for which the so-called April Appeal is made is vitally important, for it means the fulfillment of our obligations. The fact of the matter is that the Accounting Warden must be a man of faith. We have always raised the amount necessary to meet the requirements of our budget, but never at the first asking. We would welcome the day when our appeal might accomplish this result—it would be a great load off the shoulders of the Finance Committee of the Vestry. But no such miracle has occurred as yet. Consequently it is necessary to inform members of the Parish once again regarding our needs. A letter to that effect is shortly to go out. Will you please justify the Accounting Warden's faith in the good will and loyalty of the Parish by responding promptly and generously to this appeal? If every one will make a little additional effort at this time to lay aside something extra for the Church and send it in as a good will offering or thank offering, we should experience no trouble in realizing the amount that is necessary. But this cannot be accomplished unless *every single member* of the Parish accepts his or her rightful share of the responsibility. It isn't fair, right, or Christian, to expect someone else to do your part for you. It is possible that this leaflet will fall into the hands of some who have not as yet given anything appreciable to the support of the Parish. This is their opportunity to show, by deeds of generosity as well as by words perhaps casually spoken, their actual interest in the maintenance and welfare of the Parish to which they acknowledge they belong. There is a certain miracle in numbers—no one needs to give much if everyone will give something. Think this over and when the appeal comes, I beg of you to give something.

G. A. T.

NEW DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The Rector and Vestry announce with pleasure that Mrs. Thomas L. Harris will be the new Director of Religious Education for the Parish, commencing her duties in September.

Mrs. Harris has had both training and experience for such work. She took her Masters Degree in Religious Education at Teachers' College, Columbia University, and also studied at the Union Theological Seminary in New York. She was Student Secretary in the Young Woman's Christian Association, and for two years was in charge of activities for women and girls at the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church in New York under Dr. Coffin. Since coming to Philadelphia, she has served as Educational Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Harris is well known to many of us, having worked in our Woman's Auxiliary, the Woman's Friendly and Girls' Friendly, and having taught in our Church School. She has been a member of our Church School Executive Committee during the past year.

While the Rector and Vestry have asked Mrs. Harris to serve on a part time basis, and while her work will be particularly with the Church School, she will be available to all groups in the Parish.

We welcome her to the Staff, and feel certain she will help us greatly in our efforts to build a coordinated program of religious education for the whole Parish.

THE FLOWER MISSION

Under the chairmanship of Mrs. Robert Glendinning assisted by Mrs. Charles Cresswell, the Flower Mission will commence its activities for the summer early in June. Those who have flowers or vegetables to give are requested to send them to the Parish House by ten o'clock each Wednesday morning. Small trucks or station wagons are needed for carrying what is donated into the city. Will members of the Parish who can help in this way for perhaps one month during the summer, please notify Mrs. Glendinning? The Mission was a great success last year and much appreciated by the needy and underprivileged people who benefited by it. Let us see to it that there is no falling off in our generosity this year but an even greater response to this very practical manner of caring for the needs and wants of others.

COMMUNION SET

A very beautiful silver Communion set was presented to the Church at Easter for use in taking Communion to those who are sick or unable to attend the services of the Church. The set was given by Mrs. Frazer Harris in memory of her mother Anna Dike Childs. The parish is deeply grateful for this very useful gift.

BISHOP'S VISITATION

The annual visitation to the Parish of the Rt. Rev. Francis M. Taitt, Bishop of Pennsylvania, will occur on Sunday, May 14th. The Bishop will preach at eleven o'clock. We are very happy to welcome him again.

SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION

Due to the fact that Holy Communion will be celebrated on Whitsunday, May 28th, the services of Morning Prayer will be substituted for the Communion service customary on the third Sunday of the month.

NURSES' GRADUATION

On Wednesday evening, May 24th, at 8:30 P.M. the graduation exercises of the nurses of Chestnut Hill Hospital will take place in the Church. St. Paul's is glad to welcome the nurses for the second year. Members of the Parish are invited to attend the graduation.

SECOND ANNUAL CHOIR CONCERT

Tuesday evening, May 23rd, at 8:15, in the Parish Hall, the choir will present a program of motets, madrigals and part songs. The choir will be assisted by soloists, violin, piano and vocal. Tickets, at thirty-five cents, may be obtained from members of the choir, or from the Parish Office.

VESTRY ELECTION

At the annual meeting of the Parish, held April 17th in the Parish House, the following were re-elected Vestrymen for a period of three years: Arthur U. Crosby, Elijah Dallett, Shippen Lewis.

ROGATION SUNDAY

The Sunday preceding Ascension Day is known in the tradition of the Church as Rogation Sunday. At this season of the year the great miracle of new life is being wrought and the earth is crowned with fruit blossoms and robed in new green. It is a time above all when the glory of God shines clear through the wonders of nature. On this day for centuries the Church has marked the coming of Spring with thanksgiving, and in procession through the fields asked the blessing of God on the newly planted crops. At the 9:30 service, May 14th, the Church School and congregation will revive this ancient custom and after a procession on the church grounds will plant a tree, symbolic of the crops and ask God's blessing upon the life in nature round about us.

MEN'S DINNER

A very successful dinner for the men of the Parish was held on Wednesday, May 3rd. A delicious dinner was arranged under the chairmanship of Mr. Frazer Harris and served to about 125 men by the Servers' Guild. Among the guests were many of the clergy of the various churches in the neighborhood. Mr. Blair Lee, acting as toastmaster introduced the three speakers, Mr. Joshua Ash Pearson, Accounting Warden, the Rector, and Dr. William E. Lingelbach, Professor of Modern European History at the University of Pennsylvania, who spoke on the European situation. One of the delightful features of the evening was the excellent singing by the Junior Quartette of the Orpheus Club. Community singing was also enjoyed. Thanks is due to all who helped make this evening so happy. We plan another such dinner on St. Paul's Day, January 25th.

A stimulating basis for Dr. Lingelbach's discussion of the problems confronting the world was the following *Credo*:

"I believe: 1) that *right* is still right despite the apparent dominance of *might*, of armaments and the boastful display of power; 2) that democracy, possibly in a somewhat modified form, with a greater sense for economic security and social justice, will ultimately triumph provided we prevent it from going bankrupt; 3) that some kind of international organization for arbitration and the adjustment of international difficulties is bound to come in this interdependent world; 4) that idealism is still worthwhile, and that without the imaginative faculty human progress is unthinkable; 5) that as between Sir Anthony Eden's idealism and Premier Chamberlain's realism, one needs not be absolutely on one side or the other. Chamberlain is not devoid of all idealism, nor is Eden without a sense of realities. There are dictators in Europe and they cannot be ignored; (Whether some form of enduring compromise with them can be made is a serious question.) 6) that Munich marked the end of the "Era of Versailles"; and 7) that for men who think in terms of permanent values, the present offers a challenge that is without parallel."

ATTENTION PARENTS!

On Sunday, September 17th, we are planning a special service for all the young people in the parish who are about to leave Chestnut Hill for the various schools and colleges. The service will be followed by a luncheon in the Parish Hall. We hope in this way to make clearer the interest of the Parish Church in its young people even though they may be away from it and to indicate the numerous ways in which the schools and colleges are developing the religious interests of their students.

We are anxious to have a complete list of the young people of the parish who are going away for the first time or are returning to school or college. Will parents please cooperate in sending as soon as possible to the parish office the names of such young people and their schools so that we may know to whom invitations should be sent in the fall?

Organization Notes

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

The closing session of the Church School classes will be held on Sunday, June 4th, at the regular hour. The 9:30 services continue throughout the summer, and we hope to have a large attendance of Church School boys and girls at these services.

The graduation of our Church School members will take place on Sunday, May 28th at the 5:30 service.

Office hours for the Church School will be held on Monday mornings from 10-11 until the end of May, and at other times by appointment.

MARGARET W. SMYTH
*Chairman of the Executive
Committee of the Church
School.*

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Society will hold a card party on Friday, May 19th, at the home of Mrs. Robert Williams at 227 E. Highland Avenue at 8:00 P.M. the proceeds of which will go to the work of the Woman's Friendly Society. The closing dinner will be held on Wednesday, May 31st, at seven o'clock, but the members will continue to meet twice a month at the Chestnut Hill Hospital on Wednesday evenings to make surgical dressings throughout the summer.

THE SEWING GUILD

The Sewing Guild held its final meeting for the season on Wednesday, May 10th and will resume its activity in the fall meeting regularly from 10 to 3:00 with luncheon at 12:30 on Wednesdays, and meeting one day a month with the Woman's Auxiliary. The past season has been a most successful one. The Guild has sent clothing to Labrador and St. Barnabas' Mission in Kensington and many layettes to local hospitals. This work constitutes a most valuable part of the Church's activity and usefulness.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary was held on Friday, May 5th at three o'clock in the Parish House. The work this year has been carried on by fourteen committees

whose chairman reported most interestingly. Next season's plans include our new Church Periodical Club, even broader activity for the Sewing Guild, and Mrs. Thomas Harris as Educational Chairman.

We wish most especially to express our appreciation for the great success of the card party. The proceeds (\$545.12) were even greater than last year and will help tremendously with the work of the auxiliary.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Margaret Marie Marsh Roth
Edward Benner Brown
Inez Kempton Dunn
Isabella Ross Higgins
Patricia Ann Wilmot
Elizabeth Ogden Hunter
Leila Cuyler Patterson
Elwood Cadwallader

Burials

Edward W. Brett
Robert Stinson
Susan Bryson Maris

Marriages

Charles Edward Hopkin and Ruth
Claire Kennell
Chester Ingersoll Warren, Jr. and
Anne Scull

Confirmations

John Nivin Aitken, 3rd, Nina
Buzby, Katharine Elizabeth Darrow,
Harriette Murray Earle, Robert
Ferree, Elizabeth Wilshaw Flood, Betty
Henshaw, Patricia Clark Howland,
Edward Joseph Lavino 2nd, Louise
Butterworth Levis, Lorraine Diston
Lukens, George Frederick Oppen-
lander, Maris Welsh Madeira, Evelyn
Nimon, Virginia Randall, Peter Ran-
dall, Robert Andrews Reath, Elizabeth
Anne Rodgers, Dorothy Louise Roth,
Helen Elizabeth Schofield, Grace Price
Scull, Frederick Weber Stevenson,
George Vaughn Strong, Marie
Weightman Tutein, Erwina Ward,
Minturn T. Wright 3rd, Marie Thayer
Zimmermann, Elwood Cadwallader,
Mary H. Cadwallader, Ulric J. Men-
gert, Emily Wharton Nell, Miriam de
Steiguer Peirce, Helen Campion War-
ner, William Donald Warner.

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VOCATION, VACATION AND AVOCATION

Everyone should know the meaning of these words, not only as they are defined for us in the dictionary, but actually in the practical experience of everyday living. There is, or should be, a certain rhythm of life by means of which the sources of human energy are constantly refreshed and renewed. A well-rounded and well integrated life is one in which vocation, vacation and avocation all play their parts and in which each is pursued intelligently and with enthusiasm. It is not intelligent to look upon one's business merely as a means of livelihood. The man who works for wages or profits instead of working in order to render a needed service to society has lost the conception of his work as being a vocation or calling and becomes thereby a slave to his business. If money is his goal then money becomes his master and when money becomes his master even his vacation is spent with a view to getting ahead in business. The dignity of labor is lost when labor (from chief-executive to lowest paid factory worker) ceases to care for the product and thinks only of the profit to be derived therefrom.

An avocation on the other hand, need not, in fact usually does not, have any utilitarian purpose. It is pursued for one's own personal satisfaction and pleasure as a means of diversion. An avocation is quite as important to one's health of mind and body as a vacation. It is an important adjunct of everyday living but particularly so in the later years of one's life when retirement from business or one's profession becomes necessary. Since it cannot be created at will, but grows out of one's natural interests it should be cultivated early. Moreover a man who has an avocation of some sort which he pursues at intervals is better equipped for hard and efficient work than the man who can never become absorbed in anything outside the narrow confines of his business.

One need not argue the value of vacation, especially at this time of year. But a word as to its intelligent use may be in order. The proper manner of employing leisure time is not necessarily to waste it. Merely because one has nothing that one has to do does not mean that one should do nothing. Vacation should be a time for recreation—but recreation not in the sense merely of being amused but in the sense of being re-created. It should be a time for returning to the sources—sources of mental and spiritual as well as of bodily health. There should be time for thought—for quiet unhurried reflection and for prayer. If during the winter you have an active social life, don't fill your vacation with social engagements. Take time to be alone with yourself and with your family.

Learn what it means to meditate and to reflect. Fill your mind with something solid to chew on and give your spirit a chance to grow in the way of holiness. Then will you return from your vacation to your vocation really refreshed and better able to serve your fellow-men with true insight both as to his needs and your capacity to fulfill them.

G. A. T.

SUMMER CONFERENCES

To members of St. Paul's who want training for their work in the parish; to those who have not found their special niche but would be willing to work, if they could find the right task; to those who have special questions they would like answered or problems they would like help in solving, Summer Conferences offer excellent opportunities.

For the first time the diocese of Pennsylvania is having its own Conference. It meets at Ursinus College, June 25th to 30th. This conference is planned for people of all ages and all interests in Church work. There are courses on the Bible, the Prayer Book, Personal Religion, Church History, Social Problems of Our Day, Preparation for Marriage, etc. Conferences on The Church School, The Woman's Auxiliary, The Girls' Friendly Society, Young People's Work, and Men's Work in the Church will be held on each of the five days. This is an elementary Conference designed particularly for those who never have attended conferences before.

The Advanced Conference for the Province of Washington meets again at Sweet Briar, Virginia, July 3-14. Bishop Strider is president of this conference and will be an instructor in the Seminar on Belief. Bishop Peabody is to be Dean of the faculty. The Rev. Gilbert P. Symons, who has prepared a great deal of the Forward Movement material, will be chaplain. Four Seminars will study the Bible, Belief, Action and Education.

Sweet Briar is beautifully situated in the mountains of Virginia and the College offers a touch of Southern hospitality which is very welcome. There are several members of St. Paul's parish who are driving down to the Conference and would be glad to take additional passengers.

Programs for these two conferences and information about transportation may be obtained at the Church Office.

PARISH CALLING

Six months is a long time once you are acclimated—but six months is a very short time in which to get settled in a new house and new surroundings, learn one's way around the streets, and lanes of Philadelphia and Chestnut Hill, get to know and learn to work with the many active groups connected with St. Paul's Church—and enter if only slightly into the community and social activities of Chestnut Hill. At least so it has seemed to me. My time has been fully occupied and yet I have perforce left undone many things that I would have liked to have done. I would have liked by now to have called on every member of St. Paul's Parish. To have done so, however, would have been almost humanly impossible. Actually I have been able to call only on those whom I have been told were unable through sickness or infirmity to attend services at St. Paul's. I hope very soon to be able to extend the range of my calling, but in the meantime please do not think you are being slighted because you have not been called upon. Every member of St. Paul's Parish from the youngest to the oldest is important in my eyes and for my own satisfaction and pleasure, quite apart from any possible sense of duty, I want to get to know as many people as possible as soon as possible. You can help by not thinking I am stupid or purposefully aloof if I fail to recognize you on the street or in the Church.

SUMMER PLANS SERVICES

Sundays:

8:00 A.M.—Holy Communion

9:30 A.M.—Children and Parents' Service

11:00 A.M.—1st and 3rd Sundays—Holy Communion and Sermon 2nd, 4th, and 5th Sundays—Morning Prayer and Sermon.

Thursdays and 'Saints' Days: Holy Communion at 7:30 A.M.

THE STAFF

The Rector will be in charge until July 3rd when he goes on his vacation. Thereafter Mr. Metters will be in charge. The Parish Secretary will be daily in the office until August 6th. Calls during August may be made to Che. 5780. The Rector will return shortly after Labor Day.

SUMMER READING

Summer offers to many opportunities for reading that they may not have at other times. We would suggest that you will find the following books both helpful and interesting:

"Damien and the Leper"—John Farrow (Sheed & Ward)

"A Guide to Understanding the Bible"—H. E. Fosdick (Harper)

"A Labrador Log Book"—Sir Wilfred Grenfell (Little, Brown)

Also biographies such as the Life of John Woolman, Emmet Fox or Sir William Osler.

Always helpful to read or re-read are: "The Confessions of St. Augustine" or Pascal's "Pensees."

ORGANISTS HOLD CONVENTION

The National Convention of the American Guild of Organists is being held in Philadelphia from June 19th to 23rd. The public is invited to most of the recitals played at various churches in and about Philadelphia presenting such famous organists as Virgil Fox, Edwin Arthur Kraft, and E. Power Biggs. Mr. Frank R. Watson, a member of the Music Committee of our Church, will be one of the principal speakers. A list of the convention events is posted on the book table; further information may be obtained from the organist.

THE FLOWER AND VEGETABLE MISSION

The Mission will open on Wednesday, June 14th. Flowers and vegetables should be delivered to the Parish House before ten o'clock. Mrs. Robert Glendinning, who is chairman again this year, hopes that the response will be as generous as last year and that she may have the full cooperation of the members of the parish in this valuable work.

STUDENT LIST

Invitations will be issued to all the young people in the parish known to us who are going away to school or college to attend a special service on Sunday, September 17th. We are anxious to have a complete list of all students and would appreciate having their names sent to the Parish Office as soon as possible.

A PRAYER FOR VACATION

Loving Father, who didst make the earth so fair; Open our eyes to see its wonders and our hearts to feel its beauty. In our days of refreshment and recreation draw us nearer to thee through the things which thou hast made.

Calm our fretful spirits. Deepen the current of our shallow lives. Renew in us our faith and courage, physical strength, and spiritual vision, that we may go back to the world and its duties, stronger, and thus become more worthy messengers of thy love and goodness.

We ask if for thy dear Son's sake, Jesus Christ our Lord Amen.

Organization Notes

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

The members of the Executive Committee for 1939-'40 are:

Mrs. J. E. Butterworth
Mrs. Arthur U. Crosby
Mrs. George M. Dallas
Mrs. J. S. Disston, Jr.
Mrs. J. Howell Healy
Mrs. Lewis N. Lukens, Jr.
Mrs. Minturn Wright, Jr.
Miss Helen M. Zebley, *Secretary*
Miss Margaret Earle, *Chairman*
Mrs. T. L. Harris, *Director*

Rev. Geo. A. Trowbridge, and the
Rev. Robert G. Metters, *ex-officio*

Since January 1st the Church School has made contributions as follows:

St. Christopher's Mission	\$100.11
American Committee for Christian German Refugees	5.59
Lenten Offering	238.80
Bishop Peabody offering at service of Confirmation	65.63
Vacation Schools	62.47
Scholarships at Summer Conferences	25.00
Missionary Deficit	10.00

After Bishop Remington preached, telling of the deficit in the General Church Budget, the girls in the Church School Choir held a fudge and flower sale, and raised \$10.00. We hope to be able to turn over about \$250.00 to the Church funds. The Church School books for the year 1938-39 have not been closed, as the Leaflet goes to print.

Respectfully submitted,
Margaret Earle, Treas.

THE WOMAN'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

It is a pleasure to announce that the Cake and Candy Sale held in May made it possible for the Woman's Friendly Society to contribute fifty dollars toward the Church Debt. The final meeting was held the 31st of May with a supper at which Mrs. Livingston Jones gave a very inspiring talk on the responsibility of each woman in the Church to do her part. Four large cartons have been sent to Sister Horner in Pine Ridge Agency, South Dakota, filled with clothing and many other useful articles some of which were contributed by the Girls' Friendly

Society and the Sewing Guild.

On November 9th the Society will hold a Rummage Sale for the benefit of its work. Will everyone kindly save rummage which can be left in the Parish House November 1st. Then watch for further information in the Parish Leaflet and the Sunday notices.

THE WOMAN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Class completed its study of "The Lord's Prayer" and closed its sessions the end of May. They will resume their activity in the fall.

DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Members of our Church School between the ages of four to fourteen are invited to attend the daily Vacation Bible School at the Presbyterian Church, Rex and Germantown Aves., beginning June 26th for three weeks from 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon, on Mondays to Fridays.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE

The annual fall conference of the Young People's Society will be held at Camp Tinicum, Ottsville, Bucks County, Pa., September 22, 23, 24. The Conference will begin on Friday evening and continue through Sunday afternoon. The subject will be "A Christian Community in the Modern World" led by Rev. George A. Trowbridge. The society invites all young people in the parish to attend.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Society closed the season with a picnic in the Wissahickon on Monday evening, June 5th. On June 17th and 18th a number of the girls will go to the Holiday House at Cape May for a retreat.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Walter Heulings Lippincott, Jr.

Burials

George McElhinney

EMPLOYMENT

The Parish Secretary has a list of capable young men, members of the parish, who wish employment doing driving and general utility work during the summer. Also a number of well recommended women who wish work as companions, child nurses, and in domestic service. Kindly apply to the Parish Office, Che. 0359.

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PRAYER FOR PEACE

By the Most Rev. Henry St. George Tucker, D.D.

Almighty God, who art the Father of all men upon the earth, most heartily we pray that Thou wilt deliver Thy children from the cruelties of war, and lead all the nations into the way of peace. Teach us to put away all bitterness and misunderstanding both in Church and State; that we, with all the brethren of the Son of Man, may draw together as one comity of peoples, and dwell evermore in the fellowship of that Prince of Peace, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and ever.

Amen.



A CHRISTIAN ATTITUDE IN TIME OF WAR

"We must form opinions and if we remain free men we must express them, but I doubt the wisdom of expressing our opinions publicly on a situation about which we know very little. There are tremendous days ahead—days in which violent opinions, sincerely held, may smash friendships and perhaps even families. My plea therefore is for calm reasonableness. Hold to your opinions, express your opinions if you must, but I beg you to be as calm as possible, as reasonable as possible, as charitable as possible in dealing with those who hold contrary views . . . The greatest contribution we can make is to see that America remains reasonably sane in a world gone mad. There is a God. He has a purpose for this world, revealed to men in the life and teachings of Jesus Christ. And that Divine Society for which He lived and died will come, one day, to this earth with power and great glory, appearances to the contrary notwithstanding. Be calm; be reasonable; be charitable, never wavering in your belief in a good and just God."

WILLIAM B. SPOFFORD

—from "The Witness" September 14, 1939.

ORGANIZATION NOTES

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Office Hours

Director of Religious Education—Mrs. L. R. Harris.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 9:00 A.M.—5:00 P.M.

Secretary—Miss Helen M. Zebley.

Monday, 10:00 A. M.—12:00 Noon

Chairman of Executive Committee—Miss Margaret Earle.

Friday 10:00 A.M.—12:00 Noon.

The Office will be closed on Saturday.

CONFIRMATION

Confirmation preparation at St. Paul's is done through the regular classes of the Church School. There are two classes whose members are eligible for Confirmation this year, the Seventh and Eighth Grades. Mr. Trowbridge will have four additional sessions with these classes at five o'clock Sunday afternoons November 5-26 inclusive. Mr. Metters will meet with them four Sundays during Lent.

Those wishing to be confirmed are asked to give their names at the Church School Office—the date for Confirmation is January 21st.

Adult candidates for Confirmation are asked to see one of the clergymen by special appointment.

THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

The Woman's United Thank Offering from this Parish will be presented at the ten o'clock service on Thursday, October 5th. The regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held at 10:30 A. M. in the Parish House following this service. The rector will speak at the meeting.

THE SEWING GUILD

The sewing Guild will hold its first meeting on Thursday, October 5th, and is invited to attend the service for the Presentation of the United Thank Offering at 10:00 in the Church and meet with the Woman's Auxiliary afterwards. Lunch will be served at one o'clock for those present. Throughout the year the Guild will meet regularly on Wednesdays from 10:30 A. M. to 3:00 P. M. except on the first Thursday of the month.

UNITED THANK OFFERING WORKER

Sister Horner of Pine Ridge Agency, South Dakota, will speak in the Parish House on Monday evening, October 23rd, at 8:15. She is a U. T. O. missionary and as a result of Mrs. Packard's talk in the Church on September 24th, all the women of the parish will be especially interested to hear her and are most cordially invited to attend this meeting.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Men's Bible Class will hold its first meeting in the Vestry Room of the Parish House on Sunday, October 8th at 2:15 P. M.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The season will open with a covered dish supper on Monday, October 2nd. On October 9th the society will join with the other women of the parish in attending the meeting of the newly organized evening branch of the Auxiliary at which Mrs. Charles Kerley will speak. Miss Frances Arnold, Program Advisor of the Girls' Friendly Society, is coming from New York to speak to the group on October 16th. Plans for the remainder of the month will be announced later.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY

Class sessions will be resumed on Sunday, October 8th, following the 5:30 Service of Evening Prayer.

MEETING A NEW NEED

After careful study of the activities of St. Paul's Parish in relation to world problems and in consultation with leaders in the various organizations now existing, I have come to the conclusion that there is a definite place and need at St. Paul's for an Evening Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary. There are many women in our Parish who because of employment in business or for other reasons are prevented from taking part in the three-fold program (education, work and worship) of the morning branch of the Woman's Auxiliary who we feel would welcome an opportunity of meeting together as an Evening Branch. While two evening organizations already exist and are doing splendid work (the Girls' Friendly Society and the Woman's Friendly) their activities are limited to specialized fields which do not have the same universal program as does the work of the Auxiliary. Therefore, at the request of the leaders with whom I have consulted, and purely as a temporary measure for the purpose of organization I have asked Mrs. Trowbridge to act as Chairman and to proceed to the establishment of an Evening Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary. I appeal to the women of our Parish who are not now affiliated with any existing organization to give her the support which a venture of this sort requires if it is to be successful.

The retiring President of the G. F. S. of the Diocese of Pennsylvania has said—"The Church needs and needs badly, a unity of effort and program, a training of new leaders, a new use of youthful energy and enthusiasm. To these the Woman's Auxiliary and the Girls' Friendly Society, working in mutual understanding, can make a contribution to the strength and purpose of women's work in the Church not possible from any other source today." In the spirit of this statement with which I heartily agree, I trust the Girls' Friendly Society and the Woman's Friendly will welcome this new organization not as a competitor but as a further link in the process of enlarging the vision of our work as a whole.

The first meeting will be held in the Parish House on Monday evening, October 9th at 8:15. Mrs. Charles Gilmore Kerley, President of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of New York will be the speaker and officers from the Diocese of Pennsylvania will be present. All women of the Parish who may be interested are asked to come to this first meeting at which further explanation of plans and program will be given.

NATIONAL COMMISSION MEETING

On October 6th to 9th, St. Paul's will have the privilege of acting as host to the Committee on Strategy and Policy of the National Council of which there are twelve members among whom will be our former Rector, Bishop Peabody. We hope to have Bishop Stevens of Los Angeles, the Chairman of the group, as preacher Sunday, October 8th, at eleven o'clock and other members of the Commission we hope will take part in the service.

ELECTION OF VESTRY

At a special meeting of the Vestry held on September 18th, the following members were unanimously elected:

Francis J. Rue, George Willing Pepper, J. Ebert Butterworth, Francis S. Smyth.

A resolution was also passed at the same time putting into effect a rotating system. This is in line with the Vestry's desire to include new members in outlining the work and policies of the Parish.

THE ANNUAL EVERY MEMBER

CANVASS

Last year's experiment of advancing the Canvass period from December to November was so successful that we have now made it a permanent fixture. It has the further advantage of making the period correspond with that in use in the Church generally.

Our permanent Committee has been augmented this year and plans are already being discussed to make the work even more successful than in the past.

The invitation to Canvassers will go out early in October and the Committee takes this opportunity to say to the members of the Parish that a generous acceptance of the call is a tremendous aid in the Committee's preparations. The short period of work will not be burdensome and it is hoped that you will make every effort to help by indicating your prompt acceptance if you are called upon.

ARTHUR U. CROSBY

Chairman Canvass Committee

FRANCIS J. RUE

Vice-Chairman

FRANCIS S. SMYTH

Vice-Chairman

HYMNALS

A recent count shows a great many music hymnals missing from the pews. It was suggested at one time that people study the new hymns at home. We ask that those who might have borrowed them for use at home please look over their shelves, in the hope that they may be returned to the Church where they are now much needed.

EMPLOYMENT

TUTORING is desired by an experienced tutor in advanced or elementary subjects. Kindly call the Parish Office Che. 0359.

The Parish Secretary still has a list of experienced chauffeurs, companions, practical nurses, girls who will stay with children, and people who will do odd jobs. She will be glad to help you with your employment needs if you will call the office, Che. 0359.

OCTOBER KALENDAR

1st	17th	Sunday after Trinity
8th	18th	Sunday after Trinity
15th	19th	Sunday after Trinity
18th		S. Luke
22nd	20th	Sunday after Trinity
28th		S. S. Simon and Jude
29th	21st	Sunday after Trinity

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

It will greatly facilitate the work of the clergy if those who have changed their addresses will notify the Parish Office as soon as possible.

A RUMMAGE SALE

A Rummage Sale will be held on November the 9th. Articles may be left in the Parish Office any time during the week. For further details, see the November Leaflet.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Nancy Vandegrift Roth

Robert Fulton Bole, Jr.

James Gillinder Masland, Jr.

Burials

Isadora E. Kline

Maude T. Binford

George P. Parsons

Ellen Moore Wessels

Albert Atlee Jackson

George A. Maene

Jean Muir Pearson

Marriages

James Emott Caldwell
and

Hannah H. Locke

Albert W. Smart

and

Margaret Anne Brunt
Robinson Marshall Truitt
and

Margaret Dunning Day
Howard Brainard Rowe
and

Doris Caroline Dexter
Reginald Lord Carey
and

Bonnie Burdette
Stanley Elliott Gilbert, Jr.
and

Madeleine Sherborne Potter
Caspar Wister
and

Cynthia Wetherill

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THE RELEVANCE OF THE CHURCH

We recognize that, especially among the younger generation, there are many who are not convinced of the relevance of the Church to the life of the Christian and the spread of the Gospel. We find in many countries those who desire to follow Jesus Christ as their Lord, but do not join in the fellowship of the organized Church, and even more frequently those who, though baptized, do not accept the privileges nor fulfill the duties of membership in the Church. We would ask all Christians who are unaffiliated, or only loosely affiliated to the Church, to consider the following affirmations:

1. In spite of all its past and present failure to live up to its divine mission, the Church is and remains the fellowship to which our Lord has given His promises, and through which He carries forward His purpose for mankind.
2. This fellowship is not merely invisible and ideal, but real and concrete, taking a definite form in history. It is therefore the duty of all disciples of Christ to take their place in a given Christian Church, that is, one of those concrete bodies in which and through which the Universal Church of Christ, the world-wide company of His followers, is seeking to find expression.
3. It is part of the obedience and sacrifice which Jesus Christ demands of us that we accept participation in the humiliation and suffering which membership in the Church may often mean in actual practice.
4. It is indeed precisely when we realize deeply that there is a gulf between the Church as it is and the Church as Jesus Christ desires it that we shall devote ourselves to the task of vitalizing and reforming it from within.

It is the Church and the Church alone which can carry the responsibility of transmitting the Gospel from one generation to another, of preserving its purity, and of proclaiming it to all creatures. It is the Church and the Church alone which can witness to the reality that man belongs to God in Christ with a higher right than that of any earthly institution which may claim his supreme allegiance. It is within the Church and the Church alone that the fellowship of God's people receive together the gifts which He offers to His children in Word and Sacrament.

We may and we should doubt whether the Churches as they are do truly express the mind of Christ, but we may never doubt that Christ has a will for His Church, and that His promises to it hold good. If we desire to live according to that will and to become worthy of those promises we shall accept both the joy and the pain of membership in His Body.

From the Report of the Madras Conference

ORGANIZATION NOTES

EVENING BRANCH — WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The newly organized evening branch of the Woman's Auxiliary will meet on the second Monday of each month at 8:15 P.M. in the Parish House.

The next meeting will be on Monday, November 13th.

The speaker will be Mrs. Francis R. Packard, United Thank Offering Custodian for the Diocese. All women of the Parish are most welcome.

WOMEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Corporate Communion for the Women's Bible Class will be the second Sunday of each month at the 8:00 o'clock service. The first will be November 12th.

THE SEWING GUILD

This group meets regularly from 10:30 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. in the Parish House on Wednesdays except the first Wednesday of the month when it will meet with the Woman's Auxiliary on Friday, and is doing an important piece of work for the Church as well as for hospitals. All women of the Parish who would care to give their time to this valuable service are invited to join them. Luncheon is served to those who are present at one o'clock.

MORNING BRANCH — WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Mid-Monthly Meeting of the Auxiliary under the direction of the Indian Committee will be held on Friday, November 17th at 10:30 A.M. in the Parish House. Moving Pictures of the Church's work among the Indians in New Mexico will be shown by John Burleson, son of Bishop Burleson.

The Bible Study Class under Mrs. Paton is now meeting regularly at the home of Mrs. Livingston Jones, Sunset and Crefeldt Sts., on Wednesday afternoons at three o'clock.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

"The Annual Fall meeting of the Men's Bible Class was held Thursday, October 26th, at 8:15 P.M. in the Parish house. The following officers were elected:

Rt. Rev. Malcolm E. Peabody, *Honorary Chaplain.*

Rev. Robert Metters, *Chaplain.*

J. Ebert Butterworth, *President.*

James M. Henderson, *Treasurer.*

Frank Henry, *Secretary.*

Frank Roth, *Organist.*

Committees appointed include Executive, House, Entertainment. One most important change was decided upon which affected the time of our meeting. Beginning Sunday, November 12th, the class will meet in the Parish house for a lesson at 10 o'clock, instead of our present hour of 2:15. We strongly urge that the members of the class attend the 9:30 service prior to the lesson, at which service our Chaplain, Mr. Metters, will officiate. However, those that find it inconvenient to attend the 9:30 service will be enabled to attend the 11 o'clock service, immediately following the class. We believe that this new arrangement will be better for a majority of the members of the class, and hope it will attract new members to our organization. We cordially extend an invitation to all men of the Parish to meet with us in the study of the Bible."

CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

Those interested in the work of the Church Periodical Club are invited to a meeting in the Parish House on Monday evening, November 27th, at 8:15 o'clock.

Magazines and periodicals may be brought to the Parish House at any time and will be forwarded promptly to people who will enjoy them. Recent magazines are especially welcome.

Two specific appeals received are from the House of Detention for books for children between the ages of 12 and 16, and from Christ Church Hospital, for modern novels. The 75 old ladies there are great readers and greatly enjoy a good novel! If you have any such books that you can spare, we shall be happy to forward them for you.

Sample Christmas cards will be on display and orders taken at the meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary on Friday, November 3rd. I shall be glad to show them by appointment to anyone interested but unable to be at the Auxiliary meeting.

K. P. Van Dusen,

Secretary, CHE. 1547.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Our annual Corporate Communion will be held on Sunday, November 5th, at the 8 o'clock service.

On Monday evening November 20th the Germantown District Conference will be held in St. Paul's Parish House. Supper will be served from 6 to 7, and at 8 o'clock Rev. John R. Hart will speak on "Christian Attitude and Action for World Peace."

Our covered dish supper will be omitted this month and the meetings on November 6th and 13th will be devoted to preparations for the Conference.

There will be no meeting on November 27th.

NOTES

Saturday, November 11th, is Armistice Day. The Church will be open all day and there will be a service of Prayer and Intercession at 10:45 A.M.

November 23rd is Thanksgiving Day. There will be two services in the Church, one at 7:30 A.M. Holy Communion, and at 10:00 o'clock, Morning Prayer and Address. On the Sunday following Thanksgiving Day, November 26th, there will be a festival service of Thanksgiving for the Church School at 9:30 A.M.

November 12th is Offering Sunday. It is requested that those who do not return their pledge cards to the Canvassers should put them on the plate at some service on Offering Sunday, November 12th.

November 19th. The preacher will be the Very Rev. Hughell E. W. Fosbroke, D.D. Dean of the General Theological Seminary in New York.

NEW TELEPHONE SYSTEM

A new system has been installed in the Parish Office whereby inter-communication with the Rectory, Curate's apartment and the Church School Office is possible. This should be a great help to parishioners as it will enable them to reach various members of the staff by calling a single number, CHE. 0359.

THE FLOWER AND VEGETABLE MISSION

On Wednesday, October 18th, the Flower and Vegetable Mission under the effective chairmanship of Mrs. Robert Glendinning and with the able assistance of her committee ended the most successful season of its existence. The following were collected and distributed through St. Barnabas' Church, St. Agnes' House, St. Martha's House and the Lighthouse in the city of Philadelphia: 2543 bunches of flowers, 405 baskets of vegetables, 15 crates of can food and cereals, 16 dozen oranges, 19 bags of vegetables. We wish to thank those who gave so generously from their gardens, and also those who contributed money and services in connection with this Mission.

THE PARISH CANVASS

Today, November 5th, some fifty Canvassers are starting their calls, to include a third of our Parish. They will bring you your pledge card for the 1940 budget. To the remaining two-thirds of the Parish the pledge cards are being mailed.

During the next two autumns the Canvass will include all those not being called on this year. Thus each three years the entire Parish will be visited.

Quite obviously, these calls are more than financial in origin and purpose, and it is hoped that many people will use the occasion to discuss their part in the work of the Church at St. Paul's.

MORTGAGE PLAN OF THE DIOCESE OF PENNSYLVANIA

The Diocese of Pennsylvania has established a plan for the payment of mortgages on Missions and Parishes through life insurance. For details apply to the Church House Office, Spruce 6650.

CHURCH DEBT

Church Debt\$49,000.00

Pledges for 1939-40-41 ... 19,500.00

Balance\$29,500.00

AT HOME

The Rector and Mrs. Trowbridge will be at home to members of the Parish and their friends on Sunday afternoons in November from four until six o'clock.

ARMISTICE DAY PRAYER

O God, who through Thy prophet of old hast foretold a day when the armaments of war shall be **beaten** into the implements of peace; hasten, we beseech Thee, the fulfillment of this Thy most sure promise. Quell the haughty cries of the nations. Let counsels of peace and unity mightily prevail, that we may be speedily delivered from our present confusion into the order and righteousness of Thy Kingdom. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Received by Letter of Transfer

January-October 1939

Sarah Waters Fisher
Alberta Sherron Lewis
Eleanor Brooks Dillenback Mengert
William Wool
Robert Wool
John Wool
Eleanor Gillespie Ritter
Henry S. Ritter
George L. Nicholas, Jr.
Mary Bayard Nicholas
Mary D. Sinkler
Cooper Smith
Gertrude E. Hall
John H. Hall
John H. Hall, Jr.
Margaret Alward Hall
Dr. Nelson Mercer
Sarah Fooks
Lienna Fooks
Rhoda May Henderson
Wohlschlagel
Charlotte Quin Raney
Joseph Fox Tilghman

Virginia Jeanne Reynolds
John Stockton Reynolds
Virginia Louise Humphreys
Margaret Benkert Stulb
John Jacob Saunders

NOVEMBER KALENDAR

1st All Saints' Day
5th 22nd Sunday after Trinity
12th 23rd Sunday after Trinity
19th 24th Sunday after Trinity
23rd Thanksgiving Day
26th Sunday before Advent
30th St. Andrew

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

George Reath, Jr.

Confirmation

The Bishop will be in the Parish for Confirmation Sunday, January 21st. Any Adults who are considering Confirmation, should make an appointment to see one of the Clergy immediately.

Burials

Thomas Henry Lawn

St. Paul's Leaflet

"What Wilt Thou Have Me To Do?"

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CHESTNUT HILL, PHILADELPHIA, DECEMBER, 1939

No. 9

SERVICES

Sundays—Holy Communion	8 A. M.	Evening Prayer	5.30 P. M.
1st, 3rd—Holy Communion	11 A. M.	Thursdays—Holy Communion,	
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	11 A. M.	Saints' Days—Holy Communion	7.30 A. M.
Church School	9.30 A. M.		

The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

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Curate: Rev. Robert G. Metters, Parish House

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CHRISTMAS 1939

Whatever else Christmas means, it is above all the entrance into this world of a perfect life. The Incarnation may have other meanings and interpretations in the realm of Theology, but in the field of practical Christian living it means this—that once there lived a man who dared to pattern His whole life after the dictates of God; once there lived one who was found worthy to be filled with the Spirit of God. In Him God for the first time became completely understandable to the world of men. Mankind could say with conviction and assurance, "God is like Jesus."

All our joy and all our merriment takes its rise from this fact. Life is joyous and not tragic because we are the Sons of God and our heritage is not lost. We can be merry because we know that good will eventually overcome evil and love is stronger than hate. The whole world thrills with the glorious assurance that God has made Himself known to us in the life of Jesus of Nazareth. Start with this fact and all life becomes an adventure and human existence is touched with eternal significance. We have both the goal and the means of attaining that goal before us. Our purpose is that God may become incarnate in us. We have in the leadership of Jesus Christ a perfect example of how this may become a fact.

A PRAYER FOR CHRISTMAS

Gracious God, Who in the divine mystery of Bethlehem, hast entered into our life in glorious splendor, may the spirit of Christ be born anew in us. May our hearts be filled with the joy of His coming. May we hear heavenly music above the din of strife and war. May Thy guiding star bring us into ways of peace, goodwill and blessedness.

In spite of all evidence to the contrary, may Christmas renew our faith that Love is the supreme power in the world, and may the joy of Christmas remain with us always. Amen.

Organization Notes

EVENING AUXILIARY

The Supply Committee of the Evening Woman's Auxiliary will hold its next meeting Wednesday evening, December 6th, at 8:15. At this meeting a box for Sister Horner of Pine Ridge Agency, South Dakota will be packed. Contributions of old muslin for use in sickness, materials for fancy work, games for the Community Room, sweaters, dress materials, good second-hand clothing for children, patches of materials for making quilts, beads and necklaces will be most welcome and can be left at the Parish Office before December 6th.

The regular meeting of the Evening Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held on Monday evening, December 11th, in the Parish House at 8:15. Mrs. Edward Ingersoll will be the speaker.

THE SEWING GUILD

The Guild continues to meet regularly from 10:30 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. on Wednesdays in the Parish House. All women of the Parish are invited to join in this important work. Luncheon is served at one o'clock.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Mid-Monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held on Friday, December 15th, at 10:30 A.M. in the Parish House and will be in charge of the Social Service Committee. Christmas stockings will be filled for the Bethesda Home, Consumptive Home and Harrison Home.

The regular monthly meeting will be held on Friday, January 5th in the Parish House at 10:30 A.M. Subject: The Refugees. Speaker to be announced later.

GIRL'S FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Most of our plans for December center around our annual Christmas Party at the Chapel of the Transfiguration, to be held this year on Monday, December 18th. We shall be busy purchasing and wrapping gifts, and the younger members are planning a short program and entertainment to be given at the party.

HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Because we believe that the service of Holy Communion is the central act of worship in the Church and that the Church School should train its students for participation in all the essentials of Church life, the Executive Committee of the Church School has agreed for this year upon a policy by which Holy Communion will be celebrated for the Church School at 9:30 a.m. on the 2nd Sunday of each month. We ask parents to help us make this venture a significant part of our worship services and also would appreciate their comments at the end of the year concerning its effect. This service is intended for every member above the 3rd Grade, although only those who are confirmed will be expected to make their communions. There will be considerable instruction given at this time and an opportunity for the children to learn what this important service means by participation in it.

All adults will appreciate the value of attendance with their children at the Communion Service but will also realize the considerable hardship forced upon the children if there are a great number of Communions made. As far as possible the opportunity for communion which other services offer—should be utilized by adults who are not on the Church School staff. The first of these services of Holy Communion for the Church School will be on December 10th, at 9:30.

RUMMAGE SALE

The committee of women who planned for the sale wish to express their most heartfelt thanks to all those who helped make it so successful. The sale brought in \$200.00 which has been distributed to various objects inside and outside the church.

The Woman's Friendly under whose auspices the sale was held has now joined The Evening Woman's Auxiliary.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The class has been meeting in the Parish House at 10 A.M. since November 12th. This change in the hour from 2:15 P.M. is proving increasingly popular as shown by our attendance records. All men of the parish are welcome to come and bring their friends.

The hour is really ideal. If you have children in the church school, attend the 9:30 service with them, remain for Bible class and be ready to take them home afterwards.

Others may prefer to join with us for the class and then adjourn to 11 o'clock Morning Prayer.

In either case we will be glad to see you. The subject for our study is "The Teachings of Jesus."

Resignation of Mr. Wagner

The Rector and Vestry announce with regret the resignation of Joseph Wood Wagner as a member of the Vestry.

Mr. Wagner was elected a member on January 26, 1920, and had thus completed nearly twenty years of service, when in November he expressed a very real and definite desire to be relieved of the responsibilities of his office.

Mr. Wagner has represented the Parish on a number of occasions as a delegate to the Dioscean Convention, and served on a number of important committees of the Vestry, one of these committees being the one whose deliberations resulted in the selection of our present Rector.

The Rector and Vestry desire to go on record as expressing their very genuine appreciation for the help which Mr. Wagner always so generously gave in the administration of the affairs of St. Paul's, and their deep regret that he felt it necessary to give up his post on the Vestry.

OFFERTORY COMMITTEE

The following members of the Vestry will serve on the Offertory Committee for December: Messrs. G. Willing Pepper, Francis S. Smyth, W. Chatten Wetherill, and Frederic S. Whittaker.

CHRISTMAS

Services

CHRISTMAS EVE

December 24th

5:30 P.M.—Evening Prayer with Carols.

11:00 P.M.—Holy Communion with Carols.

(Between 10:30-12:00 P.M. a group of the Young People's Fellowship will portray the Nativity scene out-of-doors on the north side of the Church.)

CHRISTMAS DAY

December 25th

8:00 A.M.—Holy Communion.

9:30 A.M.—Morning Prayer with Carols and Tableau.

11:00 A.M.—Te Deum, Holy Communion and Sermon.

CHRISTMAS FOR THE CHURCH SCHOOL

There will be no Church School on Sunday, December 24th. The 9:30 Service of Morning Prayer will be held as usual.

A special Church School service of Morning Prayer with a Christmas tableau will be held Christmas morning at 9:30.

CHRISTMAS BASKETS

There will be a list of names of people in St. Barnabas' Mission, Kensington to whom Christmas baskets may be sent. Tags may be secured also after service on Sundays, December 10th and 17th. Contributions will be most acceptable for coal and clothing. Kindly draw checks to Mrs. B. Franklin Pepper.

THE SCHOOL OF RELIGION

The School of Religion will be held in the Presbyterian Church, Rex and Germantown Aves., beginning Ash Wednesday, February 7th, 1940.

The classes will be arranged so that each person attending may take two courses.

First Period—from 8:15 to 9:05 p.m.

Choice of one:

1. Dr. Samuel Cavert
The Ecumenical Church—4 weeks followed by—
Dr. Cyril Richardson
The Proposed Concordat between the Episcopal and Presbyterian Churches — 2 weeks.
2. Dr. Leicester Lewis
Christian Personalities throughout the ages.
3. A course of Training for Church School Teachers.

Second Period—from 9:10 to 10:00 p.m.

Dr. Douglas Steere—3 weeks
Dr. Thomas R. Kelly—3 weeks
How can Christians be more Christian?

The sessions will close with a short service in Church.

1940 BUDGET

At the time of going to print we are appreciably behind the corresponding date of a year ago, having received pledges of \$35,233. from 800 individuals (including 76 new contributors) contrasted with \$37,862. from 833 individuals a year ago.

Many regular contributors have not been heard from and we hope that those who have not yet sent in their pledges will do so at the earliest possible moment, so that definite knowledge of our 1940 income may be available.

DECEMBER KALENDAR

3rd—First Sunday in Advent.
10th—Second Sunday in Advent.
17th—Third Sunday in Advent.
21st—St. Thomas.
24th—Fourth Sunday in Advent.
25th—Christmas Day.
26th—St. Stephen.
27th—St. John Evangelist.
28th—Holy Innocents.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Robert Charles Stewart
Andrew Wheatley Smyth
Selena Ullom Haines

Marriage

David B. Freed
and
Sophia Thayer Disston
Linnaeus E. Jerden
and
Marion LeBrun

Received by Letter of Transfer

John Walt Roth
Nan Vandergrift Roth
(Mrs. John W.)
Mrs. Mary Townsend Wetherill
Nellie Godwin Stevenson
George Stephen Dow
Francis P. Frazier
Katherine Hunt Fraizer
E. Allen Snape, Jr.

Burials

Francis Patterson Abercrombie

St. Paul's Leaflet

"What Wilt Thou Have Me To Do?"

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CHESTNUT HILL, PHILADELPHIA, JANUARY, 1940

No. 1

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A NEW YEAR'S WISH FOR ST. PAUL'S

That we may be known to strangers as a friendly and cordial Parish.

That the beauty of our Church building may not be a substitute for the beauty of true holiness.

That the purpose of our worship may be to the glory of God and not the glorification or the adulation of ourselves.

That we may never cease to be generous both in our gifts and in our attitudes towards others.

That in this time of world-wide confusion and disorder we may avoid all hatred and prejudice and strive to be true to the ideals and to the Spirit of Jesus Christ our Lord.

That this may be known as a House of Prayer for all people.

PRAYER FOR THE NEW YEAR

We thank thee, O God, for the revelation of thy love made known to us through Jesus Christ—that love from which nothing can separate us, neither life nor death, nor tribulations nor anguish, nor things present, nor things to come; that love by which we are made more than conquerors over every danger and every fear.

O God help us to believe in this love and to trust it utterly, so that we may be made strong and free and glad. As we move forward into the New Year, be thou still our companion and guide. Forgetting the things that are behind, may we press on to the things that are before. May we count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

Organization Notes

THE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

We are meeting regularly every Sunday morning on the stage in the parish hall at 10:10. Our service is one of prayer and study. Currently we are trying to determine 1) Whether Jesus was primarily a teacher, 2) How Jesus taught, 3) The theme of the teaching.

All men are cordially invited to join us for our half-hour together. We have lots of room in which to grow.
J. E. Butterworth

THE MORNING BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Mid-Monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held on Friday, January 19th, at 10:30 A.M. and will be in charge of the Domestic Committee.

THE EVENING BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The next regular meeting of the Evening Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held on Monday, January 8th at 8:15 in the Parish House. The speaker will be Mrs. William Kent.

Mrs. Edgar Allan Poe will show colored movies of her garden trip through England for the benefit of the Evening Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary at the Parish House on Wednesday evening, January 17th. Tickets may be purchased through the Parish Secretary or at the Parish House the night of the performance at 35c each. There will be two showings—one at eight o'clock and one at nine o'clock.

THE SEWING GUILD

The Guild continues to meet regularly from 10:30 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. on Wednesdays in the Parish House. All women of the Parish are invited to join in this important work. Luncheon is served at one o'clock.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

January is Younger Members' Month. On Monday evening, January the 8th at 8:15 P.M. Mrs. Charlton of Christ Church and St. Michael's, Germantown, will conduct the first of a series of special programs for younger members. The meetings for the remainder of the month will be announced later.

THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

The Church Periodical Club is encouraged by the number of people who have taken names of clergymen and missionaries to whom they are forwarding their magazines directly. The Club would like to add others to this list. Kindly call Miss Katharine Van Dusen at CHE. 1547 if you are interested in sending your magazines to someone.

The Club made \$30.00 in the sale of Christmas cards which will be used toward its expenses in expanding the work.

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

The Church School will miss the willing and helpful cooperation of Mrs. Minturn T. Wright, Jr. who has recently moved to Hartford, Connecticut. Her work as Supervisor of the Primary School has been an effective and stimulating aid to our Religious Education program.

OFFERTORY COMMITTEE

The following members of the Vestry will serve on the Offertory Committee for January: Messrs. Livingston Jones, P. Blair Lee, Joshua Ash Pearson, and William Fulton Kurtz.

THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

The Parish Custodian of the United Thank Offering wishes to acknowledge gratefully the receipt of an anonymous offering of twenty-five dollars.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia

PARISH DIRECTORY

JANUARY, 1940

CLERGY

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PARISH ORGANIZATIONS
(With names of Chairmen)

ALTAR GUILD	Mrs. John A. Harris, Jr.	Che. 4818
BRASS CLEANING COMMITTEE	Mrs. H. Albert Holland	Che. 5424
FLOWER COMMITTEE	Mrs. H. P. Glendinning	Che. 4806
SILVER CLEANING COMMITTEE	Mrs. Leonard W. Coleman	Che. 1085
VESTING COMMITTEE	Miss Margaret Earle	Che. 0170
BOY SCOUT TROOP	Samuel Wilmot, Jr.	Vic. 8138
	Friday at 7:00 P.M.	
BOOK COMMITTEE	Mrs. Shippen Lewis	Che. 5049
BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS COMMITTEE	W. Chattin Wetherill	Eve. 0100
CANVASS COMMITTEE	Arthur U. Crosby	Wal. 1500
CHOIR VESTING COMMITTEE	Mrs. Frederic S. Whittaker	Che. 0206
CHURCH SCHOOL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE	Miss Margaret Earle	Che. 0170
	Tuesday 10:00 to 12:00 Noon	
CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB	Miss Katharine P. Van Dusen	Che. 1547
	Fourth Monday at 8:15 P.M.	
FINANCE COMMITTEE	Joshua Ash Pearson	Che. 1122
FLOWER MISSION	Mrs. Robert Glendinning	Che. 4834
GIRLS' CHOIR	Mrs. Charles Willing	Che. 4128
GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY	Miss Katharine P. Van Dusen	Che. 1547
	Monday at 8:15 P.M.	
Candidates	Mrs. William Pattison	
	Tuesday at 4:00 P.M.	
HOSPITAL AUXILIARY EVENING GROUP	Miss Dorothea C. Yocom	Che. 2777
	2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 8:00 P.M.—Chestnut Hill Hospital	
HOUSE COMMITTEE	Mrs. Francis Grant	Che. 0258
LIBRARY COMMITTEE	Miss Dorothy Lammot	Che. 0148
MEN'S BIBLE CLASS	J. Ebert Butterworth	Che. 4986
	Sunday at 10:00 A.M.	
MUSIC COMMITTEE	Arthur U. Crosby	Wal. 1500
SERVERS' GUILD	Samuel Wilmot, Jr.	Vic. 8138
SEWING GUILD	Mrs. Randall Chase	Che. 1648
	Wednesday 10:30 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.	
UNITED THANK OFFERING	Mrs. Frazer Harris	Che. 0101
WOMAN'S AUXILIARY		
Morning Branch	Mrs. Livingston E. Jones	Che. 1525
	First and third Fridays at 10:30 A.M.	
Evening Branch	Mrs. George A. Trowbridge	Che. 3818
	Second Monday at 8:15 P.M.	
YOUNG PEOPLE'S FELLOWSHIP	William Monroe	Ten. 2524
	Sunday at 5:30 P.M.	

ELIJAH DALLETT

At a regular meeting of the Vestry held on December 11th, 1939, the Rector made formal announcement of the death of Mr. Elijah Dallett which occurred on December 1st, 1939.

The Vestry took appropriate action and put in the records of the meeting a minute in recognition of Mr. Dallett's long and faithful service as a member of the Vestry which covered a period of over twenty-five years.

Mr. Dallett had served on many committees and had given valuable aid and advice in connection with the affairs of the Men's Bible Class.

F.S.W.

SCHOOL OF RELIGION

The School of Religion will be held this year on Wednesday evenings during Lent — (February 7th — March 30th) at the Parish House of the Presbyterian Church on Rex Avenue. A description of the courses to be given will be mailed shortly along with a registration blank. We do not believe it is too much to ask members of this Parish to give one night a week during Lent for the purpose of enlarging and deepening their understanding of the Christian religion. Please send your registration blank to the Church Office as soon as possible.

THE CHRISTMAS OFFERING

The offerings on Christmas Day for the work among Refugees amounted to \$925.91. Of this amount \$84.17 was contributed by the Church School and will be used for work among the children of Refugees. Checks have been forwarded to Mr. D. Robert Yarnall, Chairman of the Refugee Section of the Friends Committee to be used wherever in his judgment the emergency is greatest.

The offering this year represents an increase of \$262.35 over the Christmas offering of last year, and will be of tremendous service in the cause for which it is given.

THE WALDENSIAN SOCIETY

The annual meeting and luncheon of the Waldensian Aid Society of Germantown will be held in our parish house on Thursday, January 11th, 1940, at one o'clock. Luncheon, fifty cents. The Rev. Joseph Brunn of New York will be the speaker. Mr. Brunn spent last summer in Italy and is an inspiration to all who hear him. Members of the Parish are cordially invited to attend.

DIOCESAN WINTER CONFERENCE

The Department of Religious Education of the Diocese will hold its Winter Conference on five successive Tuesdays beginning January 16th to February 13th, in the Church House, 202 South 19th Street and Holy Trinity Parish House. There will be three class periods beginning at 5:45, 7:45 and 8:30 P.M. and a wide variety of courses on all phases of the Church. Registration fee \$1.00. For further information, apply to the Parish Office.

THE CHAPEL

Here is a quiet room!
Pause for a little space;
And in the deepening gloom
With hands before thy face,
Pray for God's grace.

Let no unholy thought
Enter thy musing mind;
Things that the world hath wrought—
Unclean—untrue—unkind—
Leave these behind.

Pray for the strength of God,
Strength to obey His plan;
Rise from your knees less clod
Than when your prayer began,
More of a man.

"The Witness of a Wayfarer
to Talbot House"—
Donald Cox

CHRISTMAS BASKETS

We are grateful to Mrs. Franklin Pepper for her splendid work in the distribution of Christmas baskets. She reports that 72 families in St. Barnabas', Kensington and 13 members of the Parish received Christmas dinners this year from St. Paul's, and \$75.00 was sent to the Rev. Albert W. Eastburn for coal. This represents an increase over past years.

RED CROSS EMERGENCY

The Red Cross needs blankets and warm garments for European refugees.

If you would like to send a used blanket, kindly call Fremont 0100, the American Red Cross headquarters, and arrangements will be made to have it called for, cleaned and reconditioned by firms who have volunteered to do it free of charge. Upon receiving the blanket, the driver will give a formal receipt.

If you wish to donate a new blanket, it may be sent to Chapter Headquarters, American Red Cross, 511 N. Broad Street, or if money is sent a blanket will be purchased at wholesale price.

CONFIRMATION

A class of 57 consisting of 34 girls, 18 boys, and 5 adults is being prepared for Confirmation which will be administered at St. Paul's this year by Bishop Taitt on Sunday, January the 21st at the regular 9:30 service. Members of the Parish who can do so are urged to attend this important and always impressive service. Adults may still be received for Confirmation preparation if they will notify the Church Office at once.

THE PARISH CANVASS

At the present time, two months after the Canvass, we have received pledges amounting to about \$1300.00 less than last year. Over one hundred people are still to be heard from, and the Committee would appreciate it greatly if those persons who have not yet sent in pledges would do so in the early part of January, in order that the work may be brought to a close.

JANUARY KALENDAR

- 1st—Circumcision.
- 6th—Epiphany.
- 7th—1st Sunday after Epiphany.
- 14th—2nd Sunday after Epiphany.
- 21st—Septuagesima.
- 25th—St. Paul.
- 28th—Sexagesima.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Robert John Kurtz
Sarah Marshall Latimer
William Pepper Watts, Jr.
Anne Booth Thompson
Elizabeth Hamilton McCandless
Sandra Phyllis Pry
Peter Bigelow Cook

Burials

Elijah Dallett
Wesley C. Beyer
Clement Cresson Kite
Fannie D. Conwell

Received by Letter of Transfer

Harriet King Baird
Martin H. Buehler, 2nd

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1st, 3rd—Holy Communion	11 A. M.	Thursdays—Holy Communion,	
2nd, 4th, 5th—Morning Prayer, Sermon,		7.30 and 10 A. M.	
	11 A. M.	Saints' Days—Holy Communion	7.30 A. M.
Church School	9.30 A. M.		

The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

Rector: Rev. George A. Trowbridge, 18 E. Chestnut Ave.

Curate: Rev. Robert G. Metters, Parish House

Parish Offices, Che. 0359

LENT 1940

Lent comes with a note of deeper significance and greater urgency this year than ever before because of what is happening in Europe and China and other parts of the world today. Walter Lippmann said recently, the war will leave us with a world "which will need a programme of relief, reconstruction and spiritual succour beyond anything ever undertaken in history." The Christian Church can and should contribute in large measure to that moral and spiritual reconstruction which must take place among all nations (our own included) when this war is over. To do this we must begin to lay the foundations now.

We, living quietly here in Chestnut Hill, are far from the scene of conflict. The most constructive and helpful thing we can do surely during the next six weeks is to begin building here among ourselves new attitudes for lasting peace. The course in the School of Religion on "The Church Today as a World Community" conducted by Dr. Samuel Cavert will help towards this and so also will Douglas Steere's course on "The Nurture of the Christian Life." But most important of all is that each one of us rediscover through prayer and worship and study the fundamental basis of our Faith (especially what is meant by the Fatherhood of God, the brotherhood of man and the power of redemptive love) and learn to apply them to the relations of men and of nations, first in our own sphere and then in ever expanding circles of influence.

May this Lent also be a time for constant intercession for peace—remembering in our prayers the suffering, the sorrow and the needs of all mankind of whatever nationality, creed or color.

Organization Notes

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Treasurer's Report for 1939

The Executive Committee of the Church School feel that the membership of the Church would be interested to know that the Church School contributed \$1,217.00 in addition to the envelopes pledged in the regular budget.

Receipts

Loose Offering from	
9:30 Service	\$ 740.52
Primary Envelopes	102.26
Lenten Offering	194.31
Special Offerings	104.14
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	\$1,141.23
Balance January 8, 1939	76.45
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	\$1,217.69

Expenditures

Lenten Offering	\$ 238.80
Bishop Peabody for	
Indian Work	65.63
Diocesan Vacation Schools ..	87.47
Summer Conference	
Scholarships	53.00
The Church Debt	35.46
Missionary Deficit	42.12
St. Paul's Church	248.23
Christmas Box—Cuba	20.00
For St. Elizabeth's Church ..	25.00
Refugee Children	84.17
Diocesan Advent Offering ..	279.81
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	\$1,179.69
Balance January 1, 1940	38.00
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	\$1,217.69

N. B. The Offering at the 9:30 Service is now a part of the general Church Fund and no longer used by the Church School.

LENTEN CHILDREN'S SERVICES

On Thursday afternoons at 4:30 during Lent, the members of the Church School are to conduct services

which they have planned themselves. The parents are urged to cooperate with the school for these services; first, by helping the children feel the importance of setting aside other engagements for one weekday's worship during Lent; secondly, by attending these services with their children so that they may become a time of family worship.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Every Friday Morning in February!

February 9th—11 A. M. to 12 noon —World Day of Prayer Community Service to be held in St. Paul's Church Come and bring your friends.

February 16th and 23rd — 10:30 A. M. — Mission Study led by Mrs. Thomas L. Harris.

Reminder: Monday afternoons in Lent, 5:30 — Meditations led by the Rector.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

February 5th—7:00 P. M. — Covered dish supper, followed by worship service and games.

There will be a worship service in the chapel every Monday during Lent from 8:15 to 8:30. The younger girls are planning interesting and stimulating Lenten programs for their group.

On February 19th and 26th, the older girls will sew for the Community House and will study "Women and the Way."

THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

Twenty-nine persons are now forwarding regularly eighty-two periodicals to clergymen, missionaries, and shut-ins in all parts of the continent, from Manitoba to Alabama, from Massachusetts to Alaska. Any who would like to help in this very worthwhile work are asked to communicate with K. P. Van Dusen, Librarian, 137 West Springfield Ave. Che. 1547.

REPORT OF ACCOUNTING WARDEN 1939

INCOME

Pledges and Loose Offering for Budget	\$35,404.07
Pledges and Loose Offering for Missions	14,880.68
Special Contributions for Missions	1,041.33
Special Contributions for Budget	52.50
April Appeal	3,286.55
Endowment Income	2,501.88
To Pay Off New Church Loan	12,230.74
Rector's Discretionary Fund	592.68
Birkhead Fund	25.00
Special Loan for Rectory Repairs	3,269.25
Balance from 1938 Parish Fair for Rectory Repairs	349.50
Special Contributions to Loan for Rectory Repairs	1,225.00
All Other Sources	173.97
Cash Pledges for 1940 Budget	4,705.20
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	\$79,738.35

DISBURSEMENTS

Clergy Salaries and Pension Premiums	\$ 11,310.00
Church School Director and Supplies	1,627.69
Choir, Salaries, Vestments, New Music, etc.	6,864.08
Parish Office	3,232.91
Care of Property, Sextons, Cleaning, etc.	3,398.06
Operating Expense, Light and Heat, Repairs	3,325.23
Payment Account New Church Loan	12,230.74
Interest on New Church Loan	2,262.96
Payment on Account Roberts' Properties Loan	2,501.88
Interest on Roberts' Properties Loan	681.49
Taxes	436.74
Insurance	980.28
Accounting Warden, Expenses, Clerical Work,	
Postage and Printing	813.18
Altar Guild	435.00
Contingent Expenses	1,125.25
Missions, Quota	14,880.68
Episcopal, Convention and Sustentation Funds	1,587.05
For Special Purposes	1,041.33
Rector's Discretionary Fund	592.68
Birkhead Fund	25.00
Payment and Interest on special loan for	
Rectory Repairs	1,331.85
Toward Rectory Repairs	3,976.91
All Other Purposes	363.97
Cash Balance December 31, 1939	8.19
Cash Pledges for 1940 Budget	4,705.20
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	\$79,738.35

(SEE BACK OF SHEET FOR MISSIONARY PAYMENTS)

DETAILS OF MISSIONS ACCOUNT

Paid Direct by Accounting Warden.....	\$14,242.63
Church School Lenten Offering.....	238.80
Church School Advent Offering.....	279.81
Thanksgiving Offering.....	438.24
Church Extension Fund.....	502.50
Woman's Auxiliary	
Foreign Committee.....	336.02
Domestic Committee.....	368.00
Colored Committee.....	227.00
Diocesan Committee.....	210.00
Indian Hope Association.....	168.00

Total paid by St. Paul's on the \$17,000
pledge to the Diocese and General Church \$17,011.00 \$17,011.00

MISSION PAYMENTS NOT COUNTING ON ST. PAUL'S PLEDGE FOR 1939

Diocesan Contributor's Fund.....	\$ 2,430.00
St. John's House.....	120.00
Seamen's Institute.....	45.00
Deficit—China.....	10.00
Woman's Auxiliary	
Diocesan Committee.....	10.00
Domestic Committee.....	21.00
From the Girl's Friendly Society.....	9.60
Good Friday Collection for American	
Friends Service Committee.....	124.16
For Bishop Tucker—Missionary Deficit...	170.00
From Church School for Bishop Tucker—	
Missionary Deficit.....	42.12
Bishop Taitt's Discretionary Fund.....	46.31
Christmas Collection for the Refugees....	781.74

Total paid by St. Paul's in addition to pledge \$ 3,809.93 \$3,809.93

Total for Missions..... \$20,820.93

(OVER)

1940

LENTEN SERVICES

SUNDAYS—At the usual hours:
8:00, 9:30, 11:00, 5:30.

ASH WEDNESDAY — February
7th.

7:30 A.M. Holy Communion.
10:00 A.M. Preparation for Lent
—The Rector.
5:30 P.M. Evening Prayer.
8:15 P.M. THE SCHOOL OF
RELIGION.

MONDAYS

5:30 P.M. Directed Meditations

TUESDAYS

7:30 A.M. Holy Communion.
12:00 Noon Holy Communion.
5:30 P.M. Evening Prayer and
Litany.

WEDNESDAYS

12:00 Noon Meditation and
Music.
5:30 P.M. Evening Prayer.
8:15 P.M. School of Religion.

THURSDAYS

7:30 A.M. Holy Communion.
10:00 A.M. Holy Communion.
4:30 P.M. Children's Lenten
Service.

FRIDAYS

10:30 A.M. Mission Study Class
in Parish House.
Leader: Mrs. T. L.
Harris. Beginning
February 16th.
12:00 Noon Special Intercessions
for Peace.
5:30 P.M. Evening Prayer,
Hymns and Address

SATURDAYS

5:30 P.M. Evening Prayer.

LENTEN READING

The book list for Lent has been pre-
sented to the Parish after careful pre-
paration and study by the Book Committee
under the able leadership of its chairman,
Mrs. Shippen Lewis. The members of this
committee are: Mrs. Frazer Harris, Mrs.
Ralph Page, Mrs. Welsh Madeira, Miss
Lily Cheston, Mrs. T. L. Harris, Mr. H.
Chace Tatnall, Mr. Edward C. Clay,

Mr. Shippen Lewis and the Rev. George
A. Trowbridge.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

William Focht Roth, Jr.

Burials

Charles T. Cowperthwait
Frederic S. Whittaker
Ruth Emma Henderson

Marriages

John Dick Gardiner
and

Elizabeth Ann Butterworth

Received by Letter of Transfer

George Edward Jungkurth, Lillian
Jungkurth, Dorothy Marino, H. Chace
Tatnall, Robert Bruce Lewis, Alberta
L. Lewis, Bruce L. Lewis.

Confirmation

Donald Terrill Aiman, Katharine
Lorraine Ash, Thomas Gardner Aspin-
wall, Jr., Margery Gundry Baird,
Robert Lower Bast, Anne Davis
Brewster, Martin H. Buehler, 3rd,
James Ebert Butterworth, Jr., Louise
Allderdice Cassard, Elizabeth Clement
Louise Anne Conner, Nina Cooke,
Nancy Breese Dexter, Mary Jane
Durrick, Frances Williams Earhart,
Howard Albert Forbes, Jean Evelyn
Forbes, Mary Davis Franks, Grisella
Chrystie Hall, Maud Elliott Hall,
Barbara Dorothy Hammett, Elizabeth
Anna Hutchinson, Katherine Elizabeth
Joerger, Barbara Louise Leapson,
Cordelia Branch Ludlum, George Mc-
Henry, Mary Louisa McHenry, Linda
Cassard McKoy, Thelma May Mc-
Namee, John Warren Maxson, Jr.,
Anne Lawrence Nicholas, Katherine
Knight Pancoast, N. Allan Pettit, Jr.,
Margaret Eleanor Phillips, Evelyn
Taylor Price, Walter Edwin Rex III,
John Walt Roth, William T. Roth,
Jane Schaefer, Helen Frances Schoble,
Margaret Schoble, Isaac Schofield,
Janet Catharine Sieber, William S.
Taylor III, Letitia L. Wetherill,
Robert Williamson, Anna Hunter
Wright, William Leeds Disston,
Herbert C. Duffy, Eva May Duffy,
Robert Duffy, Beatrice Harber, Wm.
Murray, Dorothy Turner Roth,
Elizabeth Jeanes Tatnall.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The hour for meeting has been returned to its former time of 2:15 p.m. This hour has proved more convenient for the majority of our members.

On January 28th the Interclass Attendance Competition began. It will continue for eight weeks.

The topics for discussion during February are Jesus' Teaching about (1) God, (2) The Righteousness of the Kingdom, (3) The Meaning of the Law of Love, (4) Humility, Sincerity, Courage.

Mr. Metters will lead the class Sunday, February 4th.

EVENING BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The regular monthly meeting will be held in the Parish House, on Monday evening, February 12th, at 8:15 p. m. The Rev. W. Brooke Stabler, Chaplain of the University of Pennsylvania, will talk to the group on their preparation for Lent.

There will be no meeting of the Supply Committee during Lent, but the Hospital Auxiliary will meet as usual the second and fourth Wednesdays.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

On the first Friday in Lent, February 9, 1940, women all over the world will take part in the annual World Day of Prayer.

Chestnut Hill will have a service for all the women of the community in St. Paul's Church from 11 a. m. to 12 o'clock noon. Also, the Church will be open throughout the day for private prayer. Special literature will be available at the door.

AFTER ONE YEAR

Mrs. Trowbridge and I wish to express our heartfelt appreciation for the friendly and cordial way in which we have been received and entertained and made to feel at home by members of St. Paul's and the community. It has made our first year here a most pleasant one and leads us to anticipate with growing pleasure the thought of the years that lie ahead. It is impossible for us to return in kind the many courtesies we have received but we appreciate them none the less.

I personally have been disappointed in the comparatively few calls I have been able to make upon members of the Parish this year—the more so as it is impossible for me to call during Lent except on the sick or the bereaved. However, when spring comes I hope to be able to get about more generally as I do not underestimate the privilege and value to me, of coming to know you in your homes.

G. A. T.

Defeat may serve as well as Victory
To shape the soul and let the glory out.
When the great oak is straining in the
wind
The boughs drink in new beauty, and
the trunk
Sends down a deeper root on the
wind's side.
Only the soul that knows the mighty
grief
Can know the mighty rapture. Sorrows
come
To stretch out places in our hearts for
joy.

—Edwin Markham.

CHANGES IN THE VESTRY

Owing to change of residence from Chestnut Hill to Charleston, 'South Carolina, Mr. Francis J. Rue, felt it necessary to resign as a member of the Vestry.

At a regular meeting held on January 8, 1940, the Rector and Vestry accepted this resignation with the utmost regret.

At the same meeting, Mr. Philip Thornton Dashiell was unanimously elected a member of the Vestry. It is a great satisfaction to have Mr. Dashiell once again a member of the Vestry as he served previously for over fifteen years and has had wide experience in the administration of the affairs of the Parish.

DEATH OF

MR. FREDERIC S. WHITTAKER

Just before going to press, we learn with deep sorrow of the death of Frederic S. Whittaker on Sunday, January 28th, 1940.

He was elected a Member of the Vestry May 9th, 1925, and since May 8th, 1933 has served as its Secretary, endearing himself to his associates and to all with whom he came in contact.

Mr. Whittaker will always be remembered for his unfailing courtesy and conscientious discharge of his duty to St. Paul's and the community at large.

His many friends extend to his family their heartfelt sympathy.

A MEMORIAL

The Rector and Vestry wish to acknowledge with grateful appreciation the generous gift by Mrs. Ford of \$5,500.00 towards the payment of the Church Debt given in loving memory

of her husband and former Vestryman of St. Paul's, Bruce Ford.

THE SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Six Wednesday evenings
at 8:15 P. M.

February 7th—March 13th
at

The Presbyterian Church—Rex Ave.

The importance of the School of Religion to our Educational Program cannot be overestimated. The enthusiastic backing of this project by the entire congregation, is expected. A prompt registration will be helpful to the registrar.

DIOCESAN PREACHING

MISSION

The Commissions on Evangelism and the Forward Movement are sponsoring a Diocesan Preaching Mission on six Thursday evenings in Lent beginning February 8th at eight o'clock at the Church of the Holy Trinity, 19th and Walnut Streets. Bishop Peabody will preach at the first of the series and the men of St. Paul's Choir will sing.

OFFERTORY COMMITTEE

The following members of the Vestry will serve on the Offertory Committee for February: Messrs. J. Ebert Butterworth, Arthur U. Crosby, George M. Dallas and Francis S. Smyth.

FEBRUARY KALENDAR

- 2 Feast of the Purification
 - 4 Quinquagesima
 - 7 Ash Wednesday
 - 11 First Sunday in Lent
 - 18 Second Sunday in Lent
 - 24 S. Matthias
 - 25 Third Sunday in Lent
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St. Paul's Leaflet

"What Wilt Thou Have Me To Do?"

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No. 3

SERVICES

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1st, 3rd—Holy Communion	11 A. M.	Thursdays—Holy Communion,	
2nd, 4th, 5th—Morning Prayer, Sermon,		7.30 and 10 A. M.	
	11 A. M.	Saints' Days—Holy Communion	7.30 A. M.
Church School	9.30 A. M.		

The Church is open throughout the day for private prayer and devotion.

Rector: Rev. George A. Trowbridge, 18 E. Chestnut Ave.

Curate: Rev. Robert G. Metters, Parish House

Parish Offices, Che. 0359

"THAT STRANGE MAN UPON HIS CROSS"

"There was a space in which Jesus was primarily a teacher, but circumstances turned the teacher into a man of action. He was during this time moving through the tangle of political, social, and religious movements and events in his own country and period. As the result of his action a moment arrives when he ceases to be either teacher or man of action, and becomes the sufferer, hanging in his naked manhood on a cross, lifted up clear of the welter and tumult of current politics in church and state, of nationalistic ferment, of apocalyptic hope, of doctrinal and ritual controversy—himself alone, over against that complex of circumstance that had from the first frustrated him and was now doing him to death. It is the irresistible splendor of *personality* revealed in that last hour of shame and anguish—not what he did, but what he *was*—that is the secret of his pre-eminence and the spear-point and the power of the gospel."

From "That Strange Man Upon His Cross"

BY RICHARD ROBERTS

Organization Notes

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

The Church School Executive Committee has recently elected the following new members: Miss Mary McKee Simmons to succeed Mrs. J. Ebert Butterworth, Miss Selena Ullom to succeed Mrs. T. Minturn Wright, Jr.

For next year Mrs. Ralph Herrick and Miss Alice Dashiell have been chosen to take the place of Mrs. Jacob S. Disston, Jr. and Miss Helen Zebley whose terms expire in the system of rotation of membership on the committee.

Lenten Offering

The Lenten Offering of the Church School will go as usual to the general missionary work of the Church. The offering will be presented on Palm Sunday this year. There will be a special service of presentation at 9:30.

Children's Lenten Service

There are only two more Thursday afternoon Lenten Services at 4:30. For those who attend, this has been a genuine experience of worship under the direction and leadership of members of the Church School.

Church School Services

Palm Sunday

9:30 A. M.—Special Service. Presentation of Lenten Offering.

Maundy Thursday

There will be a service of Holy Communion for members of the Church School at 7:30 A. M. Breakfast and transportation to school will be provided for any who notify the office beforehand.

Good Friday

9:30 A. M.—Church School service. Parents are urged to attend.

Easter Day

9:30 A. M. — Service with carols and procession. No class sessions on this day.

Help Finland

The members of Mrs. Healy's class in the Church School are giving a Finnish Day at three o'clock on March 5, at the home of Mrs. George Breed, 429 W. Moreland Avenue. There will be a Doll Show, Contests and pictures. Tea will be served.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

March 8th and 16th—10:30-11:30 A. M.—Mission Study led by Mrs. Thomas L. Harris—offers much interesting material and discussion.

Do not forget the Monday afternoons in Lent—5:30 P. M.—Meditations led by the Rector in the Church.

Wednesday Evenings March 6th and 13th—8:15 P. M. Presbyterian Church—Rex Avenue—School of Religion.

Miss Joy Homer

On Friday, April 5th, (before our next calendar comes out) Miss Joy Homer is to speak of her recent experiences in China. Miss Homer is the daughter of Mme. Louise Homer, as her charm and lovely speaking voice bear evidence. She was sent by the Church Committee on China Relief and went indeed to the very heart of China.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Rev. George A. Trowbridge will conduct the annual Admission Service in the Church on Monday evening, March the 18th at 8:15.

Mission study will be continued during Lent.

THE G. F. S. CANDIDATES

This group meets every Tuesday at 4 o'clock in the Parish House under the leadership of Mrs. Florence Pattison. The program includes a short service led by a member, Lenten sewing, recreation and folk dancing led by Mrs. Hopkin. Girls aged 6 to 14 are invited to join with the group any Tuesday.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

EVENING BRANCH

"The World Mission of the Church" is the topic to be presented at the regular monthly meeting of the Evening Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary on Monday night, March 11 at 8:15. The speaker, Mrs. T. L. Harris, is conducting a Study Class on this subject on Friday mornings during Lent.

This study is based on The Madras Conference, a missionary event of such great international significance that all the women of the Church should know about it. The books "Tragedy Through Triumph" and "Women and The Way" on which this study is based were given out at the last meeting. Mrs. Harris will give a general survey of the background, personnel and significance of the Conference. If there are any women of the parish who have missed the earlier meetings of the Study Class and would like to attend the two remaining sessions on March 8 and 15, they will find this introductory summary of the Conference a great help.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The change to our old meeting time of 2:15 P. M. in the Parish House has had the gratifying result of nearly doubling our attendance.

Our theme of study continues with "The Teachings of Jesus." We are beginning to understand how these lessons may be applied to our daily lives.

All men of the parish and their friends are welcome.

THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

Any who would like to forward their magazines or help with the work of the Periodical Club are asked to communicate with Miss Katharine P. Van Dusen, Librarian, 137 W. Springfield Ave. Che. 1547.

THE SEWING GUILD

The Guild which meets from 10:30 A. M. to 3:00 P. M. on Wednesdays is rendering a great service to the Church and community. They are

completing a full set of cottas and cassocks for the choir at the Home for Consumptives in Chestnut Hill, making curtains for the Chestnut Hill Recreation Center, knitting garments for the Grenfell Mission in Labrador, and finishing Diocesan supply work. Women of the parish who sew or knit are especially urged to join the group to share in the work during Lent.

The Guild attends the special Noonday Service of Meditation and Music on Wednesdays.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES



PALM SUNDAY—MARCH 17th

8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion

9:30 A. M.—Church School Service
(The Lenten Offering
will be presented)

11:00 A. M.—Sung Holy Communion
and Passion Music

5:30 P. M.—Evening Prayer

MON., TUES., AND WED.—
MARCH 18-20th

7:30 A. M.—Holy Communion

5:30 P. M.—Evening Prayer

MAUNDY THURSDAY

MARCH 21st

7:30 A. M.—Holy Communion

10:00 A. M.—Holy Communion

5:30 P. M.—Evening Prayer

8:15 P. M.—Holy Communion

GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 22nd

9:30 A. M.—Church School Service

12:00-3:00 P. M. — Passion Service
—the Rector

EASTER EVEN—MARCH 23rd

4:00 P. M.—Holy Baptism

5:30 P. M.—Evening Prayer

EASTER DAY—MARCH 24th

7:00, 8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion

9:30 A. M.—Church School Service,
Carols and Procession

11:00 A. M.—Te Deum, Holy Communion and Sermon

5:30 P. M.—Evening Prayer



THE EASTER OFFERING will be used for the payment of our Diocesan and Missionary Quota and for our own needs within the Parish.

NOTES CONCERNING EASTER

The clergy will be glad to arrange for Easter Communion for those who are sick or confined to their homes. Please notify the Parish Office, Che. 0359.

The Service of Holy Baptism on Easter Even is a tradition of the Church. The Rector would be glad to hear from members of the Parish who are themselves as yet unbaptized or who have children whom they would like to bring to Baptism.

Will those who wish to give flowers for the Easter altar as a memorial, kindly notify Mrs. H. P. Glendinning, 529 E. Gravers Lane, Che. 4806, and forward their checks to her?

VESTRY ELECTIONS

At a regular meeting of the Vestry held on February the 12th, Messrs. Edward B. Clay and Edgar Allan Poe were elected to fill vacancies in its membership. We take this opportunity of expressing our pleasure in having them as members of the Vestry and we welcome them to the duties and responsibilities of this position.

Mr. Frazer Harris was elected to succeed Mr. Frederic S. Whittaker as Clerk of the Vestry.

UNITED CHARITIES CAMPAIGN

The United Charities Campaign, as you know, is in full progress. May I direct your attention to a few considerations which I believe to be of the utmost importance.

First, there is no denying the fact that we all have financial problems of our own and that it is not always as easy to give as generously as we would like to or as we should. Let us realize, however, that no matter how pressing our own problems are, we are very fortunate compared with those for whose benefit we are having this campaign.

Secondly, let us remember that actually there are only two ways in which these people can even exist, — either through government aid or private charity. Government help consists in

supplying the very barest necessities of life for family maintenance on an absolutely minimum basis and for such people as are eligible for its support. This falls so far short of the needs of the people in every community that private charity must carry a larger burden than ever before. Funds to do this must be raised in one of two ways:

(1) We can go back to the old plan of 136 appeals with their annoyance, their high cost, their ineffectiveness; or

(2) We can increase our support to the United Charities Campaign.

I beg of you, stop and think of all the charities dependent on you and when our representative calls, please greet him with a most generous response.

Lewis N. Lukens, Jr.

Chairman—1940 Campaign Appeal

OFFERTORY COMMITTEE

The following members of the Vestry will serve on the Offertory Committee for March: Messrs. Livingston Jones, Lewis N. Lukens, Jr., G. Willing Pepper and W. Chatten Wetherill.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptism

John Butler Prizer, Jr.

Burials

J. Andrews Harris, Jr.

John White Geary

AND WHAT SHALL YOU SAY?

Brother, Come!
And let us go unto our God.
And when we stand before Him
I shall say—

“Lord I do not hate,
I am hated.
I scourge no one,
I am scourged.
I covet no lands,
My lands are coveted.
I mock no peoples,
My people are mocked.”
And, brother, what shall you say?

Joseph S. Cotter, Jr.

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CHESTNUT HILL, PHILADELPHIA, APRIL, 1940

No. 4

SERVICES

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1st, 3rd—Holy Communion	11 A. M.	Thursdays—Holy Communion,	
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REFUGEES

Twenty or thirty years from now when others look back upon these times through which we are now living what criteria will be used as a basis of judgment regarding the reality and effectiveness of our religion? Will not the question obviously be asked—"What did Christian people do in 1940 towards alleviating the plight of fellow Christians who came to these shores or sought entrance thereto under the existing provisions of the quota?" (The question as to whether the quota limit should not be raised is still another matter for the Christian conscience). When brought before the imaginary bar of justice will it be enough to say—"We had our own poor and unemployed to care for, there was nothing left over for these 'foreigners'"? Can we not already hear the reply—"These ought ye to have done, and not to leave the other undone"? Surely he who said—"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me", would include refugees, whether Christian or Jewish,—German, Spanish or of whatever nationality as among those for whom we ought to care in a concrete and practical way.

Elsewhere in these pages there appears an account of the kind of thing a small group of residents of Chestnut Hill, in cooperation with the American Friends Service Committee is trying to do to help German Refugees. Is it not time that we as a Christian Church took a more active part in work of this sort?

G. A. T.

Organization Notes

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Executive Committee

Mrs. Charles Willing has been elected to take the place of Mrs. George Dallas who recently resigned from the Committee.

Presentation of Lenten Offering

The Church School Lenten Offering for the Diocese of Pennsylvania will be presented at Holy Trinity Church on Sunday afternoon, April 28 at 4 p.m. The Rev. Charles W. Sheerin, Vice-President of the National Council, will be the speaker. St. Paul's Church School will send a delegation.

THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Members Annual Social Event is to be a dance held at the Manufacturers Club on Saturday evening, April 20th. Miss Betty Derr from our Parish is the Chairman. Tickets \$1.00

THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

During the past month money to buy books has been sent to the Tucker Lodge at Shrine Mont and to the Ephrate Indians in Wyoming. Magazines have been given to the University Hospital, Home for Consumptives, Kensington Hospital for Women, St. Barnabas', Germantown and the Colored Y.M.C.A. in Germantown.

Those who wish to forward their magazines are asked to communicate with Miss Katherine P. Van Dusen, Librarian, 137 W. Springfield Ave. Che. 1547.

THE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

Our Bible Class season is entering upon its final work for the year. We have only four Sundays in April and two in May for our studies. The third Sunday in May has been set aside tentatively for our annual Memorial Service.

During the last two months we engaged in our regular attendance competition with the Men's Bible Classes of the following: The Church of the

Redeemer, the winner this year, Cliveden, Cedar Park and Flouertown Presbyterian churches. We congratulate the victors who were far ahead of all of us this year.

Men of the parish are cordially invited to join us each Sunday at 2:15 p.m. in the Parish House. Bring your friends.

J. E. Butterworth

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Evening Branch

Mrs. Jacob S. Disston, Jr. of our parish and Treasurer of the Diocesan Domestic Committee will address the regular monthly meeting on Monday, April 8th, at 8:15 p.m. on the work of her committee. All women of the Parish are cordially invited.

The Sewing Committee of the Evening Auxiliary will hold its final meeting for this season on April 17th. The Hospital Auxiliary will continue to meet on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.

Morning Branch

The mid-monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held on Friday, April 19 at 10:30 a.m. in the Parish House. A trip will be made to the Episcopal Hospital, Harrison Home and St. Agnes' House.

On Friday, May 3rd, the Spring In-gathering of the United Thank Offering will be held in the Church at 10.30 a.m. followed by the final meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Parish House. Brief reports from all the committees will be read and officers elected for next year.

CARD PARTY

Mrs. William Clarke Mason has graciously consented to open her studio and garden again for the Annual Card Party of the Woman's Auxiliary. Please save Wednesday, May 1st. Mrs. Benjamin F. Pepper, Jr. is Chairman. Tickets, one dollar each including tea. Plants, flowers, candy and cakes will be for sale. If you do not play cards, come for tea 50c payable at the door.

THE SEWING GUILD

The Guild will continue to meet throughout April on Wednesdays from 10.30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Parish House. The members are planning to help with the preparations for the Men's Dinner on April 10th and will serve tea at the Woman's Auxiliary Card Party on May 1st.

MEN'S DINNER

The annual dinner for the men of St. Paul's Parish will be held in the Parish House on Wednesday evening, April 10, at 6:30 o'clock. The Orpheus Club Quartette will provide entertainment and we have been fortunate in arranging for the showing of a moving picture in colors of a recent big game hunting expedition in Africa which, it is understood, is of exceptional interest.

The Committee in charge of arrangements is as follows: Messrs. P. Blair Lee, Chairman, J. Ebert Butterworth, Edward B. Clay, J. Linerd Conarro, Gordon Crouter, Arthur Goodfellow, James M. Henderson, Randal Morgan, 3rd, G. Willing Pepper, G. Crofton Thompson, Samuel Wilmot, Jr.

Return postals have been mailed to the men of the parish and the committee takes this opportunity of renewing that invitation. In view of the interesting program, the committee is anticipating a large attendance. Business clothes - Dinner, one dollar - payable at the door.

THE APRIL APPEAL

The Vestry is at this time addressing to the members of the Parish an "April Appeal" in order to raise the funds required to balance the Parish Budget for 1940. The Vestry is confident that a great majority of the members of the Parish are anxious to maintain at the level of previous years both the standard that has been set in

the life of the Parish and the support it has lent to the Church at large. To accomplish this, \$5,000 in addition to the sum already pledged for the 1940 Budget is required.

The card accompanying the April Appeal letter is also arranged in the form of a questionnaire. Members of the Parish are urged to read the letter carefully and fill out and return the card even if no subscription to the April Appeal is made. The Vestry hopes in this way to obtain both the additional support required for this year and an expression of opinion regarding our money raising plans for the future.

Vestry of St. Paul's Church

Joshua Ash Pearson,

Accounting Warden

PALM SUNDAY SERVICE

An interesting comment on our Palm Sunday Service came from a young man who said that it was for him one of the most helpful services he had attended in that when he tried to follow the suggestions for prayer and meditation contained in the leaflet he realized for the first time how utterly inept he was in the most fundamental of spiritual exercises. Protestants generally, and Episcopalians in particular are exceedingly self-conscious beings. We are trained to "pray by the book" and to have our spiritual exercises performed for us. No doubt the young man referred to would have made the same discovery had he attended "Quaker Meeting" for there he would not even have had music to cover up the "awkwardness" of silence.

A change in the routine form of service may be disturbing to many of us, but if it can accomplish what it did for this young man, possibly it may have a similarly revealing, and let us hope corrective, effect upon others.

G. A. T.

COMMITTEE FOR REFUGEES

The Chestnut Hill Committee for German Refugees, an informal organization working closely with the American Friends Service Committee, is glad to offer itself as a clearing house to those in the community interested in helping the victims of religious and political persecution in Europe.

There are six ways in which we can be useful:

1. Sign affidavits to enable refugees to come to America. Many of the finest persons seeking to escape persecution are unable to leave their countries for lack of an affidavit. This document is an assurance that at some day the holder of it will be entitled to go to America. Many persons receiving affidavits from American citizens never reach the United States, but the document is a safeguard against arrest and molestation. The affidavit is required by the United States Government as a guarantee that the newcomer will not become a public charge. It means that an American citizen must pledge support of the newcomer if he fails to establish himself.

2. Offer temporary hospitality to a refugee.

3. Send money for steamship transportation to our treasurer, Mr. Samuel Paul, 540 E. Graver's Lane, Chestnut Hill.

4. Study possibilities of employment for selected persons. Some refugees have rare skill and training and bring to the United States economic advantages for us all.

5. Sew and collect clothing and send to American Friends Service Committee's Storeroom, 1515 Cherry Street, Philadelphia.

6. Study the world refugee problem and maintain a spirit of tolerance and goodwill towards these victims of injustice. If, as Americans we have room for a certain number of them within our immigration quota, as Christians we surely have room for them in our hearts.

Those in the parish who wish to cooperate with this Committee or desire further information, are asked to call Mrs. Shippen Lewis, Che. 5049, Secretary of the Committee.

A NEW MEMORIAL

You may have noticed the grading and planting taking place on the triangular plot of land opposite our driveway on Bethlehem Pike. This property has been given into the custody of the Rector and Wardens of St. Paul's Church by Mr. Jay Cooke to be maintained as a public park in memory of his mother Nina Louise Benson Cooke and will be dedicated on a Sunday this spring, the date to be announced later. The cost of beautifying this property as well as its maintenance during his lifetime has been generously contributed by Mr. Cooke.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Sherley Young
Cornelia Livingston Jones Dew
Hugh Samuel Ward
Constance Mercer
Everett Litchfield Peirce
Jeannette Peirce
Neal Rippey Peirce

Burials

Joseph H. D. Allen
Anna Tinker Godwin
Frederick G. Roth
Mary Williams Starr
Ellen Jackson
Ada Ling Redhouse

Confirmation

Cornelia Livingston Jones Dew

Received by Letter of Transfer

Edward Biddle Clay
Sonia Allen
Esther Dodge

EMPLOYMENT

Capable English woman of good social standing seeks new connection as companion - secretary or managing housekeeper.

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CHESTNUT HILL, PHILADELPHIA, MAY, 1940

No. 5

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"One of the grave dangers of modern education is that it develops a form of prudence until prudence becomes a phase of cowardice and takes away capacity for self imperilment. Unless education fills one with a vision of world tasks too great to be caged by any definition and drives one to give himself with abandonment and energy, all education is a failure."

—Bishop Brent.

Organization Notes

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

The final session of the Church School classes will be held May 26.

Parents and members of the School are reminded that the 9:30 service continues throughout the summer. It is a very convenient time for families to attend worship together.

Mrs. Arthur U. Crosby has been chosen as Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Church School.

THE G. F. S. CANDIDATES

The G. F. S. Candidates will give a card party for the benefit of the Girls' Friendly Society Holiday House at Cape May on Wednesday, May 15th, at 2:30 p. m. in the Parish House.

Y. P. F. MINSTREL SHOW

The Young People's Fellowship of this Parish will give a minstrel show and dance on Friday, May 10th, at 8 o'clock in the Parish House. Tickets at 35c are on sale at the Parish Office.

THE SEWING GUILD

The Sewing Guild has closed the season with a very admirable record of activity to its credit. They have met each Wednesday from 10:30 to 3:00 since October and have made garments for the Episcopal Hospital, the Labrador Branch of the Needle Work Guild, St. Barnabas', the Diocesan Supply Bureau, the Home for Consumptives, and curtains for the Chestnut Hill Recreation Center—a total of 257 articles. Aside from their usual work they have assisted with the Men's Dinner, served luncheon for the Committee on Strategy and Policy of the National Council when it met here in the fall, and served tea at the annual

spring Woman's Auxiliary Card Party.

EVENING BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The final meeting will be held on Monday evening, May 13th, at 8:15 p. m. in the Parish House. Members of the Auxiliary will review Church magazines.

APRIL APPEAL

Thus far, out of 867 letters sent out, there have been received only 86 subscriptions, amounting in all to \$2725. This is below the amount received a year ago, and far below the amount needed to balance the 1940 budget.

Rather than send a second letter, this notice is being printed with the hope that many members of the Parish will be able to send in their cards promptly, and that final results may be known by the middle of May.

MISS MURIEL LESTER

The Protestant Churches of Chestnut Hill are sponsoring a service to be held in St. Paul's Church, Sunday evening, May 19th at 8:15 at which Miss Muriel Lester will speak. She is the founder of Kingsley Hall, one of the best known Settlement Houses in London, and one of the Secretaries of the International Fellowship of Reconciliation. She has been speaking in many places in this country for several months and, though a loyal English woman, firmly believes that for the good of the whole world America should keep out of the war.

It is hoped a great many members of St. Paul's Parish will avail themselves of this opportunity to hear Miss Lester.

DEDICATION

Arrangements are being made for the dedication of the property across Bethlehem Pike recently given by Mr. Jay Cooke as a memorial to his mother. Weather permitting, the ceremony will take place immediately after the eleven o'clock service on Sunday, May 26th.

THE FLOWER MISSION

The Flower Mission will continue its activities this year under the chairmanship of Mrs. Robert Glendinning assisted by Mrs. Charles Cresswell. It is hoped that members who have generously contributed to this worthwhile cause in the past may be counted upon to help again this year. The Mission will commence its activities during the second or third week of May depending upon the weather. Further notice will appear in the weekly notice sheet or inquiry may be made at the Parish Office. The offer of one or two station wagons with drivers for Wednesdays from ten to twelve is much needed and would be most welcome.

OFFERTORY COMMITTEE

The following members of the Vestry will serve on the Offertory Committee for May: Messrs. Edward B. Clay, Arthur U. Crosby, Frazer Harris and Randal Morgan, 3rd.

CHOIR CONCERT

The Choir will present its third annual concert for the benefit of the Choir Boys' Camp Fund on the evening of May 28, Tuesday, at 8:15 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Tickets at thirty-five cents may be obtained at the Parish Office, or from members of the Choir, on or after May 6.

BRITISH WAR RELIEF SOCIETY

A branch of the British War Relief Society has been organized in Chestnut Hill with headquarters at the Community House on Germantown Avenue. Wool, needles and directions for knitted garments of all kinds can be procured there on Monday, Wednesday or Friday from 10-12 a.m. or by calling Mrs. Lawrence Johnson, at Whitmarsh 0253, Mrs. John Churchill, Che. 0955 or Miss Rebecca Ritter, Che. 4238.

NEW VESTRYMAN

Members of St. Paul's Parish will be interested in the election of Randal Morgan, 3rd, to the Vestry. He is the son of Mr. Marshall S. Morgan who served as a Vestryman for many years.

Mr. Morgan was graduated from Princeton in 1934 and from the University of Pennsylvania Law School in 1937. He is associated with the law firm of Morgan, Lewis and Bockius.

MAY FETE

The Episcopal Hospital will hold a May Fete on Wednesday, May 22nd from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Farm produce, cakes, candy, preserves, potted plants, cut flowers, aprons, handkerchiefs and numerous other articles will be on sale. An exhibition of flower arrangements with awards will be held from 1 to 4 p.m. Lunch 35c to 50c. Supper 60c.

WHITSUNDAY

Almighty God, who at Pentecost didst pour out thy spirit upon the apostles, let the everlasting miracle of thine unmeasured gift be renewed in our own time. Grant that the heavenly fire may descend upon our hearts to give us courage, and that the winds of the spirit may blow through us in kindling power, both now and evermore. Amen.

TRINITY SUNDAY

Due to the fact that Holy Communion will be celebrated on Whitsunday, May 12th, the service of Morning Prayer will be substituted for the Communion service customary on the third Sunday of the month which this year falls on Trinity Sunday, May 19.

PLANTS WANTED

The late spring has caused a great need for vegetable plants on the part of the community gardeners of Chestnut Hill. Those who have surplus plants and would care to contribute them, may send them to the Chestnut Hill Community Center, 8419 Germantown Avenue.

REFUGEES EARNING THEIR WAY

Mrs. Rolf Arntal of 6316 Homer Street, Germantown, has well made, color fast, cotton dresses for sale from \$1.98 up. Tel. Victor 5339.

A refugee pastryman at 539 Carpenter Lane, Mt. Airy. Apfelstrudel a specialty.

CONVOCATION OF GERMANTOWN

The Convocation of Germantown will meet on Tuesday, May 21st, at the Church of the Messiah, Roosevelt Blvd. and Large Street. Holy Communion at 11 a.m. The speaker will be the Rev. Reuel L. Howe of the Philadelphia Divinity School. Luncheon at 12:30 p.m. and Business Meeting at 2:00 p.m.

MAY KALENDAR

- 1st—St. Philip and St. James.
- 2nd—Ascension Day.
- 5th—Sunday after Ascension.
- 12th—Whitsunday.
- 13th—Whitsun Monday.
- 14th—Whitsun Tuesday.
- 19th—Trinity Sunday.
- 26th—First Sunday after Trinity.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptism

John Linerd Conarro, Jr.

Burials

William Harmon George

Received by Letter of Transfer

Robert F. Bole

Harold E. Galer

Constance I. Galer

Harold E. Galer, Jr.

Williscence S. Galer, Jr.

Constance Galer

William H. Clausen, Jr.

Margaret Clausen

Robert Hamilton

Helen R. Conger

Katharine R. Clark

Bayard S. Clark and

Frederick W. Clark

Marriages

William V. Murray and

Blanche M. Abbey

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No. 6

SUMMER SERVICES

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IS GOD TO BLAME?

In the back of men's minds today there must constantly be running this thought—Why does God not put an end to this frightful carnage in Europe? Either He is powerless, they say, to stop it, in which case He is not God, or else He does not wish to, in which case He is not the God of love that Jesus declared Him to be. If God is all-powerful and all-loving why does He not intervene, now that events seem to have got beyond human control? An earthly father may allow his children to fight up to a point, but he will not let them tear each other to pieces. This question, though difficult, cannot be ignored. Our effort to find an answer is part of the process of our development.

First, let it be said, that it is against God's very nature to hurl down thunderbolts from heaven. We have no reason or right to hope that God will release us so easily from the moral consequences of our own acts, nor is He any the less loving because He fails to do so. God is by no means indifferent to our fate, nor has He withdrawn Himself from participation in human affairs. He is working tirelessly to put an end to war as well as every other form of evil. But He must do it in His own way—in a way consistent with His nature. He is working through men and women of good-will the world over (potentially and let us hope actually through you and me) by the process of redemptive love which He exemplified in its purest and most creative form upon the Cross on Calvary.

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Secondly, we must remember that though this seems to us (with our limited vision) like the possible end of all civilization, to one with an understanding of the eternal it appears more like a black cloud which momentarily obscures the sun. Evil has broken loose before, but always in the end it destroys itself. God is not less loving, but more patient and more understanding than we. (For historical perspective read in this connection the Book of Habakkuk in the Old Testament).

In the third place, though lives are being sacrificed by the hundreds of thousands (a frightfully unnecessary evil brought on by man's inhumanity to man) it is the Christian conviction, based on the promises of Jesus and confirmed by the fact of the Resurrection, that death of the body does not mean the death of the soul. Hence all lasting personal values, though they may seem to our earthly eyes to be lost, actually are merely transferred to another realm.

Finally though man may act contrary to God's will and may momentarily thwart the accomplishment of His will, in the end God's ultimate purpose will prevail, and that without loss to man's freedom. As an outstanding English clergyman has said—"The possibility of sin is the will of God. It is an inevitable corollary of free will that sin should be possible. But sin is not the will of God. Holiness is His will." This He makes obtainable and ultimately triumphant, not by Divine fiat but by Divine love—a love, like His peace, which passeth all understanding, but which one day we shall know fully even as also we are fully known.

G. A. T.

ATTENTION STUDENTS!

On Sunday, September 15th, the eleven o'clock service will be planned especially for students going away to school and college. A buffet luncheon will be served and informal talks made by students, chaplains and headmasters. Further plans regarding this service will be published later but members of the Parish are asked to keep this date in mind.

We are anxious to have a complete list of students leaving home next year. Please send your name and the name of the school or college to which you are going to the Parish Office for our records.

IN APPRECIATION

The boys of the choir wish to express their appreciation of the support given to their recent concert, and the other generous contributions made to their Camp Fund. The net proceeds amounted to \$125.00, a slight increase over last year.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Morning Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary elected the following officers at their final meeting of the season: Mrs. Jacob S. Disston, Jr., President, Mrs. Morris Merritt, Secretary, Mrs. Francis Grant, Treasurer.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONFERENCE

The annual fall conference of the Young People's Fellowship will be held at Camp Tinicum, Ottsville, Pa., September 27-29th. The leader will be the Rev. George A. Trowbridge. All young people in the parish are invited to attend. Registration blanks may be obtained in the Parish Office.

VACATION SUGGESTION

The Diocesan Department of Religious Education is planning to have an Art Exhibit in the Fall. The purpose of such an exhibit is two-fold: to improve the kind of art used in Church Schools in general; and to demonstrate what can be done by individuals and groups. The former purpose will call for careful and finished work, the latter will find originality and cooperation much more important.

This will offer an excellent summer project for families or individuals. The work of adults and children both will be welcomed.

Please communicate with Mrs. Harris of the Church School for further information or bring the finished work to the Church School Office in September.

SUMMER READING

Following are books suggested for 1940 Summer Reading by the Rector, with the help of the Book Committee.

*"White Corpuscles in Europe" — Allan Hunter (Willett-Clark—75c).

Short histories of groups and individuals who stand for peace.

*"This War," *"This Peace" — Thomas Mann (Knopf—75c each).

Two short brilliant essays on recent events in Europe.

*"Power of Non-Violence" — Richard B. Gregg (Lippincott — \$2.50).

Introduction by Rufus Jones.

"The Sacrament of Reunion" — Cyril Richardson (Scribner—\$1.25).

Proposed concordat with the Presbyterian Church.

"Mein Kampf" — Adolf Hitler (Reynal and Hitchcock—\$3.00).

Complete and unabridged reprint. American royalties go to German Refugees.

*"For the Healing of the Nations" — Henry P. Van Dusen (Scribner — \$1.00).

Proves that the missionary movement is the greatest enterprise of social welfare to the world.

*"Ways of Praying" — Muriel Lester (Cokesbury Press—20c).

"Dare You Face Facts?"—Muriel Lester (Harper—\$1.25).

*"The Nazarene"—Scholem Asch (Putnam—\$2.75).

"Verdun"—Jules Romain (Knopf—\$2.50).

A novel about World War I.

"Abba"—Evelyn Underhill—(Longmans, Green—\$1.00).

Meditation on the Lord's Prayer.

"Factories in the Fields"—C. MacWilliams (Little-Brown \$2.50).

Facts behind the fiction of Grapes of Wrath.

*"The Human Situation"—William McNeill Dixon (Harper—\$2.50).

An absorbing, scholarly resume of what science and knowledge has done for mankind.

Books marked with the asterisk are in the Parish Library.

SUMMER CONFERENCES

The following summer conferences offer exceptional opportunities to those engaged in the various activities of the Church. To young people, Woman's Auxiliary members, clergy, church and day school leaders, seeking help with specific problems, new ideas for leadership and special training, they provide a chance to study and work either individually or in groups under well-qualified leaders.

THE DIOCESAN SUMMER CONFERENCE, open to all members of the Diocese who are 16 years or over, meets at Ursinus College, Collegeville, Pa., June 23rd-28th.

THE INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS to study "America's Task in a World at War," meets at Muhlenberg College, Allentown, Pa., June 28th to July 7th.

THE ADVANCED CONFERENCE OF THE PROVINCE OF WASHINGTON meets at Sweet Briar College, Sweet Briar, Virginia, July 1-12th.

SUMMER LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE ON INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE to study "Youth's Part in Building a Warless World," meets at "Shawnee Lake Camp," Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa., August 23rd-30th.

Copies of programs and registration blanks may be obtained in the Parish Office.

STAFF PLANS

The Rector will be in charge until July 5th. Mr. Metters will return on that day to be in residence until September 14th when the Rector will resume his duties.

Mrs Harris will be in the Church School Office until July 1st and will return Sept. 1st.

The Parish Secretary will be in the office daily until August 10th. Calls during the summer may be made as usual to Che. 0359.

THE FLOWER AND VEGETABLE MISSION will open soon. Inquire at the Parish Office for the date. Volunteers and station wagons are needed. Flowers and vegetables should be delivered to the Parish House before 10:00 a.m. on Wednesdays.

A PRAYER

O God, we pray for thy suffering people throughout the world—the wounded and dying, the bereaved, the anxious, those in places of danger, and those who are bewildered by events too swift for comprehension. O Thou, in whose eyes *no* nation is righteous altogether, help us to question our own peace, so that bearing no arms ourselves we may not grow self-righteous in isolation. Save us from silence when wrong is done and from the peace which springs from sloth and selfishness. Let Thy peace return to a world which we now know cannot exist without Thee, and grant that striving for truth and righteousness we may be faithful witnesses to Thee and in Thy Church—through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE RED CROSS

Red Cross Unit No. 10 has opened headquarters at the Chestnut Hill Community Center, 8419 Germantown Ave. Classes for surgical dressings are open daily from 9:30 to 5, Monday through Friday. There will be competent instructors. Wool and garments (already cut out) and with instructions, are available for those who wish to do work at home. Volunteers are needed, especially those who will be home during the summer and willing to take responsibilities.

Do drop in and bring your friends, even if you only stay an hour. For further information, call either Mrs. Robert Meigs, Che. 2274 or Mrs. James Hatfield, Che. 5047.

Small contributions will be gratefully received to help pay local running expenses.

Mrs. James S. Hatfield

EMPLOYMENT

Lawn Mowers sharpened. Called for and delivered. Work guaranteed. Call Che. 5737.

Kindly apply to the Parish Office, Che. 0359, for names of practical nurses, companions, and governesses.

WANTED

The Rector has loaned a book called "Trout Heresy" to some member of the Parish and cannot now remember to whom he loaned it. If that member has finished with it, he would appreciate having it returned.

PARISH FAIR IN NOVEMBER

PLEASE SAVE BOOKS
AND RUMMAGE
DURING THE SUMMER.

USEFUL ARTICLES AND
WHITE ELEPHANTS WANTED.

THE EVENING BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Evening Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary has discontinued its meetings for the summer months. The Social Service Committee hopes that all members who have free time will offer their services at the Community Center in the continuous work for the Visiting Nurses. Our meetings will resume on the second Monday night in October, further notice of which will be given in the fall.

PARISH REGISTER

Baptisms

Robert Alan Lukens
John Hyland Dilks
Ann Edwards Merritt
Emilie Lenning Merritt
Elisabeth Strawbridge Lingelbach

Marriages

John Ross and
Margaret Elizabeth Fassitt

Frank R. Wallace, Jr. and
Elise Sewell Whitwell Newbold

Received by Letter of Transfer

Robert Hamilton
Helen Elizabeth Brannen
Elizabeth Siedler Kneedler
Frances Wood
Edward Biddle Clay, Jr.
Pauline Biddle Brock
Alexander Biddle Brock
Aims C. McGuinness